4-H S S TO DO

May 2021 POLK COUNTY

CLOVER CONNECTION

COVID-19 GUIDELINES

Number of People who can be at Events or Programs is increasing.

- •30% of room capacity with max. of 50 people allowed indoors.
- •150 people allowed for outdoor programming.
 - ~Maintain pods of 20

Pod Size Increasing to 20

- •Groups of 20 or fewer can meet together.
 - ~For example, a club or committee with 20 or fewer people.
- •If you have 21 or more people you will need to break into groups.
 - ~ For example, 34 people at a workshop could meet in a group of 17 and 17 or any combination that is less than 20 per group.

Maximum Length of Indoor Events Increasing to 4 Hours





UW-MADISON EXTENSION

What continues after April 1?

- Continued Use of Face Coverings
- No Eating Indoors
- Physical Distancing (6 ft between members outside household; 20 ft between pods)
- Hand sanitizing/disinfecting requirements
- When there is more restrictive local guidance we must follow that rather than our guidance.

For more information please visit: https://4h.extension.wisc.edu/4-h-faqs-related-to-covid-19/

4-H Online Access Updates for Families **Leaders!** Families with approved enrollment can now edit their project selections. Click on "View" near the member's name on the "Family Member List" Screen. In the column on the left side of the screen, click on "Projects". There is now an "Edit" button on the projects Clicking on Edit will page. open a window similar to the add projects screen which was completed during enrollment. Be sure to ADD and Save changes.

As updates are made to the new 4honline for access for families and club leaders we will continue to share when available. ZOOM 4-H **ACCOUNTS** AVAILABLE FOR YOUR CLUB MEETINGS OR PROJECT OFFER-INGS!! The Polk County 4-H Leaders Federation has purchased three Pro-Zoom Accounts for Polk County 4-H use. These accounts can be used for Club virtual meetings, county-wide project meetings, or county committee meetings. To access one of these accounts, please contact Matt Babcock, 4-H Leaders Federation Treasurer at babber85@gmail.com or Chuck Prissel at charles.prissel@wisc.edu

CLUB REPRESENTED WHEN THE MONEY

GETS SPENT? The Polk County 4-H Leaders Federation Board of Directors Is an Important Group for the Polk County 4-H Program. This Board Oversees the Program and Makes Important Decisions About How and Where the Financial Resources of the Program Are Spent. They Also Provide Direction for The Educational Programs. Each Club Can Send One Adult and One Youth Member as Representatives to The Board. Youth Have an Equal Voice at The Table. The Board Meets Six Times a Year.

MAY 17, 2021 7PM FAIR PARK JULY 19, 2021 7PM FAIR PARK

INVITING ALL ADULTS OR YOUTH LEADERS INTERESTED IN HELPING TO IMPROVE AND EXPAND THE SHOOTING SPORTS PROGRAM. As you

may know there have been limited classes provided to enhance the program & involvement in the Shooting Sports project. There are also only a few adult leaders. In order to keep the project going, more assistance is needed. Changes we would like to see added are actual classes held to expand the program and to explore more of the Natural Resources area. Anyone interested or has ideas on how to improve this project, please contact Chad or Stacey Lutsey or UW – Extension office.

Dear Polk County 4-H Families and Friends-

Happy Spring and welcome to Summer 2021! There are many familiar programs we are offering this year for summer, and some brand new or adapted ones too. Please continue to read our weekly e-mail blasts as well as the Clover Connections to stay informed as we begin to offer in person programs and summer events and educational activities. Turnaround time for events may be tighter than in past years as planning and preparation is taking long as we adjust and adapt our experiences and we truly appreciate your patience and understanding.

A reminder though as we do get together that ALL Wisconsin 4-H and Extension Covid safety policies include wearing of masks indoors and outdoors when six feet of distance cannot be assured must be followed. Please be respectful and helpful to ensure the safety of others. For more information visit https://4h.extension.wisc.edu/4-h-faqs-related-to-covid-19/

Fair books will soon be available on line at https://polkcountyfair.com/. Cloverbud entry forms will be mailed to Cloverbud families and will also be available online. Cloverbud forms will need to be mailed to Michelle Peterson, Superintendent of Entries at the address on the bottom of the form.

Although the last year has truly been challenging and so many times disappointing for many, working together we can assure that this summer will be fun, safe and memorable for our youth and 4-H families.

Be well-

Chuck Prissel and Eileen VanDyk

POLK COUNTY 4-H CALENDAR OF EVENTS

May

- 7: Dino Hunt- 6pm-8pm at the Balsam Lake Rod and Gun Club
- 8: Summer Camp Counselor Training-Parent Q&A, Saturday 10-11am
- 8: Rabbit Show- Steele County Fairgrounds, Owatonna, MN: Pre Entry ONLY Show!
- 9: Dairy Judging Practice starting at 6:30pm at the Dado Four Holstein Farm- Amery
- 10: Dog Project-Obedience: Beginners, 6-7pm, and Showmanship, 7:10-7:30pm, Polk County Fairground (Crops Building)
- 11: Dog Project– Agility: Foundation: 6-6:45pm, Beginners: 7-7:45pm, Intermediate & Seniors: 8-8:45pm., Polk County Fairground (Crops Building)
- 11: Dog Project–Rally: All levels are from 6pm-6:45pm at the Polk County Fairground (Crops Building)
- 13: Virtual UW- Madison Livestock Educational Programs- Meet Science Cookery, 7pm
- 17: Horticulture Mini Camp via Zoom, 6pm-7pm
- 17: Dog Project-Obedience: Beginners: 6-7pm, and Showmanship: 7:10-7:30pm, Polk County Fairground (Crops Building)
- 17: 4-H Food Stand Committee Meeting starting at 5:45pm at the 4-H Building, Fairgrounds
- 17: 4-H Ambassador Meeting starting at 6pm at the 4-H Building, Fairgrounds
- 17: 4-H Leaders Federation Board Meeting starting at 7pm at the 4-H Building, Fairgrounds
- **18:** Dog Project– Agility: Foundation: 6-6:45pm, Beginners: 7-7:45pm and Intermediate & Seniors: 8-8:45pm., Polk County Fairground (Crops Building)
- 18: Dog Project–Rally: All levels are from 6pm-6:45pm at the Polk County Fairground (Crops Building)
- **24:** Dog Project– Obedience: Beginners are from 6pm-7pm, and Showmanship are from 7:10pm-7:30pm, Polk County Fairground (Crops Building)
- **25:** Dog Project: Agility: Foundation 6-6:45pm, Beginners 7-7:45pm and Intermediate & Seniors 8-8:45pm., Polk County Fairground (Crops Building)
- 25: Dog Project-Rally: All levels are from 6pm-6:45pm at the Polk County Fairground (Crops Building)
- 31: Dog Project—Obedience: Beginners 6-7pm, and Showmanship 7:10-7:30pm, Polk County Fairground (Crops Building)

June

- 1: State Speaking & Demonstration Virtual Contest ENRTY DEADLINE: Received by June 1
- 1: Dog Project- Agility: Foundation 6-6:45pm, Beginners 7-7:45pm and Intermediate & Seniors 8-8:45pm., Polk County Fairground (Crops Building)
- 1: Dog Project–Rally: All levels are from 6pm-6:45pm at the Polk County Fairground (Crops Building)
- 7: Dog Project- Obedience: Beginners 6-7pm, and Showmanship 7:10-7:30pm, Polk County Fairground (Crops Building)
- 8: Dog Project—Agility: Foundation is from 6pm-6:45pm, Beginners are from 7pm-7:45pm and Intermediate & Seniors are from 8pm-8:45pm., Polk County Fairground (Crops Building)
- 8: Dog Project- Rally: All levels are from 6pm-6:45pm at the Polk County Fairground (Crops Building)

- 14: Annual Northwest 4-H Golf Classic, 10:30am Registration time at the Kilkarney Hills Golf Club
- 14: Dog Project- Obedience: Beginners 6-7pm, and Showmanship 7:10-7:30pm, Polk County Fairground (Crops Building)
- 15: Dog Project– Agility: Foundation is from 6pm-6:45pm, Beginners are from 7pm-7:45pm and Intermediate & Seniors are from 8pm-8:45pm., Polk County Fairground (Crops Building)
- 15: Dog Project-Rally: All levels are from 6pm-6:45pm at the Polk County Fairground (Crops Building)
- 19: Pre-Fair Shoot Balsam Lake Rod and Gun Club: 9am to Noon
- 19: Aerospace Pre-Fair Fly Off, 8:30am at the Polk County Fairgrounds
- 21: Horticulture Mini Camp via Zoom, 6pm-7pm
- 21: State Horse Bowl Contest, Dodge County Fairgrounds: ENTRY DEADLINE: Postmarked by June 1 (June 22 is also being held in case Covid-19 restrictions require splitting contest)
- 21: State Hippology Contest, Doge County Fairgrounds: Entry Deadline: Postmarked by June 1(June 22 is also being held in case Covid-19 restrictions require splitting contest)
- 21: Dog Project- Obedience: Beginners 6-7pm, and Showmanship 7:10-7:30pm, Polk County Fairground (Crops Building)
- 22: Dog Project– Agility: Foundation is from 6pm-6:45pm, Beginners are from 7pm-7:45pm and Intermediate & Seniors are from 8pm-8:45pm., Polk County Fairground (Crops Building)
- 22: Dog Project- Rally: All levels are from 6pm-6:45pm at the Polk County Fairground (Crops Building)
- 22: 4-H Day Camp at Camp Kiwanis, Marine MN
- 24: 4-H Day Camp at Camp Kiwanis, Marine MN
- 25-27: WI 4-H Hunt & Dressage Show and Clinic, Sheboygan County Fairgrounds. Entry Deadline: Postmarked by June 1.
- 26: Pre-Fair Archery St. Croix Falls Fairgrounds: 9am-Noon
- 26: Aerospace Pre-Fair Fly Off, 8:30am at the Polk County Fairgrounds
- 28: Dog Project- Obedience: Beginners 6-7pm, and Showmanship 7:10-7:30pm, Polk County Fairground (Crops Building)
- **29:** Dog Project– Agility: Foundation is from 6pm-6:45pm, Beginners are from 7pm-7:45pm and Intermediate & Seniors are from 8pm-8:45pm., Polk County Fairground (Crops Building)
- 29: Dog Project- Rally: All levels are from 6pm-6:45pm at the Polk County Fairground (Crops Building)

July

- 5: Dog Project- Obedience: Beginners 6-7pm, and Showmanship 7:10-7:30pm, Polk County Fairground (Crops Building)
- 6: Dog Project—Agility: Foundation is from 6pm-6:45pm, Beginners are from 7pm-7:45pm and Intermediate & Seniors are from 8pm-8:45pm., Polk County Fairground (Crops Building)
- 6: Dog Project– Rally: All levels are from 6pm-6:45pm at the Polk County Fairground (Crops Building)
- 8: 4-H Clothing Revue
- 10: Dog Show/Judging for Premiums (Pre-Fair) Polk County Fairgrounds
- 12: Horticulture Mini Camp via Zoom, 6pm-7pm
- 17: Cat Show (more information to follow)
- 17: Championship Aerospace Fly-Off, 8:30am at the Polk County Fairgrounds

Our Summer Program Guidance Begins JUNE 1, 2021:

- Indoor events are at 50% of room capacity up to 350 people
- Outdoor events may have up to 500 people
- Time limits have been removed for indoor and outdoor day programs
- Eating continues to be allowed outdoor
- Physical distancing six feet apart continues to be required
- Face coverings continue to be required indoors, and, are only required outdoors when 6 feet of distance cannot be maintained
- There is information on the website to support planning:
 - * When to use Pods
 - * Eating indoors
 - * Operating food stands

• We honor any additional guidelines from the local County Health Department.

Remember that the best resource is always your local 4-H Educator and it is important to continue to plan activities and events with them. Our website, 4h.extension.wisc.edu/4-hfaqs-related-tocovid19/ contains up-to-date guidance and resources to help you plan.

In addition to COVID guidance, we are working to assure that save, high-quality 4-H experiences are available throughout the state.

- We have created a new webpage to share some of what is planned this summer: https://4h.extension.wisc.edu/4-h-summer-programming/
- We've updated some policies. Please take the time to read the polices and discuss anything that is unclear with your 4-H Educator.
- If you are planning a camp or travel, you will need to work closely with your 4-H Educator. The process for securing facilities and buses has changed!

We appreciate your hard work and dedication through the challenges of the last year. We thank you for your patience and ask for your continued commitment to Grow 4-H!

LOOKING FOR SOME-THING FUN TO DO TO GET OUTSIDE AND MAYBE EARN A

POLK COUNTY SHOOTING SPORTS IS TEAMING UP WITH WISCONSIN DNR TO PROVIDE A FUN WAY TO LEARN ABOUT AND EXPLORE THE OUTDOORS AND LEARN ABOUT NATURE.

- •You DO NOT need to be signed up in Shooting sports to participate. Just download the booklet or ask that one be printed for you and do the activities! This is a great way to do nature activities, scavenger hunt, games, hikes and crafts to help you explore Wisconsin's outdoors
- •There are three age levels in the Wisconsin Explorer program (3-5 years, 6-8 years and 9 years and up). Three themes help kids explore different parts of the great outdoors. With nine booklets, a three-year-old can begin the program this year and participate until age eleven without repeating a booklet.
- •The program is designed to be completed by an individual youth with an adult to help, if you want to earn a patch from the DNR. Groups can do the activities together but cannot earn patches this way.
- •Older youth who want to work with younger youth or siblings & teach the activities, could do this in a Leadership role. It is suggested the groups be no larger than 5.
- •During Covid-19, the DNR contact person is working from home. To avoid multiple calls and out of courtesy to the program director, please text (preferred), call 715-541-4242 or email: Stacey.Lutsey@gmail.com if you have any questions. Questions will then be addressed, and your calls returned. We also have a copy of the patches if you want to see them.

Booklets can be found at: Wisconsin Explorer Program and choose the tab that lists the program for the age levels of (3-5 years, 6-8 years and 9 years and up.)

AEROSPACE Pre-Fair Flying/ Launching Dates



To receive premiums and ribbons in lot numbers 1-17 and 23-28, flying and launching sessions will be held at the Polk County Fair Park on Saturday, June 19 and June 26, 2021. Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. and goes until 9:30 a.m. Championship session will be held on July 17 with check-ins starting at 8:30 a.m. and flying and judging to follow. You must be register to fly! If you have questions, contact Matt Babcock at 612-308-8888, or babber85@gmail.com

To qualify for the championship model airplane and model rocket fly-off in lots 1-17 you must fly three categories: hand launch, catapult launch,



and rubber powered. Lots 23-28 must fly two categories; target accuracy and parachute duration, an exhibitor must have attended one of the first two sessions and earned at least one blue ribbon in any of the model airplane or model rocket lots numbers from 1-17 and 23-28.

4-H CLOTHING REVIEW

Clothing Review is scheduled for Thursday, July 8, 7:00 PM at the 4-H Building on the Fair Grounds. Reg-

istration information will be emailed directly to Clothing Project members. Members must also enter the Clothing Review on their fair entry form. Exploring Project Members are also eligible for the Clothing Review.

RABBIT PROJECT

To those enrolled in the Rabbit Project for this year.

There are ways to learn more about the rabbit project while waiting for work shops that will be taking

place as soon as the fairgrounds are available. Attending a rabbit show can be very helpful, and fun. Here is an opportunity to attend a rabbit show sponsored by the Rochester Area Rabbit Club.

When: May 8, 2021

Where: Steele County Fairgrounds

How: Pre entry only show, contact Show Secretary, Karla Novey at 507-281-0156 or at dknov@kmwb.net.

Questions?

Call Becky Larson: 715-294-2830, cell 651-278-2830

or ardl@centurylink.net

Call Brenda Brandt: 715-294-2214 or henry022@centurytel.net



SHOOTING SPORTS 2021 SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Due to an unforeseen circumstance, the Archery portion of this year's Pre-Fair Shoot is being rescheduled. Archery will be held on Saturday, June 26th, from 9am to Noon at the Fair Park in St. Croix Falls. While this isn't ideal, it should make both days go more quickly and you get a whole extra week to practice!! So, make sure to mark your calen-

dars, update your phones, and plan to bring your best shot to this year's Pre-Fair Shoot.

REMEMBER: Bring your bow and at least 5 arrows.

AIR RIFLE, .22, AND TRAP WILL BE HELD:

Saturday, June 19th 9am to Noon

Balsam Lake Rod and Gun Club

ARCHERY ONLY:

Saturday June 26th 9am to Noon

Fair Park, St. Croix Falls (Fairgrounds)



<u>Remember:</u> Bring your own Air Rifle and pellets or .22 and shells. Some .22 ammo will be available for purchase at the Shoot. If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to any of us on the Shooting Sports Committee

ATTENTION 4-H CAT PROJECT MEMBERS; PET PAL &

CAVY PROJECT MEMBERS! This year the Polk County Fair Cat

Show will be held prior to the Polk County Fair, on Saturday, July 17. All cats will be vet checked at 10am and all cage decorating will be done by show time. Show time is at 10:30am. Cats are to be left in cages until show is done. Please see the Polk County Fair Premium book for cage dimensions and more details. Also, Pet Pals and Cavies will judge this day, beginning at noon.

ATTENTION DOG PROJECT

MEMBERS! The Polk County Pre-Fair Dog

Show will be held two weeks before the fair, on Saturday July 10th, at the Polk County Fairgrounds in St. Croix Falls. Registration begins at 8am and judging begins at 9am. Please mark your calendars now for the pre-fair event.

POLK COUNTY FAIR SIGN CONTEST

The Polk County Fair Board is again spon-

soring an outdoor sign contest to promote the Polk County Fiar. The sign must be at least 4 feet by 8 feet (4x8). You must include the Polk County Fair dates, July 28,29,30,31 & Aug. 1 at St Croix Falls, and your club name must appear on the sign. Sign should be up by July 1st, the sign needs to be on private land, not on the road right of way. Get permission from the landowner.

Submit a color 8x10 photograph and the location of your sign by July 20th to:

Judy Bainbridge 2267 170th St

Luck, WI 54853 Phone: 715-553-0801

Judging will be based on creativity and advertisement value and judging will be done by the Polk County Fair Board. Only news signs will be judged for the first place award of \$200.00 or the second place of \$100.00. All clubs that submit a photo will receive \$50.00 for one sign. Sign should be taken down by August 5th.

THE FAIR THEME FOR THIS YEAR IS: A GOAT LOAD OF

CALLING ALL GOLFERS!

The Northwest 4-H Golf Classic is back and ready for you to enjoy a great day of golfing with friends, good food, and fundraising for 4-H. Please see the brochure in the 4-H newsletter. 4-H Clubs are asked to provide an item for the silent auction. This could be a gift basket or gift items from local artisans or craftsmen to combined with objects from other donors to make up a prize.

WE ARE EXCITED TO OFFER THE 2021 BARRON-POLK

PERFORMANCE ARTS FESTIVAL in an online format. We encourage youth to video-record their pieces and upload entries to this site for judging. Unfortunately we are unable to accommodate non-household groups. All individual categories are open and youth sharing households may enter duet/team events in the categories listed. Please contact Chuck Prissel at charles.prissel@wisc.edu

There are 3 ways to submit your files

- 1) Using a Google Form to register and separate BOX site to upload file
- 2) Submitting a link to a YouTube video, or other site. Options 1 and 2 are included or the same form
- 3) Using your Google account (Gmail) and submitting via Google Form-you MUST have a google log-in to do this

Entries and Information can be found at https://sites.google.com/wisc.edu/performance2021

THE ROBOTICS PROJECT COMMITTEE WOULD LIKE TO INVITE YOU TO A ROBOTICS EXPLORATORY WORKSHOP for all Polk County 4

-H youth registered for or just interested in Robotics who are 9 to 17 years old. The Exploratory Workshop will be "In-person" Thursday, May 20th from 7:00 pm. to 8:30 pm. at First Presbyterian Church at 719 Nevada St., St. Croix Falls. Advanced registration is required, we have fifteen spots on a first come first serve basis. 4-H Covid guidelines will be followed, wearing masks will be required.

In this workshop youth will have a chance to "sample" various levels of complexities in Robotics. Youth will have an opportunity to work with Sphero balls and learn to program them to run/light/sound in various complexities of courses. They will also have a chance to build EV3 Robots and begin to learn to program them to use various sensors and run various challenges.

The 4-H Robotics project committee is looking to work with your 4-H youth to gain insights from your youth as to what features they would like to pursue further in follow-up Robotics workshops in the near future.

To Register, please email the following information to Shirley (smillerfrey@gmail.com) by May 15th

1) Name of Youth: 2) Age of Youth: 3) 4-H Club Youth is in:

4) Is Youth Registered in the Robotics Project? Yes or No

5) Name of Parent: 6) Contact # for Parent: 7) Email for Parent:

8) Is Parent Wanting to Participate this Evening with Youth? Yes or No

PO-CROIX-BAR 4-H Day Camps for 2021!!!

We are excited to offer two, single day camp experiences on June 22 and June 24 at the beautiful Camp Kiwanis, in Marine MN for youth in 3rd grade through 6th grade!! Come explore the camp where in 2022 we will again host 4-H Summer Overnight Camps! Day Camp activities this year include: riding horses, canoeing, swimming, experience nature, hiking, fishing, arts and crafts, archery and much more during this day long experience! Transportation is included via school busses with pick-up and drop off locations in each county. Cost is \$40.00 per day and includes transportation, supplies, lunch and a snack! Registration information will be sent out to families via your family 4honline e-mail account!

HORTICULTURE MINI-CAMP

Are you planting a garden for this first time this summer? Or maybe you've tried before and needed some help? The Horticulture Mini Camp is for you!

Led by local Horticulture Educators, Diana Alfuth and Margaret Murphy, Master Gardeners and 4-H Educators, the program will teach youth the fundamentals of planting and transplanting to composting and cooking your produce. Youth will grow lettuce, squash and beans and engage in hands-on learning in their gardens, whether it be a bed, raised bed or containers!

This program is geared towards new and returning gardeners in grades 4-8 and is open to ALL youth.

The program will be held via Zoom the following dates: May 17, June 21, July 12, August 30 and September 20. Youth will log-on from 6-7 pm each night. Registration is open until May 5 and can be found here: https://forms.gle/ gwdQWg1Ez6csAS4Y6 .The program fee is \$5.00 made payable to Polk County 4-H Leaders Federation and sent to 100 Polk Plaza; Suite 100 Balsam Lake, WI 54810.

Thank you to the Ann Marie Foundation for helping support this program!

DAIRY JUDGING PRACTICE STARTING!! First

practice is Sunday, May 9th at 6:30 p.m. at the Dado Four Holstein Farm located in Amery. Please bring a mask for when indoors, and all COVID safety protocols will be followed.



Numerous Virtual Programs are available through YOUR 4-H ONLINE ACCOUNT: Click on the "EVENTS" tab on the left side

of the page. Programs currently available include: Fun with Forensic Science, Teens Eat, That's Not What I Meant, 4-H Café for Volunteers, Pour Painting and "I Wish You All the Best" Book Group. Additional Program are added regularly.

VIRTUAL UW-MADISON LIVESTOCK EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS

May 13 - Meat Science Cookery

For more information visit https://go.wisc.edu/r3x8lh or contact Bernie O'Rourke, UW- Madison Extension Youth Livestock Specialist at (608) 263-4304 or borourke2@wisc.edu.

For more information go to the Wisconsin Youth Livestock Program. Website https://fyi.extension.wisc.edu/youthlivestock/ Recorded programs can be found here: https://youtube.com/playlist?list=PLl3EqGUag9cyyrIQ1nIKFgpcyEODfbNuV

ABC Horse Clinic – required for all 1st and 2nd YEAR HORSE PROJECT MEMBERS. This clinic is on Sunday, May 2

at 1pm and it goes until 4 pm. It is located at Laughing Horses Ranch in Deer Park (Tammy Belisle, 2046 215th Ave, Deer Park WI 715-222-5711). Parents will be **REQUIRED** to sign a waiver for their child. Please go to the 4H Facebook page to sign up.

Clinic Announcements and 4H Horse Project happenings will be on the Horse Project Facebook page. If you are new to the project please request to join this group https://www.facebook.com/

groups/polkcohorseproject

STATE FAIR Entries

WISCONSIN Youth Expo at the Wisconsin State Fair is made up of project exhibits and performances from youth

participants. Any Wisconsin youth ages 12-19 as of January 1 may submit an entry nomination. The nomination deadline is June 3, 2021.

Required Nomination Materials: Potential exhibitor must fill out his/her information, upload up to three digital photos (maximum photo size limit: 5 meg per photo) of each project being nominated and pay nomination fee of \$3 per project with a credit card. Nominated projects will be pre-screened on the basis of these materials. See suggestions at the end of the Entry Information regarding taking effective photos of projects. For more information visit the Wisconsin State Fair Website at: https://wistatefair.com/ competitions/youth-expo/

THE POLK COUNTY FAIR BOARD WOULD LIKE TO INVITE YOU BACK TO THE FAIR!

We are proud to announce the return of the Polk County Fair in 2021 to the Fair Park in St. Croix Falls. While the decision to cancel the fair last year was difficult, the decision to move forward with the fair this year has been equally challenging. There will be, undoubtedly, many obstacles to overcome, and some things may not look or feel like they have in the past, but, we are committed to keeping our attendees as safe and healthy as we can. We will be working with partners at the National, State, and Local, levels to ensure that we are incorporating as many Best Practices as possible. We are also just as committed to ensuring that everyone who attends our fair has a good time! In fact, our mascot this year Gertrude the GOAT, promises that you will have the Greatest Of All Time... (and everyone knows that goats don't lie...)

Not all of the details have been worked out yet, so continue to check back in with our website, www.polkcountyfair.com. As we finalize plans, we will update the website as soon as we can so that you can continue to make plans as well. You may want to check our Facebook page as well.

We hope that you will plan to join us at the Fair July 29th through August 1st 2021. We also ask for your patience and

> understanding as we navigate the way forward. We hope that we can continue to count on your support just as we have for the last 130 years. We look forward to seeing you there!

~Polk County Fair Society along with the Polk County Fair Board





This annual charity golf tournament creates resources used to train 4-H youth in leadership and development

- Scholarships
- STEM and robotic programs
- To reach out to non-4-Hers in Pierce, Polk, St. Croix and Dunn Counties
- # Helps fund Ambassador programs
 # Empower / Hyouth
 - Empowers 4-H youth with opportunities to explore new interest, learn new skills, and contribute to their communities

Thanks to your support, 4-H has proven results.

- * Report better grades, higher levels of academic competence and an elevated level of engagement at school
 - * Are nearly 2x more likely to go college
 - * Are more likely to pursue courses or a career in science, engineering or computer technology
 - * Are shown to have had significantly lower drug, alcohol and cigarette use than their peers

*According to Tufts University Study

Pierce County

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Dunn County

Missy Hazen 715-495-3326 missyhazen@wwt.net



Annual Northwest 4-H Golf Classic 1960 8th Ave, Baldwin WI 54002



ANNUAL NORTHWEST

4-H Golf Classic

Monday | June 14 | 2021



Kilkarney Hills Golf Club

163 Radio Road River Falls, WI 54022 WWW.KILKARNEYHILLS.COM



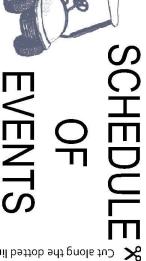
Golf Registration Includes

18-Hole Greens Fees
Golf Cart
Lunch and Dinner
Prizes

Contests



We encourage early paid registration due to limited capacity.



10:30AM

Registration
Open Driving Range
Silent Auction Open

11:00AM

Buffet Lunch

12:00PM

Shotgun Start Putting Contest (During Play)

5:30PM

Buffet Dinner Program Silent Auction

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Company/Sponsor Name

Your Name

Address

Phone Number

Email

Sign up to golf

- \$90 | I am registering to golf as an individual to
- play in a random foursome
- \$360 | I am registering a foursome Other Player's Names

OR Become a tournament sponsor

- Head Sponsor | \$3,000
- Hole sponsor, signage, print publicity, web banner, two foursomes
- Heart Sponsor |\$1,000
- Hole sponsor, signage, print pub
- Hole sponsor, signage, print publicity, web banner, foursome
- Hands Sponsor | \$500

 Hole sponsor, signage, recognition, web banner
- Hole sponsor, signage, recognition

Health Sponsor | \$300

- Other Options
- Buffet Dinner \$30
- Donate a silent auction, door prize
- or monetary gift
 Item and approximate value:



Please mail check and registration form(s) payable to

Northwest 4-H Golf Classic 1960 8th Ave, Baldwin WI 54002 RSVP by May 21th , 2021

CHIPPEWA COUNTY 4-H HORSE PROGRAM 4-H PLEASURE SCHOOLING SHOW May 23, 2021

Northern Wisconsin State Fair Grounds Chippewa Falls, WI

9:00 am

Lntry Fee: \$3.00 per class/horse

Judge: Sara Novotny Schaefer

Office Charges: \$5.00 Per Horse

Ribbon Show: 1-6 Places

Education provided after each group of classes

Specific Show Rules:

Open to Wisconsin 4-H members (Grades 3-5, 6-8, Gr 9-13)

This is a 4-H Event so All Riders Must wear a SEI approved Helmet

Must provide copy of current negative coggins

Horse/rider combo cannot enter both three gaited and walk trot classes

A saddle (mounted) and bridle (mounted/cart) are required when riding/driving a horse.

(no bare back riding allowed on grounds)

No intact males (stallions) allowed on grounds

Proper Show Clothes Required (bling not required)

No training devices allowed

- 1. Horse mares four years and over at Halter
- 2. Horse geldings, four years and over at Halter
- 3. Horse three years and under at Halter
- 4. Showmanship at halter Gr 3-5
- 5. Showmanship at halter Gr 6-8
- 6. Showmanship at halter Gr 9-13
- 7. Showmanship at halter Horseless horse all ages
- 8. English Equitation Gr 3-5
- 9. English Equitation Gr 6-8
- 10. English Equitation Gr 9-13
- 11. English Pleasure Gr 3-5
- 12. English Pleasure Gr 6-8
- 13. English Pleasure Gr 9-13
- 14. Hunter Hack Gr 3-5
- 15. Hunter Hack Gr 6-8
- 16. Hunter Hack Gr 9-13
- 17. Equitation over fences Gr 3-5
- 18. Equitation over fences Gr 6-8
- 19. Equitation over fences Gr 9-13
- 20. Driving Pleasure All ages

- 21. Driving Reinsmanship All ages
- 22. Western Horsemanship Gr 3-5
- 23. Western Horsemanship Gr 6-8
- 24. Western Horsemanship Gr 9-13
- 25. Walk Trot Horsemanship/Eq Gr 3-5
- 26. Walk Trot Horsemanship /Eq Gr 6-8
- 27. Walk Trot Horsemanship/Eq Gr 9-13
- 28. Western Pleasure Gr 3-5
- 29. Western Pleasure Gr 6-8
- 30. Western Pleasure Gr 9-13
- 31. Walk Trot Pleasure Gr 3-5
- 32. Walk Trot Pleasure Gr 6-8
- 33. Walk Trot Pleasure Gr 9-13
- 34. Walk Trot Horseless Horse all ages
- 35. Discipline Rail
- 36. Western Riding
- 37. Trail class Gr 3-5
- 38. Trail class Gr 6-8
- 39. Trail class Gr 9-13
- 40. Walk Trot Trail- all age

Chippewa County 4-H Horse Program 2021 Pleasure Schooling Show Entry Form

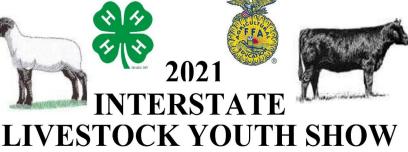
Entry #:	(Use unique number	and form for each	horse entered)

All Riders MUST Wear An SEI Approved Helmet Rider's Name: --- For Office Use Only ---Rider's Address: Chippewa County 4-H Horse City: ST Zip Program Member Phone: [] Yes [] No Parent Name if Rider is under 18 [] Copy of Current Coggins Horses Name as you want it announced: Please print so we can read it. Date Coggins Taken: Horse's Age: Rider Category – Circle Age Group Payment Method: Walk/Trot 3-5 6-8 9-13 [] Cash Circle Classes to be Entered (Please enter at least 3 classes ahead) [] Check # ____ 10 11 1 Notes: 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22

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**W/T Horses Cannot Enter Into 3-Gaited Classes With Same Rider				
	FOR OFFICE USE C	NLY		
\$5.00 Office Fee Per Horse		\$		
Total Number of Classes Entered	X \$3.00 =	\$		
TOTAL DUE:	No Refunds Issued	\$		
Signature of Rider:		Date:		
Signature of Parent, if rider is under 18 years old:		Date:		
ENTRIES CANNOT BE PROCESSED WITHOUT SIGNATURE AND DATE				



The Robotics Project
Committee is looing for
donations of 5 laptops. These
laptops will need to be able to
run Windows XP, or newer,
and operate decently well. If
you have a laptop you would
like to donate please contact
Shirley Miller-Frey at
smillerfrey@gmail.com





SHEEP - BEEF - GOAT
POLK COUNTY FAIR PARK
800 LOUISIANA AVE
ST. CROIX FALLS, WI

All State 4-H and Local masking and social guidelines will be followed to prevent the spread of Covid-19

A FUN AND EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE FOR YOUTH OF ALL AGES

Preregistration is required!
Registrations due June 1
Entry fee \$10 per entry.
Use Google form link:

https://forms.gle/SM5BEV9RetJ4C77UA

NO Camping Available

Sheep and Goats will be shown out of trailers

*SATURDAY JUNE 19

Show Day Schedule

Check-in 7:30 - **Ends at 8:30**

Livestock Quiz 8:30 Judging Contest 9:30 Weigh-In 10:30 Goat Show Start – 11:00

Sheep, Beef Shows Begin – 12:00 Starting with Showmanship

For More Information Call or E-mail:

Entries - Charlene Strabel (715) 349-5935 strabel@sirentel.net

Sheep – Anna Strabel (952) 594-0073 bozo garden@yahoo.com

Goats – Jeanne Alling (715) 553-2488 jeannealling77@gmail.com Beef – Craig Scholz (612) 751-3236 ckscholz6869@hotmail.com



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