

4-H On the Move

Oneida County 315-736-3394



It's time to start thinking about the Fair.

What projects are you going to enter?

Get your animal paperwork in order.

Start working with your animals so they will behave in the showing.

Quick and easy way to register for 4-H activities and events on the website! **SCROLL AND CLICK ON THE CLOVER**



SAVE THIS LINK:

<http://cceoneida.com/4-h-youth-development> or goo.gl/1YDnn7

4-H Club Spotlight



Oneida County 4-H members, Eden, Ryleigh and Lanelle, attended County Executive Anthony J. Picente Jr. announcement that 1,742 youth volunteered 4,481 hours through the Oneida County Children Care initiative in 2022.

The county initiative — which launched in 2009 — partnered last year with the Neighborhood Center, Safe Schools Mohawk Valley, Cornell Cooperative Extension, Dodge Pratt Northam Art & Community Center, Center for Family Life and Recovery, ICAN and Thea Bowman House.

“The civic engagement, compassion and drive that is displayed by the youth of Oneida County never ceases to amaze me,” Picente said. “The lessons learned through programs like Oneida County Children Care show our young people the value of helping others and the benefit of community service. The opportunities our partner agencies give these volunteers helps lay the groundwork for our future.”





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Keep your eyes open for a small token of our appreciation in
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Thank you  for your donation.

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Do you know a teen that would enjoy meeting new people and visiting different parts of the country?



Teen Council Members meet monthly (first Thursday of the month). They work throughout the year on Leadership, Community Service and Work Force Development Skills.

Teen Council Members go on an exchange trip every other year. If you are interested in learning more about Teen Council please contact Mary Jo Jennings (jenningsmaryjo3@gmail.com)

If you need to reach us, call 315-736-3394.

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Send me information about 4-H in Oneida County



<https://goo.gl/adhCBG>

Answers to Cloverbud jokes

1. Bunny Ribbit
2. Fry-day
3. Basketball
4. He's Hoppy

ARTS AND CRAFTS

Join us on 1/19 Soap Carving, 2/23 Cardboard Mask, 3/23 Dip Dot Painting, 4/20 Paint Brush People, 5/18 Seed Art from 6-7:30pm as we paint, color, draw, carve, and possibly sew. Ages 8 and up.

In order to have supplies, registrations are required 2 weeks in advance of the meeting and there may be a cost to participate.



Register for 4-H activities and events on the website!

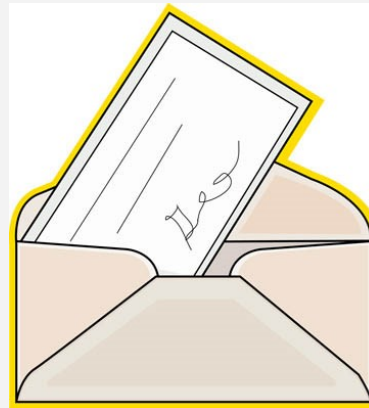
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PLEASE MAIL YOUR MONTHLY CLUB FINANCIAL STATEMENT AND ATTENDANCE RECORDS TOGETHER

Attention Casey
CCE Oneida County 4-H
121 Second St.



4-H Membership Cards

4-H Membership cards will be sent to everyone that has completed their 4-H paperwork. Please check with youth, and volunteers to make sure they have received and can show you their membership card.

If they do not have a card then they should email Casey at cch244@cornell.edu.

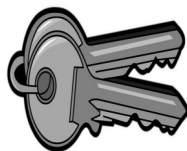
Now doing Online Enrollment

Permission to Raise Funds

Remember if you are planning a fundraising activity that generates income you must submit a request to the office at least 2 weeks prior to the event. Find the form here:



<http://cceoneida.com/4-h-youth-development/club-management-tools>



REMINDER: if you are using a room at CCE after normal business hours it is your responsibility to make sure you have a key to open the building. Keys may be signed out at the front desk and must be returned to the drop box after the event. Rooms should be returned as they were found and if the event is taking place on the weekends garbage should be removed and light turned off.

Please do not prop any doors open to allow access to the building. Place a sign on the front door directing late comers to call your cell phone to obtain admittance to the building.

Call the front desk to reserve your room

Have questions about an event after business hours?

If the event requires a registration chances are your answer can be found on the registration link. Click on the clover and search for the event. The landing page can be most helpful!

<http://cceoneida.com/4-h-youth-development>

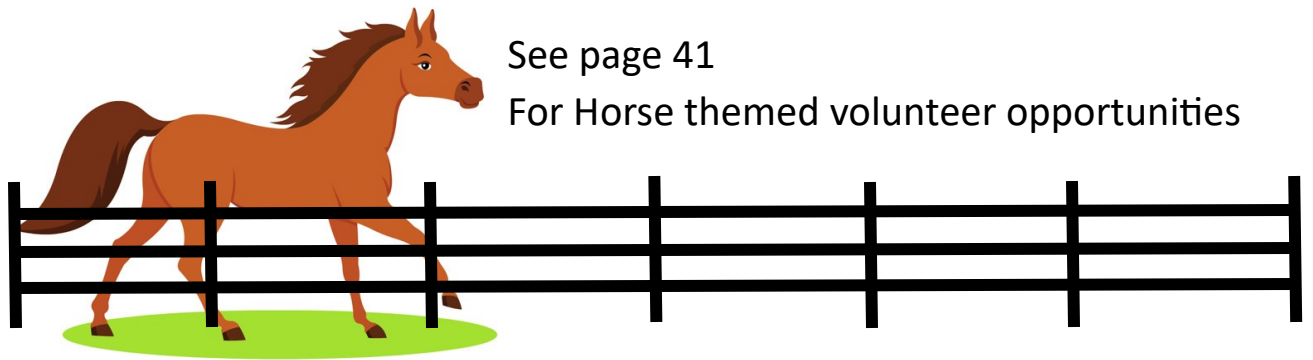
Go to the 4-H page and look for the clover.



JOIN THE PRIVATE ONEIDA COUNTY 4-H FACEBOOK PAGE

If you are in 4-H and interested in working with other 4-H Members on different types of projects, post on the PRIVATE Oneida County 4-H Facebook page. If you are looking for someone to do things with, **POST**. If you know of an event happening locally **POST** it. If you are looking for a club, want to start a club, or are an existing club looking for Members, **POST**.





See page 41
For Horse themed volunteer opportunities

Volunteer in the Parker Scripture Gardens and/or Nature Trail

Contact Holly Wise 315-736-3394 x125 if you would like to learn about opportunities to volunteer while learning about gardening

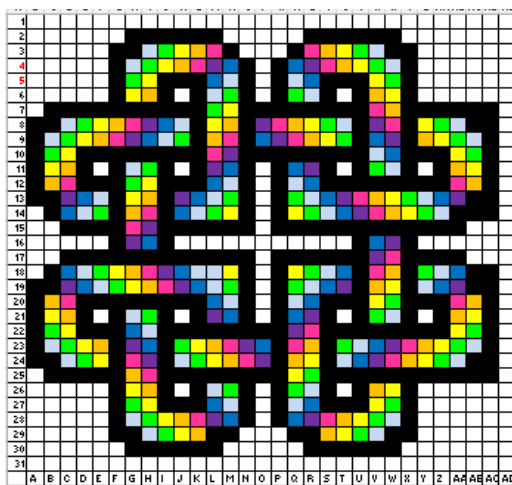


FARM FEST 2023
June 2, 2023
DiNitto Farms Marcy



Youth and Adult volunteers needed to help run the youth games during the evening portion of Farm Fest. We will work in shifts 4:30-6pm, 5:30-7pm, 6:30-8pm. Follow this link to register the times you can help.

https://reg.cce.cornell.edu/ff4h2023_230



Looking for someone to create the 2023 Post it note wall art that is on display along the back wall in the Exhibit Hall.

I used Excel to create the previous years designs and can share my worksheet if needed. Don't have Excel you could use colored pencils and graph paper.

If you are interested please follow this link https://reg.cce.cornell.edu/pin2023_230

deadline to register is June 1st. Diagram must be submitted for approval to the office by July 1st.

If you have any questions please reach out to me Lynette 315-736-3394 Ext 105

Faces of 4-H Community Service/Leadership Project

4-H Members, Leaders and Parents. If you have volunteered in the name of 4-H we want to hear about it!

Faces of 4-H will provide us an opportunity to showcase the great things you are doing in the community.

Logging your hours into the system will not only give us a running total of the projects you are working on but it will also gives us an opportunity to spotlight your efforts in our newsletters and create displays at County and the State Fairs.

Follow this link to record your community service hours

https://reg.cce.cornell.edu/Facesof4H2023_230

Leaders we need to know your volunteer hours

Being recipients of Federal Funding we are required to maintain specific records and to report requested statistics. Starting in 2021 we are now required to submit the number of volunteer hours our volunteers have completed in the name of 4-H. Use the link above to submit.

NEW FOR 2023 Community Service/Leadership County Project Medals

Youth who log in 6 hours of community service/leadership that directly supports Oneida County 4-H may automatically earn corresponding County Project Medals.

Examples of Oneida County Community Service/Leadership opportunities:

- October- Food Drive
- November- Food Drive
- December-Handmade Holidays, Food Drive
- January-Cloverbud Days at Runnings
- February-Science Days helper
- March-Horse Bonanza, Horse Communications
- April- Public Presentation Room Host/Hostess
- May- arena clean up
- June- Office work for the fair. Help in the Parker Scripture Gardens, Help at Horse Show & Arena Cleanup, Farm Fest
- July- Ring clean up prior to the Boonville Fair. Dairy display in the fair barns
- August-Teen Leaders at the NY State Fair
- September-Teen Leaders at the NY State Fair



Pre-registration may be required and we may limit the number of volunteers needed at some events. Contact the office with questions.
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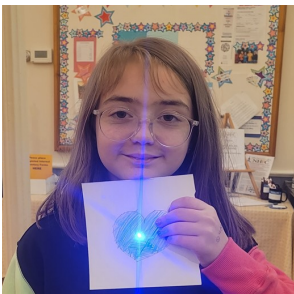


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JOANN fabrics is a huge supporter of Oneida County 4-H. Their product donations allow us the opportunity to offer many craft projects. We recently donated spring florals to ADK Middle School Art Classes.

Cool Cooking Crafters

We held a crafting event at Acacia Village on February 5th, and I included some pictures of the Faux Stained glass projects we did with residents. There are also some pictures of our paper circuits craft we made.



In December 2022 the Oneida County Conservation Education Days Committee announced the

Grand Prize Winner of the 2022 Conservation Education Days Poster Contest.

The winner was Matteo Viti, a sixth-grade student from Mrs. Fornino's class at Bradley Elementary School in New Hartford.



Posters were selected for superior artistic presentation of one or more of the conservation ideas presented this past year in person at Oneida County 4-H Conservation Education Days at Delta Lake State Park. Additional consideration was given to the content of the caption explaining the idea of the poster.

The 2022 Contest Grand Prize winner received a fishing package valued at \$100, given by the Federated Sportsmen's Clubs of Oneida County, and a framed wildlife

print by wildlife artist Tom Yacovella, an Outdoorsman and Wildlife Artist who passed away in January 2018—awarded in his memory by the Central New York Youth Fishing Educators.

Additional prizes of a 1-year subscription to the NYS Conservationist magazine were given to two winners chosen from each of the classrooms who entered the contest from the following schools: Bradley, ER Hughes, and Myles, New Hartford; Stokes, Rome; JD George, Verona; Clinton; Adirondack; and New York Mills.

Subscriptions were donated by the Federated Sportsman's Clubs of Oneida County, Inc.



CONSERVATION EDUCATION DAYS 2022

Awards and Recognition County Project Medals and Outstanding Awards

County Project Medal Criteria

Traditional 4-H youth who submit specific project(s) that are judged and on display at the Oneida County Boonville Fair within the current 4-H year may be eligible for a County Project Medal

Medals are grouped into specific categories by similar topics. Specific medal requirements are outlined below.

4-H Cloverbuds will receive a certificate of accomplishment.

Creative Sciences

Archery- Must have completed at least 6 hours of archery instruction and earned a blue ribbon for an archery themed project entered in the Oneida County Boonville Fair.

Arts and Crafts- Must receive at least 3 blue ribbons for projects submitted in the arts and craft section of the Oneida County Boonville Fair.

Clothing and Textiles- Must receive at least 3 blue ribbons for projects submitted in the clothing and textiles section of the Oneida County Boonville Fair.

Food and Nutrition- Must receive at least 3 blue ribbons for projects submitted in the food and nutrition section of the Oneida County Boonville Fair.

Home Environment- Must receive at least 3 blue ribbons for projects submitted in the home environment section the Oneida County Boonville Fair.

Performance Arts- Must have completed at least 6 hours of instruction and or performance and earned a blue ribbon for a performance arts themed project entered in the Oneida County Boonville Fair.

Photography- Must receive at least 3 blue ribbons for projects submitted in the photography section the Oneida County Boonville Fair.

Robotics-Must have competed at least 6 hours of robotics instruction or participated in a competition and earned a blue ribbon for a robotics themed project entered in the Oneida County Boonville Fair.

Safety- Must have received a certification in a specific safety course and earned a blue ribbon for a safety themed project at the Oneida County Boonville Fair.

STEM, Electrical, Woodworking- Must receive at least 3 blue ribbons for projects submitted in the STEM section of the Oneida County Boonville Fair.

Natural Resources

Entomology- Must receive at least three blue ribbons for projects submitted in the entomology section of the Oneida County Boonville Fair

Horticulture-Must receive at least three blue ribbons for projects submitted in the horticulture section of the Oneida County Boonville Fair.

Natural Resources- Must receive at least three blue ribbons for projects submitted in the natural resources section of the Oneida County Boonville Fair.

Personal Development

Community Service- Must have completed and logged in at least 6 hours of community service into the on-line Faces of 4-H registration. To count towards a Medal the hours must directly support Oneida County 4-H Program. Hours must be from the current 4-H year and youth is required to submit a community service based project that earned a blue ribbon at the Oneida County Boonville Fair.

Public Presentations/Horse Communications- Must have received a blue ribbon for their current year County Level Public Presentation or a Horse Communication.

Leadership- Must have performed at least 6 hours of leadership and earned a blue ribbon for a leadership themed project submitted for the Oneida County Boonville Fair. Hours must be logged in on line and

Creative Communications- Must have received 3 blue ribbons for projects submitted into the communications section of the Oneida County Boonville Fair.

Animal Science

County Project Medals are awarded to all youth who show an animal and receive a blue ribbon at the Oneida County Boonville Fair within the current 4-H year.

Horse	Goats	Dairy cattle	Rabbits/Cavy	Poultry
Swine	Sheep	Beef Cattle	Dogs	

Outstanding Awards

Youth ages 13+ must submit a on-line application requesting an interview to be considered for an Outstanding Award. Youth may apply for one or more of the Outstanding Awards. Each award is listed below along with the specific Award Trip associated with it.

Creative Sciences- STARR-TBA

Animal Science- Career Exploration-Cornell

Natural Resources- Teen Winter Weekend TBA

Personal Development- Capital Days-Albany

Applicants should demonstrate Outstanding participation within multiple topics that fall within the categories listed below. (For a list of what topics fall within the categories please see the County Project Medals criteria.) Applicants will participate in a face to face interview where their current years activities will be discussed.



Outstanding Animal applicants should be prepared to talk about the care and management of their project animals , including but not limited to health records, breeding production, nutrition, income, expenses, etc.....

Creative Science Applicants should be able to discuss the projects they have completed within this area including what they learned, challenges they faced, how they overcame those obstacles and how these projects have led them to try and expand their interests in other ways.

Natural Resources applicants should be able to share the knowledge they gained from their projects with the interviewer. They should demonstrate an understanding of topics like invasive species, pesticides, herbicides and organic alternatives.

Personal Development applicants should be able to communicate the importance of volunteerism and show how they have grown through their community service and or leadership experiences.

Information on Youth Building Exhibits

Your Boonville Fair Projects will be on display at the Boonville

Fair 7/25/23-7/30/23

Boonville Fair Youth Building Registrations

Registration deadline: July 1, 2023

All 4-H Members are encouraged to submit projects for public view at the Boonville Fair. In an effort to reduce paperwork for everyone. ALL projects that are to be displayed in the Youth Building must be pre-registered. Projects not pre-registered by July 1st will not be accepted for display or awards.

The information supplied will enable us to determine how many judges and in what categories they are needed.

Pre-registration will also allow us to print out the Exhibitor's Cards (Eliminating the need for you to hand write them)

***We are limiting the number of exhibits a youth can submit
Cloverbuds no more than 7 and Traditional 4-H Members no more than 12.***

Please review the Boonville Fair book to determine what Section and Class your project should go under. If you have questions please be sure to contact the office. 315-736-3394 x105 or email me lsk23@cornell.edu

The following is the information you will need to provide to register a project for the youth Building at the Oneida county Fair in Boonville.

- 1) Are you a? Cloverbud Member 5-7 yrs. old as of January 1st of this year? Or 8-18 as of January 1st of this year?
- 2) First Name of 4-H Member _____
- 3) Last name of 4-H Member _____
- 4) Address _____
- 5) City _____
- 6) State _____ 7) Zip Code _____
- 8) Email _____
- 9) Club Name _____
- 10) Section (Found in the Fair Book) _____
- 11) Class (Found in the Fair Book) _____
- 12) Exhibit Description _____
- 13) Years in the project area? (This does not mean years in 4-H. It means how long have you been doing this type of project....How long have you been gardening, How long have you been oil painting.....?

- 14) Is this part of the Art in the Bucket Project?

Tentative Judging date will be here at CCE Oneida on 7/20/23

Follow this link to register: https://reg.cce.cornell.edu/2023BFPR_230

Projects are left with the 4-H Staff. We will take them up to the fair and set them up for display.

**Adults and Youth
needed for
judging day.
JULY 20, 2023
Follow this link for
[https://
reg.cce.cornell.edu/
2023BFPR_230](https://reg.cce.cornell.edu/2023BFPR_230)**



**For those that can't meet on the 20th
we will do
EARLY JUDGING
on July 7th at 5:30pm here at CCE
Registration Required by July 1st**

One of our most common questions is

What type of Projects can I enter in the Fair?

Almost anything can turn into a 4-H Project.

You can also review the 4-H exhibit hall premium fair book on the website at:

<https://bit.ly/3LpX3nG>

In simplified terms this is how to submit a project for the Boonville Fair.

1. Do something :)
2. Review the Fair Book to decide what section and class the item belongs.
3. Enter the projects that you want to submit in the on line registration. Due by July 1st
4. Bring your item to CCE Oneida for evaluation.
5. When youth are called, take your item to the judge. He/She will ask you to explain: The Who , What, When, Where, Why and How of your project.
6. After all your projects are evaluated you can go home.
7. Projects are left with Staff and taken to be set up at The Boonville Fair.
8. Projects can be picked up after 7 pm the last day of the Fair or at the office 1 week after the Fair.
9. Youth earn premium money for the projects they submit.
10. Projects Selected for the State Fair should be picked up and inspected, repaired or improved before being dropped off at the office to be taken to the State Fair. State Fair Projects must also be registered on line.

About Face to Face Evaluations for the Fair

Youth wishing to submit projects for the youth building are required to participate in Face to Face judging. While meeting with someone and speaking about their project may sound very intimidating, the experience and procedure is very simple especially for Cloverbuds. First it is important to understand that Cloverbud youth are not “Judged or Scored.”

At every age level, especially Cloverbud, the goal is to encourage the youth to continue trying new things and to be excited to tell others what and how they did it. If you as a parent have concerns about your child participating in this activity or any activity I would suggest that you and your child attend, observe and participate in the actual judging event prior to submitting projects for the fair. For many the fear of the unknown is a major inhibitor. Once you and your child participate or observe the event you will have a better understanding of the procedure which will make it easier for you and your child to prepare for future participation.

During the evaluation process youth will speak with a volunteer judge about their project. They will be asked how they did the project, what they liked, what they would do different, what they learned, if they faced any challenges? Judges can also offer suggestions on ways to improve or offer suggestions on techniques they may want to try in the future.

While the project itself is important, this activity is also an opportunity for youth to improve their speaking skills. If the youth enjoyed a project so much that they want to submit it for the fair then they should be excited to tell others about it.

Communication is a key component of youth development and this allows youth an opportunity to practice and learn without the pressures associated with Formal Public Speaking.



Would you like to reserve a space to create your own Fair Booth. Approx 6x8 ft
<https://cceoneida.com/4-h-youth-development/oneida-county-and-nys-fair>

RECYCLED SCIENCE AT THE BOONVILLE FAIR

Many 4-H members are participating in Science Fairs across the county. Lets make a special display at the Boonville Fair devoted entirely to Science Fair Projects. Save your projects and then enter then just as you normally would any other project. Why not take your project to the next level and do your Public Presentation on the topic?

Recycle and make your science project do triple duty.

1. Science Fair project at school
2. 4-H Boonville Fair entry
3. 4-H Public Presentation



Why not try...

- We are always looking for clubs to spruce up the 4-H Building by doing a club display
- Post it note art- Make a giant 8 ft. piece of art using post it notes
- Table settings- Create a place setting and menu for a special occasion.
- Stall Decorations
- Breed informational displays in the livestock barns
- Volunteer/participate in Barnyard Olympics

SHOW US WHAT YOU CAN DO

Remember: You can submit projects for review and display at the Boonville Fair. You don't have to belong to a club or do specific club projects. We encourage you to learn independently.

If you have questions call the office and ask. Deadline to register projects for 2023 is July 1st. Judging is tentatively scheduled for July 19th. Ask questions early. If you wait till the last minute we can't help you! 315-736-3394 Lynette



POST IT NOTE ART AT THE BOONVILLE FAIR
Create giant 8ftx8ft piece of art using post it notes

This could count as a County Community Service Project

link https://reg.cce.cornell.edu/pin2023_230

2023



July 25th-July 30st

We Need Help Creating Some Interactive Public Displays For The Fair

This could count as the required 1 hour of Community Service towards 4-H. Contact Lynette Isk23@cornell.edu 315-736-3394 x105

Possibilities include: Information Boards Post-it-note Art

What kind of things can you show in the 4-H Youth Building?

Just about anything can become a 4-H Exhibit. If it fits within one of these categories you can exhibit it!

Projects can be done independently or within a club

Communication Arts-Posters

Writing

Arts and Crafts

Home Environment –Decorating

Food and Nutrition

Horticulture

Entomology

Woodworking

Electricity

Clothing and Textiles

Robotics Engineering

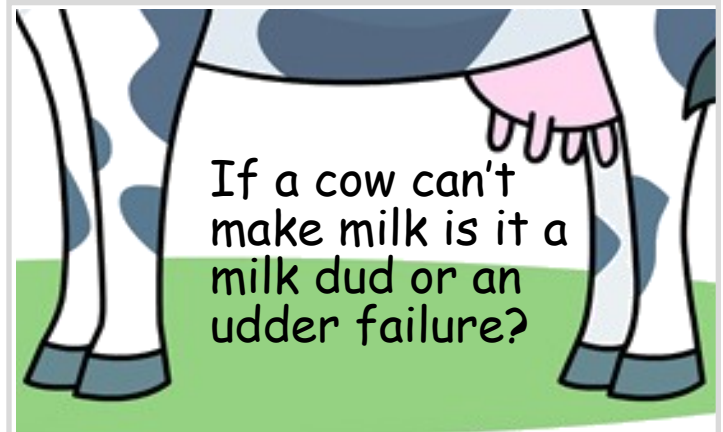
Photography

Computer Science

GPS/GIS

Call if you have questions or review the Fair premium book for more ideas

<https://bit.ly/3lokGIU>



We are looking for some fun posters to scatter around the Youth Building and the Barns

Parents, Leaders, 4-H Members



Is there something you want to learn about or how to do?

If so then call Lynette at 736-3394 x105. We might be able to do a workshop on the subject.

Would your club like to set up a booth at the Boonville Fair to showcase all the fun things your club does? Watch the May /June issue for a link to reserve your space

https://reg.cce.cornell.edu/2023bfbs_230

**Save the date
July 20, 2023 5-8pm
Boonville Fair Project
Judging will take place here
at CCE Oneida.
Early judging July 7th**

Faux Stained Glass for the Boonville Fair 2023

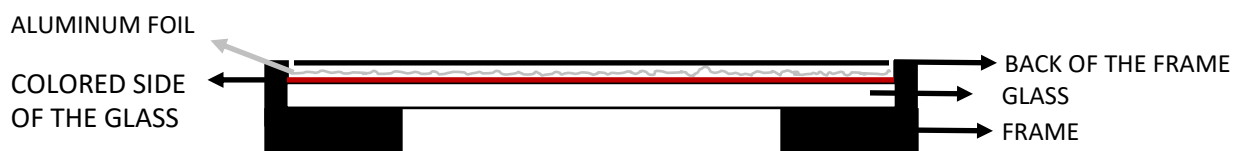
Supplies:

- Frame
- Sharpie Markers in various colors including black
- Coloring pattern (See gingerbread man example)
- Frame
- Aluminum Foil



1. Select pattern. Choose a design/pattern that has large simple shapes. You can use coloring book pages or search the web for actual stained glass patterns. Do not choose anything with letters or words. I suggest you use a design/pattern that is black and white.
2. Remove the back of the frame by lifting the small metal tabs. Insert the coloring page into the frame and secure the back by bending the tabs back into place. The design/pattern should now be under the glass.
3. Using the black Sharpie Marker start tracing the basic outline of your design/pattern. You should be drawing on the glass that is in the frame. Make sure the black line is dark and well defined. This represents the lead of the "Stained Glass". NOTE make sure you remind the youth that they are drawing on glass and if they press hard or lean heavily the glass may break.
4. Once the black lead line is complete start filling in your design with different sharpie colors. You need to color everything so it is **solid**. You do not want to see any of the white paper from your original design.
5. When everything is colored in completely, open the frame by bending those metal tabs. Remove the back and your paper design/pattern.
6. Carefully remove the glass from the frame.
7. Flip the glass over and put it back into the frame. The side you colored should now be "inside the frame" (This way you can clean the outside and not wipe away the sharpie marker coloring.)
8. Grab some Aluminum Foil and wrinkle it up. Be careful not to rip it.
9. Flatten out the foil. Make sure it is big enough to cover the inside of the frame. Bigger is better.
10. Place the shiny side of the foil in the frame. The shiny side should be touching the glass.
11. Put the back on the frame.
12. Fold over extra foil or cut it if it is sticking out from behind the backing.
13. Fold the metal tabs in to secure your frame.

The diagram below shows you how your project should be layered when it is complete and ready to hang



Seed Art for the Boonville Fair 2023

Supplies:

- Frame
- Glue
- Seeds

1. Remove the back of the frame by lifting the small metal tabs.
2. Carefully remove the glass and discard.
3. Put the back on the frame.
4. Plan out your seed design and start gluing seeds to the inside of the back of the frame.
5. Once your design is complete leave it flat on a table till the glue hardens.



Faux Stained Glass*

If you enjoy coloring with sharpie markers then this simple craft project is perfect for you.

Please take the time to register so that we can give you the proper frame to use for this project.

If you aren't sure how to do this project we are offering craft workshops in 2023. Can't come to the workshop then when you pick up the frame I can show you what you need to do.

Registration required. https://reg.cce.cornell.edu/4HFSG2023_230

This will fall under Section DC Class 1B of the 2023 Boonville Fair Book



Seed Art

Youth wishing to enter the Seed Art Fan Favorite must pre-register so everyone has the same frame.

https://reg.cce.cornell.edu/4Hseedart2022_230

Using seeds like sunflower, peas, beans, corn, pumpkin, etc. Youth will create a collage. The only rule other than having fun is that 95% of the canvas must be covered in seeds.

This will fall under Section DC Class 1A in the 2023 Boonville Fair book

Not sure what seed art is check out this you Tube Video

<https://youtu.be/HKMGBbihyuM>



Soap Carving*

Grab a bar of soap and transform it into something unique. You can carve it with simple tools like paperclips or a bobby pin.

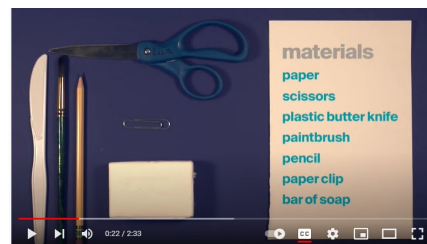
We will be offering a class on this project in January. Check out the County Craft Club registration

Since we are not providing any supplies for this project

there is no need for you to register. However to show it at the Boonville Fair you will need to register it.

This will fall under Section DB Class D in the 2023 Boonville Fair Book.

Not sure how to do soap carving check out this you Tube Video <https://youtu.be/Y17RweezGi8>



All Fan Favorites Must be judged and on display at the 2023 Oneida County Boonville Fair. Deadline to register for these projects is May 1st 2023 *Sorry these are not Cloverbud projects

RULES: IF LESS THAN FIVE YOUTH PARTICIPATE/
EXHIBIT AN ITEM WITHIN A PROJECT THE FAN
FAVORITE WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE.

BOONVILLE FAIR 2023 FAN FAVORITE

Changes at NY State Fair 2023



It has been announced that this year the State Fair will run from **8/23-9/4/2023**. Updates about the fair will be in the newsletter as well as our Facebook page. If you are not a member of the Private Oneida County 4-H Facebook page now would be a good time to join.

Changes for the Youth Building

Pre COVID there was a great deal of discussion about revamping the whole judging process at the State Fair.

The ultimate goal is that the youth be more involved in the items that are being sent for evaluation to the State Fair. This could mean rethinking how projects are evaluated, thus a change to the evaluation sheet. They also wanted to update the Photography section of the fair book.

In anticipation of these changes, and I am sure more changes coming in the future, I think we are going to be proactive and come up with a procedure that will not only work now but for the future.

Boonville Fair Judging and procedures will remain the same. The fair book may change but you will still go on line and register your projects and come to judging here at CCE.

What will change will be the procedure for sending things to the State Fair.

Youth will only be able to send one project to the State Fair*.

Now before you start yelling at me.

There were comments that overall 4-H Projects in the Youth building (NOT JUST OUR BOOTH) were not “the Best” and up to standards and they do not want to see duplications. Therefore Staff needs to come up with a way to screen the projects. Combine that with the fact that they are going to expect much more input from the youth on the written self evaluation. Changes will need to be made.

I do not want us to become one of those counties that sends: one photograph, one article of sewing, one cake or one drawing. I prefer to put the power in the hands of our youth.

Therefore if a 4-H Member has multiple things selected to go to the State Fair, that youth will select the best one of those projects. They will then put the time and effort into that one project to take it to the next level and make it truly “The Best.” This could mean creating a step by step guide or poster to go along with it. As new information becomes available we will keep you posted on the changes.

2023 Boonville Oneida County Fair

BOONVILLE FAIR 2023

Tues, July 25

3 PM 4-H Dog Show

Wed, July 26

8:30 AM English, Miniature Horse and Driving 4-H Horse Show

10 AM 4-H Dairy Show (Jr Animals and Showmanship)

3:30 PM 4-H Poultry Show

Thurs, July 27

8:30 AM 4-H Horse Show Western/Ranch

10 AM 4-H Rabbit and Cavies Show

1 PM 4-H Swine Show

3 PM 4-H Meat Goat Show

4:30 PM 4-H Sheep Show

6:30 PM 4-H Beef Showmanship

Fri, July 28

PINK OUT DAY

8:30 AM 4-H Horse Show Gymkhana

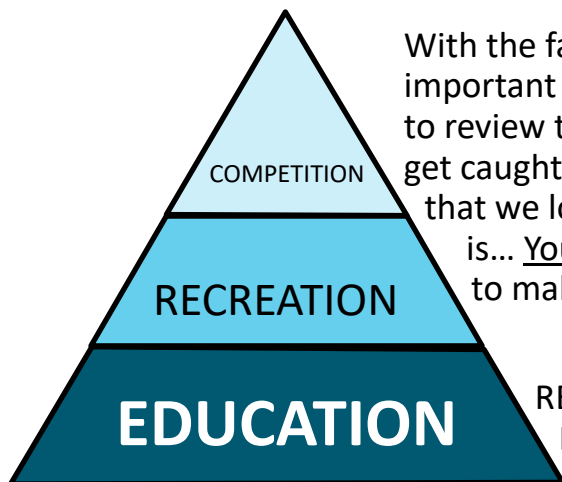
10 AM Open Dairy Show with 4-H Senior Animals

Sat, July 29

9 AM 4-H Dairy Goat Show

Sun, July 30

NOON 4-H Beef Confirmation Classes



Youth Development Pyramid

With the fair just around the corner it is important to take a moment and step back to review the goals of 4-H. We sometimes get caught up with all the events and shows that we loose sight of what our purpose is... Youth Development, to make our kids the

Best They Can Be!

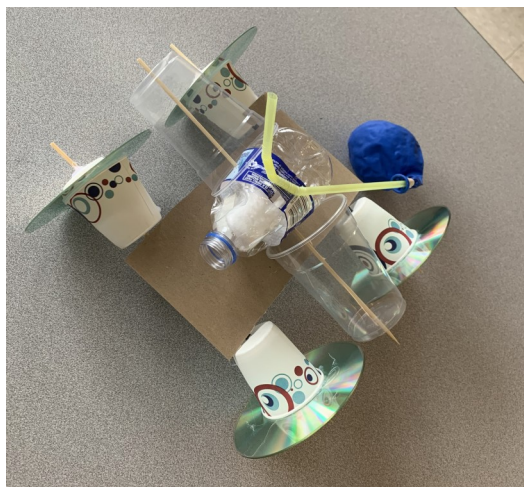
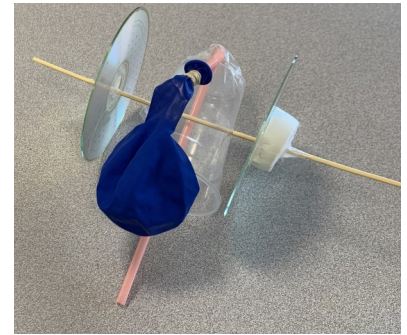
REMEMBER: It is better to have a Blue ribbon boy/girl and a Red ribbon animal than a Blue ribbon animal !

**Sometimes
you
Win,
Sometimes
you
LEARN!**

ADK 4-H Afterschool Program

To all our 4-H Afterschool Members

Don't forget you can enter projects into the Boonville Fair.
If you have questions please give me a call and I can help you with the procedure.
All projects must be registered by July 1st.
Lynette 315-736-3394 ext 105.
See pages 12-19



If you see these 4-H Members wish them a Happy Birthday!

Charity Martin
 Jennavieve Allen
 Holly Dalton
 Abigail Martin
 Lucy Majewski
 Evalyn Nolan
 Sadie Chiodo
 Lillian Britton
 Zoey LaFramboise
 Evan Carey
 Lillian Wegrzyn
 Gordon Donahoe

Mason Ziemba
 Grace Brooks
 Brayden Hartman
 Macylinn Doxstader
 Reese Finn
 Emma Keeley
 Gavin Kapes VanSlyke
 Gabriella Foster
 Paisley Mahosky
 Peter Grocholski III
 Schuyler Carey
 Chase Willson

Olivia Pierce
 Brody Denslow
 Abigail Douglas
 Elijah Beers
 Rose Reese
 Colin Rowlands
 Sydney Hiffa
 Blake Kraeger
 Harmony Young
 Lucas Poole
 Blaise Larry
 Brooke Henry



Sudoku is played on a grid of 9 x 9 spaces. Within the rows and columns are 9 “squares” (made up of 3 x 3 spaces). Each row, column and square (9 spaces each) needs to be filled out with the numbers 1-9, without repeating any numbers within the row, column or square.

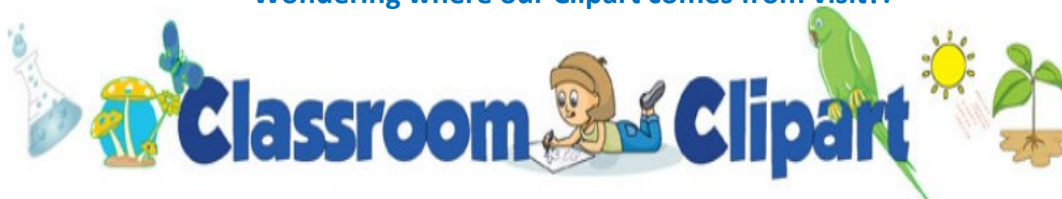
After you have solved the puzzle grab your markers and color each square a different color. Use the code below.



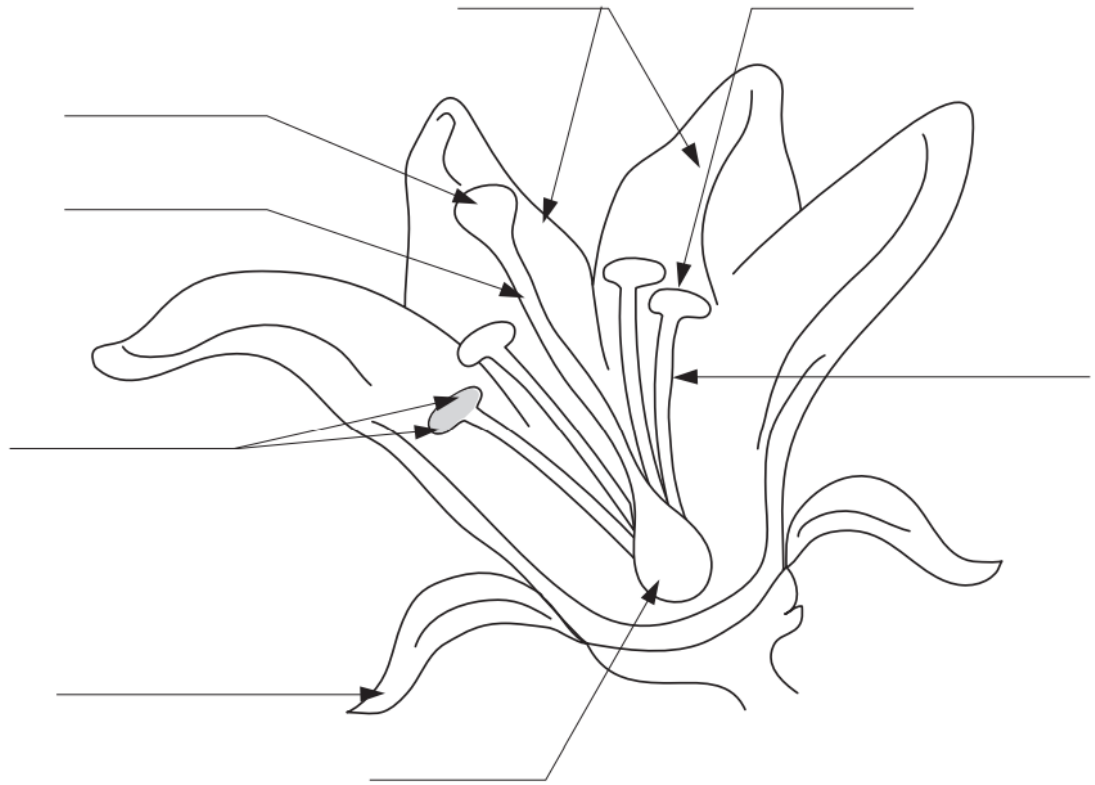
- 1. RED 2. ORANGE 3. YELLOW
- 4. GREEN 5. BLUE 6. LT BLUE
- 7. PURPLE 8. WHITE 9. BLACK

		4			7	8	3	
	1		9	3		7		5
3	5	7			4	1		
	3				2	9	8	4
				8	1			
	2					6		
4	7	3	2		8			1
2	6		1				7	8
5		1	6			4		

Wondering where our Clipart comes from visit?:



Label and color the parts of the flower



Glossary of Flower Parts:

Petals -- the colorful, thin structures that surround the pollination parts of the flower

Sepal -- commonly green, leaflike structures that protect the bud prior to opening

Anther -- the bright sac that produces and contains the pollen grains

Filament -- the stalk that supports the anther

Pollen grains -- the powdery particles that contain the male portions of the flower; also a nutritious, protein-rich food for bees

Stigma -- sticky surface where the pollen lands and eventually travels down toward the ovary

Style -- the narrow region of the pistil between the stigma and the ovary

Ovary -- the base of the female portion of the flower containing the seeds

*The **Stamen** or male part of the flower includes the anther and filament.*

*The **Pistil** or female part of the flower includes the stigma, style, and ovary.*

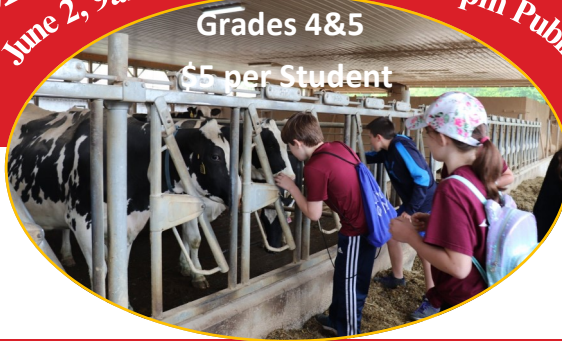
Colleen McEwen
cem347@cornell.edu
AG EDUCATOR
(315)736-3394 ext. 127

For more information visit:
<https://agclassroom.org/matrix/lesson/223/>



Farm Fest 2023

June 2, 9am-2pm Schools and 5-8pm Public
Grades 4&5
\$5 per Student



Save
the
Date

Dinitto Farm
6585 Benton Rd
Marcy, NY

Volunteers needed for evening 4-H activities follow this link to learn more:

https://reg.cce.cornell.edu/ff4h2023_230

AG & DAIRY IN THE CLASSROOM

Agriculture is the county's number one industry, and we believe in the importance of educating students and strengthening their connection to agriculture!

Oneida County and Cornell Cooperative Extension are excited to offer both the Agriculture in the Classroom and Dairy in the Classroom program to school districts within Oneida County. Both programs focus on the importance of strengthening our students' **KNOWLEDGE, AWARENESS, and APPRECIATION** for the *Dairy industry and agriculture in their local communities.*

TEACHERS grade K-12 interested in implementing agriculture based curriculum into their classrooms can contact the Oneida County Ag in the Classroom Educator, Colleen McEwen at **315-736-3394 ext. 127** or **cem347@cornell.edu** or contact **Whitney Semans for Dairy Education 315-736-3394 ext. 240** or **wcs89@cornell.edu**

We're excited to work with you and share our passion for all things agriculture

THESE ARE
FREE
PROGRAMS



The lessons, activities, learning extensions, and companion resources are aligned to New York State and Common Core Learning Standards.



My name is Whitney Semans and I am the new Dairy in the Classroom Educator, I'm so excited about joining the CCE team. In the past I was a dedicated 4-H member of Oneida County from the second grade until I aged out. There were so many wonderful opportunities throughout the years that have inspired me to try and do the same for the youth of today. My favorite program was always the annual Public Speaking competition, it gave me the confidence to join other teaching program opportunities offered through 4-H and the CCE. With my experience and skills I have learned, I will be putting my best foot forward in every classroom to educate children of all ages about the Dairy Industry.

Dairy & Agriculture in the Classroom



Oneida County 4-H Events

April 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 Club Monthly Financial Statement Due Public
2	3 Vet Science Tour	4 Regional Horse Communicatio ns	5	6	7	8
9	10	11 Discovery Days	12 Discovery Days	13 Mammoth Discovery	14	15 State Horse Bowl Vet Science Open House
16	17	18 Deadline for Dog Obedience	19 Cloverbud Club Meeting	20 Arts and Crafts Club 6-7:30pm Beef Clinic	21	22
Capital Days April 16th-18th						
23 Goat Clinic	24	25 Dog Obedience 6pm	26	27	28	29 State Dairy Bowl Contest District Public Presentations
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Oneida County 4-H Events

May 2023

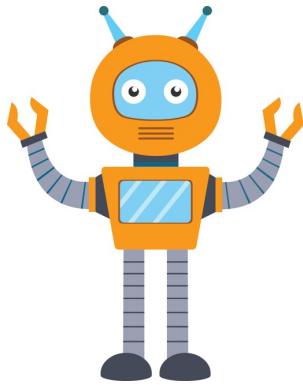
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
MAY 1ST DEADLINE TO ENROLL IN 4-H TO SHOW AT THE COUNTY/STATE FAIR						
	1 Animal Science Club Meeting Club Monthly Financial Statement Due	2 Dog Obedience 6pm	3	4	5	6 Animal Crackers
7	8	9 Dog Obedience 6pm	10	11	12	13
14	15 Animal Science Club Meeting Sheep and Swine Showmanship	16 Dog Obedience 6pm	17	18 Arts and Crafts Club 6-7:30pm	19	20
21	22	23 Dog Obedience 6pm	24	25 Arena Clean-Up	26	27
28	29 Memorial Day Office Closed	30 Dog Obedience 6pm	31			



Oneida County 4-H Events

June 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Horse Certificates Due by June 1st! \$25 Late fee after June 1st.				1 Club Monthly Financial Statement Due	2 Farmfest	3
4	5 Animal Science Club Meeting	6 Dog Obedience 6pm Deadline to register for Fun Horse Show	7 Arena Clean-Up	8	9	10 Fun Horse Show



Is anyone interested in starting a robotics club or LEGO League Team?

We have a Team that is disbanding and I have a fair amount of robotic supplies that would be very helpful for a group that wants to get started with the LEGO Robotics competition.

The former leader would also be willing to share how she ran her club and how to get started.

A LEGO Robotics team requires consistent commitment from everyone involved. Thus the word TEAM. Follow this link to learn more. <https://www.firstlegoleague.org/>

What is WHEP?

The WHEP (National Wildlife Habitat Education Program) is a hands-on environmental education program. WHEP also provides participants an opportunity to test their wildlife knowledge in a friendly competition, as each state supporting WHEP conducts an annual contest where teams of 3-4 similarly aged individuals gather. The winning senior (14-19 years of age) WHEP team from each state earns the right to attend the annual National WHEP Contest, typically held the last full week of July. The national contest moves to a different state each year.

WHEP is a 4-H and FFA youth natural resource program dedicated to teaching wildlife and fisheries habitat management to junior and senior level (ages 8-19) youth in the United States.

To learn more visit <https://www.whep.org/>

Contact Lynette if you have a youth interested in participating in the competitions. Lsk23@cornell.edu

Journey North

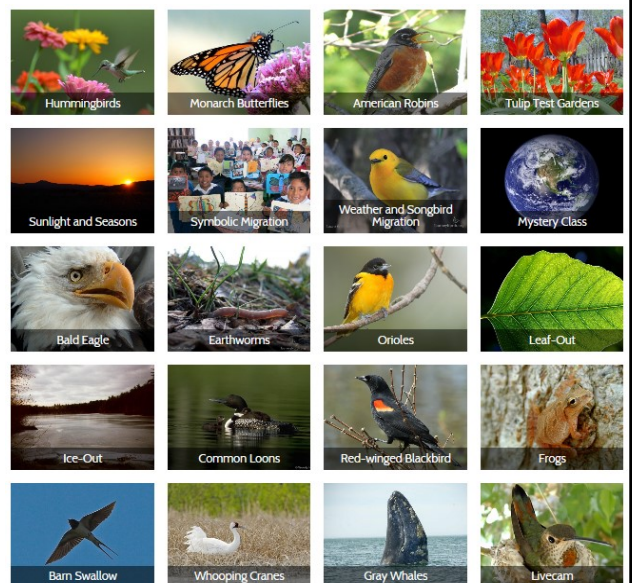
Tracking migrations and seasons

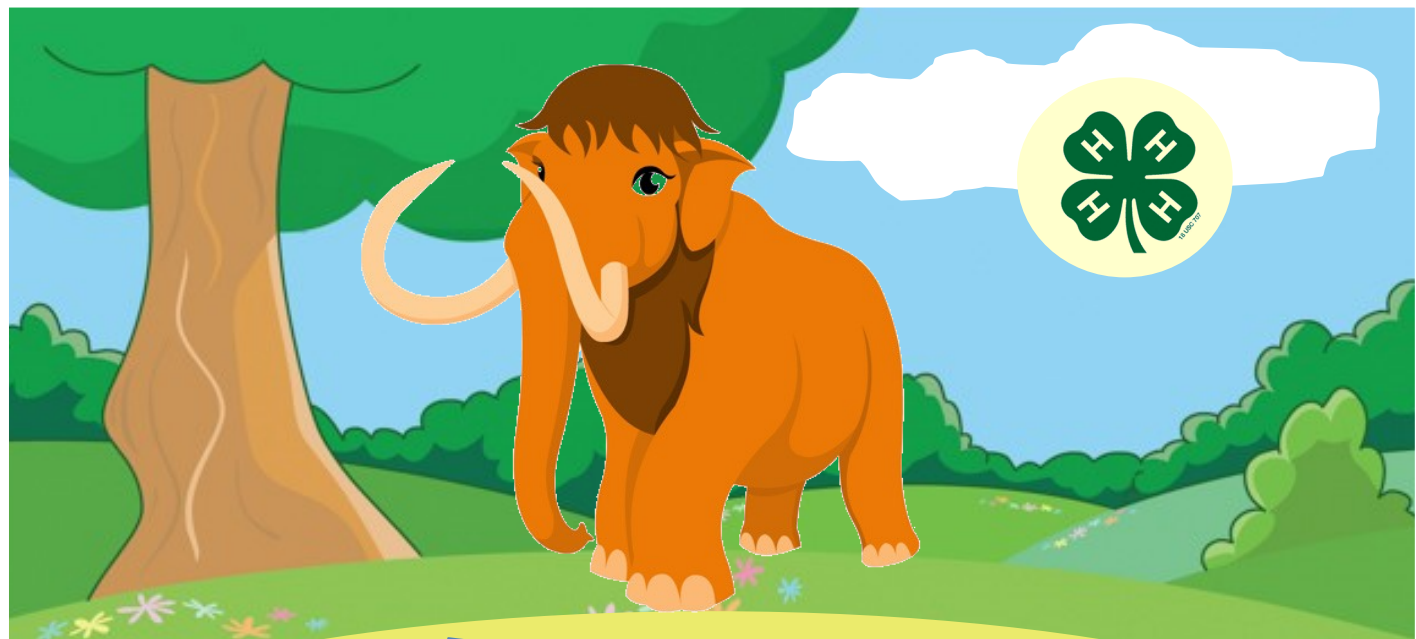


My family always had a contest as to who would spot the return of migratory birds like: Robins, Swallows, Hummingbirds, and Red winged Blackbirds.

If you want to follow the migration and share your sightings check out the Journey North website:

<https://journeynorth.org/>





Join us for a
Mammoth Discovery
April 13, 2023 from 10-2pm

Archeologist, Noel Strobino will be here at CCE Oneida County to share some of the latest paleontological and Archeology discoveries.

- Check out some fossils from creatures that roamed this area thousands of years ago.
- Learn how the mastodon and mammoth evolved to live in different environments.
- Discuss the different theories of why these amazing creatures are extinct.
- Compare modern animals to their prehistoric relatives.
- Learn how ancient humans survived during this time.

This workshop is for youth ages 5-12. Cost is \$5.00
Lunch Pizza and Salad

Space is limited Register at:

https://reg.cce.cornell.edu/md2023_230



CLOVERBUDS

CLOVERBUDS ARE YOUTH AGES 5-7

What's
in my
Barn

4-H PLEDGE

I pledge my **HEAD** to clearer thinking,
my **HEART** to greater loyalty,
my **HANDS** to larger service,
and my **HEALTH** to better living,
for my club, my community,
my country, and my world.



Cloverbuds only

Follow this link to register for this activity. Participants will be given a specific frame and are encouraged to decorate it however they choose. Project should represent the animals, equipment and family that can be found in their barn.

https://reg.cce.cornell.edu/WIMB2023_230

This will fall under
Section DC Class 1B in the
2023 Boonville Fair Book.

When you register for this project you agree to have your project shown and evaluated at the Boonville Fair in 2023

Cloverbud Club

NEW!

Join us here at CCE Oneida for a monthly get together with projects and activities designed for our Cloverbud Members.

Dates 4/19, 5/17, 6/21 from 5:30-7pm

Registration will be required one week in advance so that we have enough supplies on hand.



<http://cceoneida.com/4-h-youth-development> or goo.gl/1YDnn7

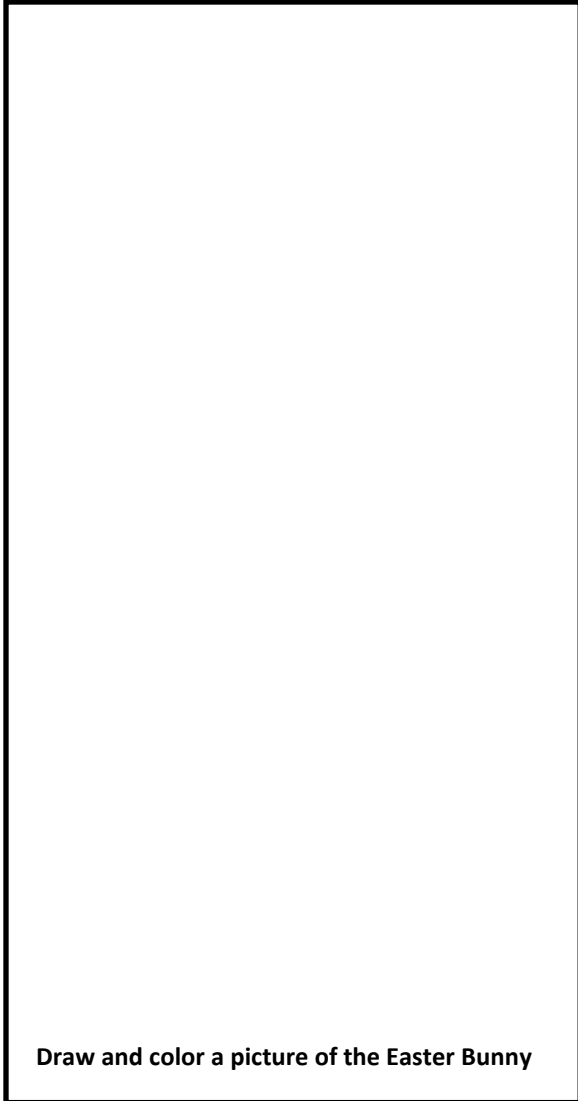
SCROLL AND CLICK ON THE CLOVER

C	H	I	C	K	L	I	L	Y	D	H
N	C	J	N	E	G	G	S	L	Y	R
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Easter Word Search



- | | | |
|--------|---------|--------|
| BASKET | FLOWERS | PALM |
| BUNNY | GRASS | PARADE |
| CHICK | HIDE | RABBIT |
| DYE | HUNT | SEARCH |
| EASTER | LAMB | SPRING |
| EGGS | LILY | SUNDAY |
| FIND | NEST | TULIPS |



1. What do you get when you cross a rabbit with a frog?
2. What day does an Easter egg hate the most.
3. What is the Easter Bunny's favorite sport?
4. How do you know if the Easter Bunny is in a good mood?



Answers on Page 4

Draw and color a picture of the Easter Bunny

What happens if you soak an uncooked egg in the shell in a cup of vinegar or Coke?

Leave it in for a few days.....



STARR May 19-21, 2023 4-H Camp Shankitunk

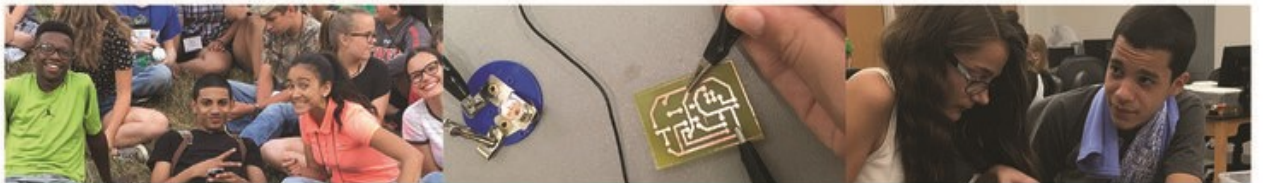
What is STARR?

STARR, also known as the State Teen Action Reps Retreat, is typically an annual weekend experience for 4-H teens from across New York State to get together to build leadership skills as well as network with peers and adults from across the state.

STARR encompasses the best of team building activities, youth community action & youth adult partnerships in one fun-filled, fast-paced weekend. Participants gain new skills and knowledge by attending workshops of their choice, learning how to “make the best better” and participating in awesome community services activities!

Please join us for an exciting opportunity to gain new skills and knowledge all while making new friends and having UN!

Watch this website for updates: <https://nys4-h.org/starr>



June 27 – 29, 2023

For over 90 years, the New York State 4-H Office has hosted the annual Career Explorations Conference on the Cornell Campus. Nearly 500 4-H youth and chaperones attend the action-packed, three-day event to immerse themselves in exploring their future education, career opportunities, and to experience Cornell University and campus life! Cornell faculty and graduate students conduct engaged-learning workshops in two age-specific tracks:

- 1) Focus for Teens programs for youth entering grades 10-12
- 2) University U programs for youth entering grades 8-9

Over 20 programs are offered to help youth understand what a particular career field entails, what type of education they would need to pursue, and to learn from the experiences of the Program Facilitators.

For more info visit: <https://nys4-h.org/career-explorations>

The Boonville-Oneida County Fair is seeking the help from the next generation of AGvocates!

The fair board is looking for anyone from the age of 13 to 17 that may be interested in becoming a Junior Associate Fair Director. This is the perfect opportunity for any teen that would like to be involved in the planning, organizing and execution of the County Fair.

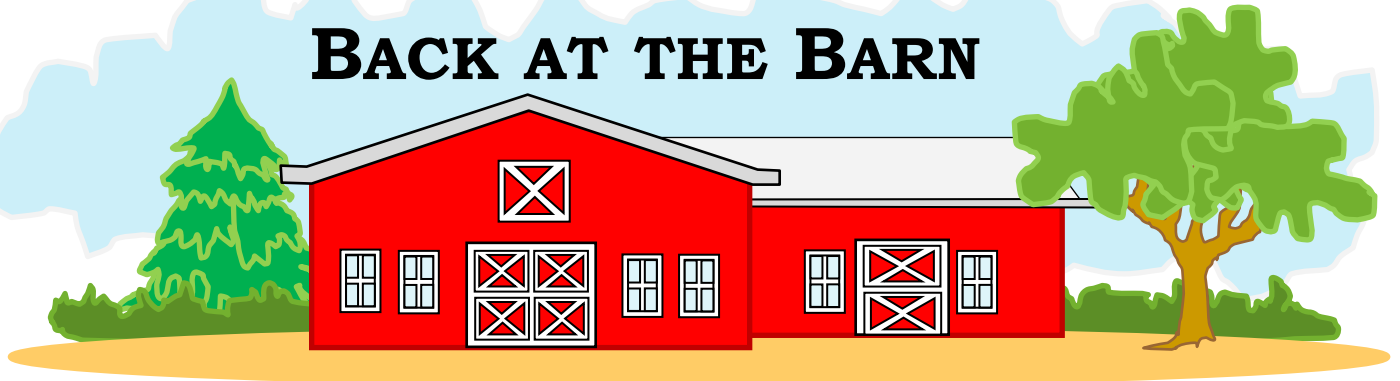


Please feel free to reach out to Cassandra Brooks at (845)901-1155 or CassandraLBrooks@gmail.com for more information.

Teen Resume Builders

- **Multi State Public Presentations**– Last year was the first year there was a Multi State Public Presentation Event. Plans are underway to participate again this year. Youth will be competing against 4-H Youth from Delaware, Maine, NY, NJ, PA, Connecticut, West Virginia. If you are interested then you must advance from each level of competition starting with our local County Event then Districts then the NY State selection event.
- 4-H'ers who compete in the **Regional Horse Bonanza** Contests have the opportunity to qualify for the State Contests and from there even the National 4-H Horse Roundup in Louisville, Kentucky!!
- Consider being the **Oneida County Capital Days Representative**
- **Horse Communications**- Very similar to Public Presentations this is an advancement opportunity. Contact Lisa with questions
- **Consider being a Officer in your Club.**
 1. The **President** of a club presides over meetings, builds the meeting agenda, assures that the meeting runs in an orderly manner and strives to make sure all members' opinions are heard.
 2. **Vice Presidents** fill in for the president and presides over the meeting if the president is absent,
 3. The **Secretary** records all of the business of the meeting and a record of each member's attendance.
 4. **Treasurers** are responsible for keeping track of and reporting the income and expenses for the club.

BACK AT THE BARN



Livestock Fitting and Showmanship Clinics

Would you like to learn more about livestock fitting and showmanship?

Attend one or all depending on the species you are interested in. Participants will get hands on experience showing them how to get their animal ready for show and what to expect when you get into the show ring. Pre-registration is required, so call the

Herkimer 4-H office 315-866-7920

by April 14 and let them know which one(s) you would like to register for.

- April 20– Beef Cattle-Arabeth Farm, Jordanville, 5:30pm
- April 23– Goats-Haha Acres, Poland 2:00pm
- May 15– Sheep and swine– Top Notch Livestock, Jordanville 5:30pm



THE FARMERS'
MUSEUM

SAVE THE DATE. The 75th Farmers Museum Junior Livestock Show. July 9th to 11th, 2023 All entire and show book will be electronic and will be made available in May. This show is open to all 4-H members ages 8 to 18 that show, meat goats, dairy goats, sheep, pigs, beef cattle and dairy cattle.

FREE Pullorum Testing - MANDATORY testing for all Poultry

Link: https://reg.cce.cornell.edu/Pullorum-2023_230

Exhibiting at the County and State Fair.

Monday, June 26th at 4pm

Location: CCE Of Oneida

RSVP by June 20th



*For Any Animal Science Program Questions contact Casey at
E: cch244@cornell.edu P: (315)736-3394 Ext. 108*

EMBRYOLOGY

Egg Incubators Rentals Available
for Youth Embryology Projects

Genesis: Model 1588 Hova-Bator w/ Automatic Egg Turner

The Genesis 1588 includes a digital control center that displays both temperature and humidity. The Genesis Hova-Bator is pre-set for bird eggs. Simply plug it in, then add water and eggs. Nothing to set up or adjust. This circulated air Hova-Bator comes with a thermometer, plastic bottom liner, and is pre-set to 99. F (38 C). Like all incubators, the 1588 requires a stable room temperature and should not be used in areas like sheds or barns. Being pre-set, this incubator delivers consistently good hatches. Excellent for classrooms, novices, and experts.

The IncuTum™ for Hovabator has been carefully engineered and tested and will fit all current Hovabator desktop incubators. The universal egg tray holds any size egg. The automatic egg turner gently rolls the eggs six times per day, which prevents the yolk from settling while exercising the embryo. This rolling action is very similar to how eggs are turned in nature.

Holds 42 Eggs

Automatic Egg Turner



Rental Terms:

\$20 for 30-day rental,
\$10 refunded upon
incubator being returned



Resources Available:

4-H Incredible Egg Program offers both classroom lessons and egg hatching guidance.

Need Fertile Eggs? We can help you find them from reliable local sources.



Jumbl: Egg Incubator

The Jumbl Fully Automatic Digital Egg Incubator is an all-in-one hatching machine. This automatic egg incubator features a temperature-controlled incubation chamber, a rotating tray system, a built-in LED candler and integrated humidity channels. The system mimics the maternal movements of mother hens by rotating the eggs every 2 hours—this ensures even warming throughout the cycle. The incubator can be used for chicks and ducklings, and you can check in on them by looking through the transparent lid. The tray comes with 6 movable dividers. You can set the ideal temperature and monitor current heat to the precise degree by using the LED dashboard. There is also an integrated fan that circulates air, creating a comfortable environment. And you never have to worry about the temperature getting too hot or too cold because an alarm will sound any time the interior temperature goes outside of your programmed settings.

Holds 15 Chicken Eggs

Automatic Turner



Contact 4-H For Availability or Questions!

P:(315) 736-3394 Ext.108
E:cch244@cornell.edu



Oneida County 4-H Basic Dog Obedience Program

Open to Youth Ages 5 to 18



When: Tuesdays
4/25, 5/2, 5/9, 5/16,
5/23, 5/30, 6/6

Time:
6 pm to 6:45 pm

Location:
CCE of Oneida County
121 Second St.
Oriskany, NY 13424

**Proof of rabies
vaccination required.**

COST:
4-H Members - \$15
Non 4-H Members - \$35

The goal of the 4-H Dog Obedience Program is for youth to have fun, bond with their dog and learn the basic skills and knowledge to train a dog in basic commands of sit, stay, down, recall and heel.

Deadline to REGISTER is April 18h:

https://reg.cce.cornell.edu/Dog2023_230

First Come, First Serve. Space is Limited.



Due Beginning of Each Month

4-H Club Financial Statement

Month _____

Year _____

Club Leader _____

Club _____

Income for the Month:

(ex: Dues, Fundraisers,	_____	\$
Donations)	_____	\$
	_____	\$
	_____	\$
	_____	\$
	_____	\$
	_____	\$

Total Income (1) \$ _____

Expenses for the Month:

(ex: Supplies, Fundraising,	_____	\$
Expenses)	_____	\$
	_____	\$
	_____	\$
	_____	\$
	_____	\$
	_____	\$

Total Expenses (2) \$ _____

Difference between Income (1) and Expenses (2) (3) \$ _____

Beginning balance (according to bank statement) (4) \$ _____

Ending balance (Add or subtract lines 3 & 4) \$ _____

Balance must equal bank account.

Club Treasurer _____ **Date:** _____

Organizational Leader _____ **Date:** _____

4-H Meeting Attendance Log
 (Attach to Monthly Financial Statement)

Club: _____ Today's Date: _____

Check One	Print Name	Phone Number	Proof of Membership Card?	
			YES	NO
4-H Member				
Parent/				

Club Leader Signature: _____ Date: _____

Secretary/Club Monthly Report to the Oneida County 4-H Office

This report should be filled out completely by the club secretary after the last club meeting of the month and mailed to the county 4-H office. Report may also be submitted by fax or e-mail.

MONTH OF _____ Date mailed _____

NAME OF CLUB _____ Leader _____

Meetings Held

Date of Meetings	Activity or Purpose of Meeting	Number of Members in Club	Members Present	Others Present

Story of 4-H club activities: such as parents' night, trips, special activities, committees, etc.:

Special request to 4-H office: (Permission to Raise Funds, Fundraiser Advertising, Etc.)

Attendance:

Balance in the treasury the last day of the month:

Meetings for the coming month:

Date	Time	Place

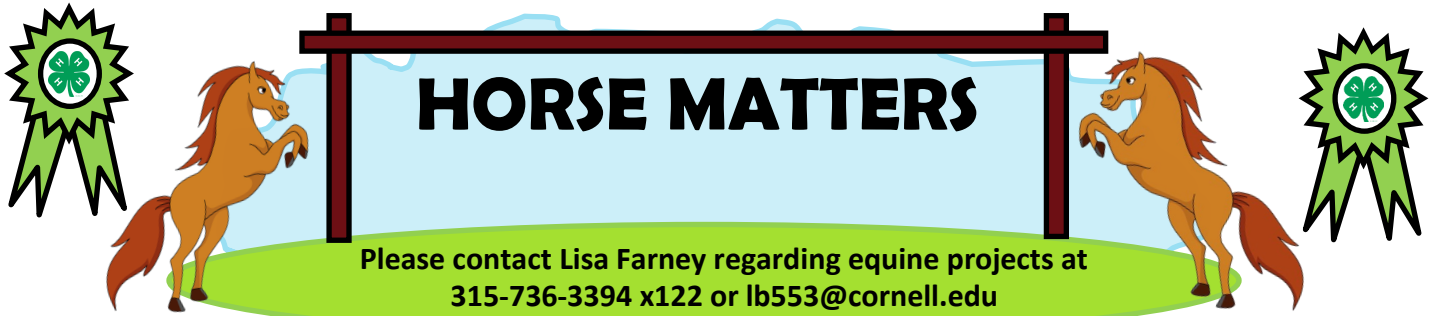
Signed:

4-H Club Secretary

Signed:

4-H Club Leader

ATTACH ANY MEETING PHOTOS



2023 Regional Horse Bowl and Hippology Results!

The Regional Horse Bonanza went smoothly despite having to utilize our snow date! I hope everyone had a fun time and learned something along the way! Lewis County CCE was a gracious host and the facility was great!

Senior Lanelle Vile joined a Onondaga County Senior Team where they placed 2nd overall in Horse Bowl and 1st Overall in Hippology. Lanelle placed 8th in Horse Bowl and 7th in Hippology.

Oneida County had the only two Junior Teams so they took 1st and 2nd place for Horse Bowl and Hippology!

Horse Bowl Junior Top 10 Individual Placings:

- 1) Emily O'Brien
- 2) Eden Czajka
- 3) Ryleigh Stammers
- 4) Colin Sullivan
- 5) Isabella Barnhart
- 6) Melanie Beers
- 7) Dixie Wilson
- 8) Martin Luther



Hippology Junior Top 10 Individual Placings:

- 1) Emily O'Brien
- 2) Isabella Barnhart
- 3) Dixie Wilson
- 4) Eden Czajka
- 5) Colin Sullivan
- 6) Melanie Beers
- 7) Ryleigh Stammers
- 8) Martin Luther



Our Novice Team placed 2nd in Horse Bowl and 1st in Hippology. Grace Barrett placed 4th in Horse Bowl and 6th in Hippology. Sophia Arcuri placed 7th in Horse Bowl and 3rd in Hippology. Caleb Beers placed 6th in Horse Bowl and 5th in Hippology. Elijah Beers placed 5th in Horse Bowl and 7th in Hippology.

This first two weeks of
Veterinary Science Exploration
are off to a great start!



Week one was held at the CCE Oneida Office with Dr. Brockway from Delta Lake Veterinary Hospital. She discussed veterinary careers, making your pet's healthcare plan and dog anatomy (pictured above.)

Week two was held at Tayl-Wind Farm with Dr. Amy, from Leatherstocking Veterinary Services, she did a calf pulling demonstration (pictures below of the calf pulling simulator Dr. Amy made!) and attendees were given a tour of the farm!





A huge “Thank You” to Dr. Julia Brigandi from Countryside Veterinary Clinic for being our guest presenter this week at Vet Science to talk about “Aging Horses By Their Teeth”! Dr. Brigandi is a former 4-H member herself from Oswego County 4-H! The 4-H members learned about the basic vital signs of horses, what kind of teeth horses have and then they were able to look at the teeth of various horses to try to guess their ages. We also appreciate DJ Farm and the Foothills 4-H Saddle Club for hosting our 4-H Vet Science group and furnishing a variety of horses to look at!



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

CALLING ALL VOLUNTEERS!
WE NEED YOUR HELP!



Volunteers are needed for Arena Cleanup on **May 25th (6:00-7:30 pm)**, **June 7th (6:00 7:30 pm)** and **July 21st (6:00-8:00 pm)** and the Oneida County 4-H Schooling/Fun Show on **June 10th** at the Boonville Fairgrounds



Register today by scanning the QR code or go online at https://reg.cce.cornell.edu/4-HHorseHelp_230

Jan. – Feb. Horse and Arts and Crafts workshop held at CCE

Pictures at the right are some of the participants in the horse workshops with their Faux Stained Glass projects.

Don't forget to enter these in the Fair See page 17

Horse workshops topics covered

- Horse Safety & Handling
- Ranch Riding and Roping
- Hoof Beats, Gaits
- Breeds, Colors and Markings, Oh My!
- Horsing Around with Equine Behavior
- Hay! Equine Nutrition
- Saddle Up, Tack & Equipment

Arts and Crafts projects done

- Painted Horse Shoes
- Cardboard Cutout
- Wooden Horse Head
- Stained Glass
- Horse Mask
- Seed Art



Try your hand at 4-H Horse Bowl Questions!

Submit your answers to Lisa at LB553@cornell.edu, those that answer at least 7 questions correctly will be entered into a drawing for a prize!

Answers received by May 15th will be entered in the drawing.

- 1) What is the term for a horse of unknown or non-registered ancestry or breeding?
- 2) What is the scientific name of the horse?
- 3) What saddle is designed with two pommels and one stirrup and to have both the rider's legs on the same side of the saddle?
- 4) Name the kind of stirrup that has a heavy rubber band instead of solid metal on the outside of the stirrup iron.
- 5) What is the type of horseshoe plate that screws onto the bottom of the shoe and can be removed to apply medication?
- 6) At what age of the horse does the Galvayne's groove extend fully down the length of the tooth?
- 7) Which salivary gland of the horse is located beneath the tongue?
- 8) What breed of horses were used to perform Haute Ecole at the Spanish Riding School in Vienna?
- 9) What is the forelimb injury when the flexor tendon is strained and bulges on the back of the horse's front leg rather than laying flat?
- 10) What is the best method for visually assessing whether your horse's diet is meeting their nutritional needs?

HORSE CONTEST!

**4-H FUN
HORSE SHOW
@ the
Boonville
Fairgrounds
June 10 2023**



4-H FUN SHOW CLASS LIST

1. Senior Showmanship
2. Junior Showmanship
3. Novice Showmanship
4. Open Showmanship – Mini
5. Open Equitation Over Fences (X-Rails)
6. Open Hunter Hack (X-Rails)
7. Cloverbud-Leadline
8. Cloverbud–Pleasure
9. Cloverbud – Equitation
10. Open Hunter in Hand – Mini
11. Senior Hunter under Saddle
12. Junior Hunter under Saddle
13. Novice Hunter under Saddle
14. Open Jumper in Hand – Mini
15. Senior Hunt Seat Pleasure
16. Junior Hunt Seat Pleasure
17. Novice Hunt Seat Pleasure
18. Senior Hunt Seat Equitation
19. Junior Hunt Seat Equitation
20. Novice Hunt Seat Equitation
21. Open Pleasure Driving
22. Senior Western Pleasure
23. Junior Western Pleasure
24. Novice Western Pleasure
25. Open Reinsmanship Driving
26. Senior Stock Seat Equitation
27. Junior Stock Seat Equitation
28. Novice Stock Seat Equitation
29. Senior Horsemanship
30. Junior Horsemanship
31. Novice Horsemanship
32. Open Ranch Riding (Walk/Trot/Canter)
33. Open Ranch Pleasure (Walk/Trot/Canter)

34. Open Cloverleaf (Walk/Trot/Canter)
35. Novice Cloverleaf
36. Open Figure 8 Barrels (Walk/Trot/Canter)
37. Novice Figure 8 Barrels
38. Open Pole Bending (Walk/Trot/Canter)
39. Novice Pole Bending
40. Trail Obstacle Practice

**NEW CHANGE TO SHOW A HORSE
AT THE COUNTY FAIR!**

REMINDER!

A County Horse Communication OR Participation in Regional Horse Bowl & Hippology is MANDATORY if you are planning on showing a horse at the Boonville Oneida County Fair.

IF you failed to meet the above requirements contact Lisa 315-736-3394 ASAP to find out your Community Service Options

**Do I Need A Riding or Ground Skills
Evaluation to Show at the Fair?!?**

Yes, If you are:

- A NEW 4-H member or Cloverbud who hasn't shown in 4-H before
- A 4-H member moving up a riding level (Example: Walk/Trot to Walk/Trot/Canter, Not an Age Level Ex. Junior to Senior Division)
- Any 4-H member using a different horse/pony than previously evaluated on

See this link for more information or to register for your evaluation:

https://reg.cce.cornell.edu/EqEvals23_230



County Fair Horse Show Information!

DEADLINE TO SIGN UP: JULY 1st



Need a Stall for Fair Week??

https://reg.cce.cornell.edu/StallAgree23_230

English Day is Wednesday,
July 26th

Comprised Hunt Seat, Mini
Horse and Driving Divisions

[https://reg.cce.cornell.edu/
CFEnglish23_230](https://reg.cce.cornell.edu/CFEnglish23_230)

Western Day is Thursday,
July 27th

Comprised of Western and
Ranch Divisions

[https://reg.cce.cornell.edu/
CFWestern23_230](https://reg.cce.cornell.edu/CFWestern23_230)

Gymkhana Day is Friday,
July 29th

Comprised of Gymkhana
and Mounted Games

[https://reg.cce.cornell.edu/
CFGymkhana23_230](https://reg.cce.cornell.edu/CFGymkhana23_230)

Jr.— Exhibitors under the age of
14 as of January 1st, current year

Sr.—Exhibitors 14 years of age and over as of January 1st,
current year

Open—Any exhibitor 9-18 years old as of January 1st, cur-
rent year (No Cloverbuds)

Cloverbud— Limited to Cloverbud Exhibitors (5-8 years old
as of January 1st, current year)

Novice—Limited to Walk/Trot Exhibitors Ages 9-18 as of
January 1st, current year (Not allowed to cross enter into
any class requiring a lope, Not State Fair Eligible)



Horse Certificates are due by June 1st

See Form on the next page. Include a copy of your
horse's 2022 Rabies Certificate and Coggins
Certificate (Dated 2022 or 2023).

Contact Lisa ASAP if you are waiting on the vet or
copies of coggins paperwork! Plan ahead now!

Showmanship Tips!

- Practice precise turns
- Back with a light touch
- Mix up how you practice patterns
- Look up and make sure you know your pattern
- Show off you confidence and personality!

If you want to learn more about how to ace your showmanship class Alice Jones wants to help you! She has many years of experience showing and showmanship has always been one of her favorite classes!

**Join us for a *Showmanship & Show
Prep Clinic***

Tentatively planned for June 19th

Stay tuned for more details and how to
register!

NYS 4-H HORSE CERTIFICATE

Personally owned
 Family owned
 Non-owned
 (See non-ownership policy/reverse side)



Date 20

DUE BY JUNE 1st
\$25 Late Fee Applied After The 1st

Name of Animal

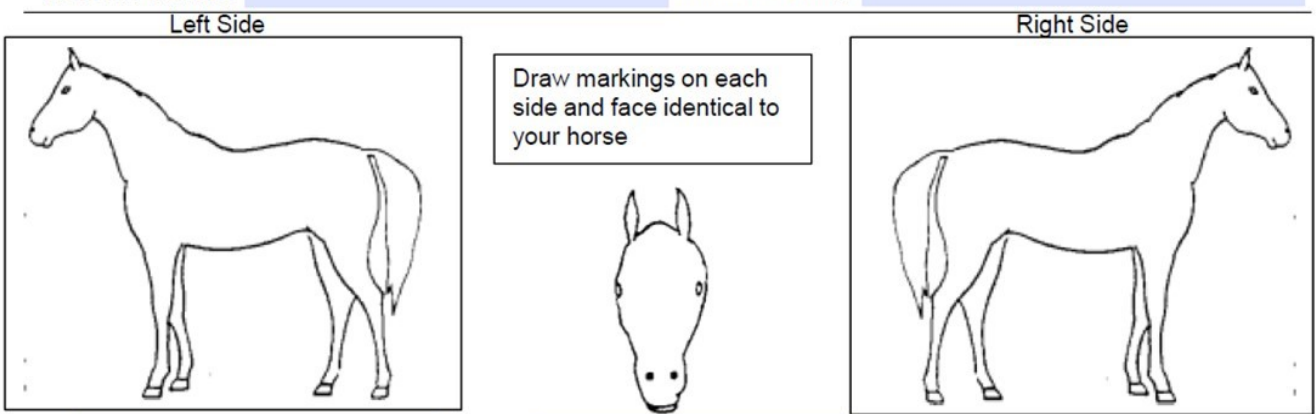
Date Animal Born (Mo.) (Day) (Yr.) Sex M G

Name of Sire

Name of Dam

Registry/Breed Reg. No.

Date of Purchase Member County



Color Owner

Height Address

Weight (Zip)

Signature of Owner

This animal has been officially designated as the 4-H project animal of the 4H'er as of June 1 of the current project year.

Name of 4-H'er

Address

Zip

Telephone Email

Member's Signature

Parent/Guardian

Address

Zip

Telephone Email

Parent/Guardian Signature

4-H Leader Name

Address

Zip

Telephone Email

Leader's Signature

Educator County

Address

Zip

Telephone Email

CCE Educator Signature

Remember to include a copy of your current Coggin's test - test dated this year or last year. *Proof of rabies vaccination required - must be current, given more than 14 days prior to arrival at fairgrounds, and remain current for duration of the Fair.
 Remember to follow Animal Health requirements for Admission to New York State and County Fairs:
<http://www.agriculture.ny.gov/AI/vet.html>. Consult your veterinarian.
 See reverse side for important information

NEW YORK YOUTH LIVESTOCK “NON-OWNERSHIP” POLICY

The exhibitor, upon request to the event sponsor, shall provide proof of ownership of any exhibit.

This **certificate** verifies that a 4-H member in New York has enrolled this animal as a 4-H Project Animal by June 1 of the current year.

For all “non-owned” animals, the 4-H member and the owner of the animal have entered an agreement. A lease agreement allows a 4-H member to use the specified animal as a 4-H project.

Cornell Cooperative Extension (CCE) encourages the use of written lease agreements, however, it is the responsibility of the exhibitor and the animal owner to agree upon the lease terms. Neither CCE nor Cornell University is legally involved in writing, implementing or terminating any lease agreements.

The following bill was legally adopted by the NYS Department of Agriculture & Markets July 1987.

Exhibits shall have been owned by the exhibitor for a period of at least (30) days prior to the entry of the exhibit provided, however, that any animal exhibit entered in a youth fair, youth exhibition or 4-H show or exhibition shall have been in the care of the exhibitor for a period of at least (60) days prior to entry of the exhibit.

CCE staff and state program administrators have maintained the following philosophy since 1987.

Non-owner/lease opportunities are intended for youth who do not already own an animal of this type. For exhibition purposes, youth are limited to one non-owned breeding class animal of this type.

Specific for Equine:

The only approved NYS Horse Program exceptions are donkey, mule, miniature equine, and driving equine (used only for driving). In which cases a youth may own or lease an equine and also lease a donkey, mule, miniature equine, and driving equine (used only for driving).

REMEMBER TO:

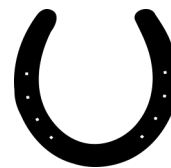
- Include a copy of your **CURRENT COGIN’S TEST** (Test dated this year or last year)
- Include proof of **RABIES VACCINATION** (Must be current; dated this year, given more than 14 days prior to the arrival to the Fairgrounds and remain current for the duration of the Fair)
- Please make sure the horse’s name on the Coggins and Rabies Certificates **matches** the horse’s name listed **on the Horse Certificate!**

Remember to follow Animal Health requirements for Admission to New York State and County Fairs:
<http://www.agriculture.ny.gov/AI/vet.html>. Consult your veterinarian.

Boonville-Oneida County Fair



OPEN HORSE SHOW - Saturday, July 29th



- Registration opens at 7:30 AM, Show Starts at 9:00 AM Sharp
- Only \$5 per Class!!
- Ribbons to 5th place; with certain classes awarding trophies or pay-backs (\$15-\$10-\$5)
- Division Champion & Reserves across 8 divisions

1. Open Halter	21. Western Pleasure – Sr.
2. Fitting and Showmanship- Sr.	22. Western Pleasure – Jr
3. Fitting and Showmanship- Jr.	23. Western Pleasure – Walk/Trot
4. Fitting & Showmanship Walk/Trot	24. Stock Seat Equitation – Sr.
5. Leadline (6 & under)	25. Stock Seat Equitation – Jr.
6. English Pleasure – Sr.	26. Stock Seat Equitation – Walk/Trot
7. English Pleasure – Jr.	27. Command Class – Sr.
8. English Pleasure – Walk/Trot	28. Command Class – Jr.
9. English Equitation- Sr.	29. Command Class – Walk/Trot
10. English Equitation- Jr.	30. Pole Bending- Sr.
11. English Equitation – Walk/Trot	31. Pole Bending- Jr.
12. Hunter Under Saddle – Sr.	32. Cloverleaf Barrels- Sr.
13. Hunter Under Saddle – Jr.	33. Cloverleaf Barrels- Jr.
14. Hunter Under Saddle – Walk/Trot	34. Quadrangle-Sr.
15. Western Horsemanship- Sr.	35. Quadrangle- Jr.
16. Western Horsemanship- Jr.	36. Straight Line Barrels- Sr.
17. Western Horsemanship – Walk/Trot	37. Straight Line Barrels- Jr.
18. Trail Class Eng/West – Sr.	38. Dash- Sr.
19. Trail Class Eng/West – Jr.	39. Dash- Jr.
20. Trail Class Eng/West – Walk/Trot	

More Horse show information on Pages 43-46



Teen Council did us proud as Hosts and Hostesses of the NY State Farm Show. Machaela Hartman, Reese Finn, Aaron Finn and Bladen Lohr. Live interview telling their 4-H Experience.

See page 4 If you want to learn more about Teen Council and how to become a Member



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