

2022-2023 Polk County Ambassador Information Sheet

Are you a motivated, creative, positive older 4-H member looking to step into a leadership role? Become a Polk County 4-H Ambassador! Applications are now available to youth wanting to serve our county in this role for the 2022-2023 year.

What are 4-H Ambassadors?

4-H Ambassadors are the Teen Public Relations group for the Polk County 4-H Program. This program helps youth to develop leadership skills and assist with key programs our Polk County 4-H provides. Ambassadors become the face of the positive role models that 4-H helps to shape youth into. Those serving in the ambassador role also get access to more fun activities to help build teamwork skills.

Each ambassador will be given a 4-H Ambassador shirt and 4-H name badge after selection. Ambassadors are expected to wear these at all 4-H events where they are serving in their public relation role as an Ambassador.

Activities Ambassadors Assist With:

- Polk County Fair Judging Helpers (*July*)
- Day Camps (*October, March, June*)
- Area Parades (*Summer*)
- County and Regional events (*Throughout the year*)
- Polk County 4-H Leaders Federation Board Meetings (*6 meetings a year*)
- Awards Program (*October*)
- Performance Arts Festival (*April*)
- NW Golf Classic (*June*)
- Other community service and service learning projects

Qualifications:

- Ambassadors must be in at least 7th grade at the beginning of the 2022-2023 school year *and* at least 12 years old.
- Need to be an active 4-H member in good standing.
- Be willing and able to commit to meetings and activities throughout the year.
 - Only 6 meetings throughout the year, usually the same evening as Leaders Federation.
 - Must be able to attend at least two activities listed above.

2022-2023 Polk County Ambassador Application Form

Please email this form to lindsay.spindler@wisc.edu by September 21st. 4-H Ambassadors will meet at the 4-H Building at the Polk County Fairgrounds on Monday, September 26th at 6:00 PM. Please plan on attending that meeting if you are applying to become an ambassador.

Name: _____

Applicant's Email: _____

Address: _____

Parent/Guardian: _____ Phone #: _____

4-H Club: _____ T-Shirt Size (Adult Size): _____

Applicant's Cell # (if applicable): _____

What is the best way to contact/communicate with you? Email Call Text.

Age as of Jan. 1st (Ambassadors must be at least 12 years old and in 7th grade): _____

Grade: _____ Number of Years in 4-H: _____ Years in Youth Leadership: _____

Are you currently an Ambassador: Yes No

Tell us a little bit about yourself (hobbies, interests, etc):

EXPERIENCES

LEADERSHIP ROLES (Offices held, committees served on, responsibilities - this could be 4-H, school, church, etc.):

4-H PROJECTS (list them out and how many years you have participated in them)

If chosen as a 4-H Ambassador how will you contribute to the group?

Please list any other group commitments, activities, or employment you have during the 2022-2023 4-H year: