Hart County 4-H Hart Beat



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August 2024

A note from Julia.....

The Hart County Fair was a success! We have over 120 entries heading to the Kentucky State Fair! Thank you to all of the volunteers who helped make the fair a success! A new 4-H year starts September 1st! Make sure to turn in new green forms/ enrollment forms to stay active in 4-H.

School clubs will start meeting in September. If you have questions about who your school club leader is please contact the office.

The Achievement Banquet will be here before we know it! Start on your paperwork now! <u>Deadline</u> <u>extensions will not be offered and late entries will</u> <u>not be accepted! All Award Forms, Achievement</u> <u>Applications & Record Books will be due on</u> <u>September 16th by 4pm. If you e-mail forms please</u> <u>confirm they have been received.</u>

Have a great start to your school year!

Sincerely,

Julia Wilson

Julia Wilson County Extension Agent For 4-H Youth Development

ACHIEVEMENT BANQUET AWARDS FORM

Youth interested in being recognized at the 2024 County Banquet and 2024 Area Banquet will need to complete an awards form. This is to ensure plaques are printed accurately. The office will not be printing an awards plaque unless this form is submitted. Forms may be found on our county website or picked up at the Extension Office. Forms will be due MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 16TH 2024. NO EXTENSIONS WILL BE GIVEN. Start filling in your form now so you don't forget anything. Some Items that will be listed on the plaque will be: County Talk Meet, Demonstration, Mock Interview Champions Area & State Talk Meet, Demonstration, Mock Interview Champions County and Area Poster Contest Champions **County Fair Class Champions** State Fair Class Champions, Reserve Champion, Grand Champions **Country Ham State Champions** Jr. & Senior Record Books

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Drone Club

Tuesday, September 24th 5:30pm-6:30pm Hart County Extension Office

This club will be open to incoming 6th graders & older.



This club is open to youth ages 9-18. The club meets at 3pm. Please call the office to sign up since space is limited.



Wednesday, August 28th

Cloverbud Art Club

The Cloverbud art club is open to ages 5-8. The club will meet at the Extension Office at 3pm.

> Wednesday October 30th 3:00pm-4:00pm

Homeschool Hawks

The Homeschool Hawks 4-H Club is open to Hart County Homeschooling families.

> Wednesday August 14th 1pm-3pm

Lego Club

Wednesday, November 20th

4:30pm-5:30pm Open to ages 9 & up.

Cloverbud Club

The Cloverbud Club is open to ages 5-8.

Wednesday August 14th 4:30pm-5:30pm

Rocketry Club Rocketry Club is open to youth in grades 7th-12th. **Tuesday, August 13th** 3pm -5pm



Horse Club

We are currently looking for a leader for the Horse Club. If you are interested please contact the Extension Office.

Foodies Club

We are currently looking for a leader for the Foodies Club. If you are interested please

contact the office.



Shooting Sports

A certified leader is required for shooting sports. For more information contact the Extension Office.

Fall Coaches Certification Workshop Date: Oct. 4-6, 2024 Location: Lake Cumberland 4-H Camp Cost: \$200 (covers all meals, lodging, training materials)

Afterschool Clubs

Please contact club leaders for more information about afterschool clubs.

Cub Run

Tracy Sullivan tracy.sullivan@hart.kyschools.us

Bonnieville

Baptista Fraze baptista.fraze@hart.kyschools.us

LeGrande

Beth Atkins maria.atkins@hart.kyschools.us

LeGrande Cloverbuds

Jessica Hackney jessica.hackney@hart.kyschools.us

Memorial

Jennifer Dobson jennifer.dobson@uky.edu

Munfordville

Leader needed! Munfordville Afterschool will not meet until a volunteer leader is recruited.

John Swack Scholarship

The John Swack Scholarship is open to Hart County 4-H Youth who have participated in John Swack Fundraisers, completed a community service project, and have applied for their Bronze, Silver and Gold Achievement.

Youth must begin working towards this scholarship before they are in a senior in high school. Youth need to start working towards this in 8th or 9th grade.

Youth are required to have minimum of 15 points in four of the five categories on the achievement application 15 points in Leadership 15 points in Civic Engagement 15 points in Communication/Marketing, 15 points in Community Action 15 points in Involvement/Participation A minimum of 200 points total is required for applying for Gold.

To receive a John Swack 4-H Memorial scholarship, 4-H Achievement recipients must volunteer a minimum of 6 hours at scholarship fundraisers after applying/ receiving their Bronze Achievement.

Youth who fulfill the requirements and are approved by the committee receive a \$1000 scholarship for higher education.

County 4-H Council Meeting

The Hart County 4-H Council Meeting will be on **August 27th** at 5pm at the Extension Office. The council is open to teens & adults. We are always looking for new council members!

Forestry Field Day

Save the date! Forestry Field Day will be on S**eptember 12th, 2024** at Mammoth Cave National Park.



State Communications Contest

Congratulations to our 4-Her's who competed at the Kentucky 4-H State Communications Contest

Asa Rucker 1st place in Junior Shooting Sports Demonstrations

Ava England Blue Ribbon Junior Agriculture Demonstrations



<u>State Written</u> <u>Communications Contest</u>

Congratulations to our 4-H members who competed in the written communications contest.

Bayley Fraze 3rd place in Junior Poetry

Briarlee Fraze 1st place in Senior Press Release

Southern Region Teen Leadership Conference

The Southern Region Teen Leadership Conference is a multi-state 4-H conference created to bring together 4-H teens and adults to empower & inspire them to make a positive change across the southern region through youth-adult partnerships. This conference brings together over 400 youth annually who share information about their state, their 4-H programs and who work to improve their leadership and learn effective methods of developing youth-adult partnerships.

Location: Clyde M York 4-H Training Center 62 4-H Center Dr, Crossville, TN 38572

September 19th – 22nd 2024

The cost is \$275 per youth.

Deadline to register is **August 28th.**

Thursday, August 29th 5pm-6pm



Learn about and sign up for 4-H Clubs & Projects!

Hart County Extension Office 505 AA Whitman Lane.

Located beside the Hart County Public Library. Call 270-524-2451 for more information.

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The new 4-H Program year starts September 1st! Make sure to fill out a new enrollment form! You are not an active member unless you fill a form out!



4-H reminders via the Remind app or text message. You can join by texting @hartco4h to 81010

What is 4-H Age?

4-H Age is the age of youth on January 1st of the program year. The 4-H program year runs September 1st-August 31st.

Youth who will be 9 years old on January 1st, 2025 can join 4-H as a junior member on September 1st, 2024.

3-4 Cloverseeds5-8 Cloverbuds9-13 Juniors14-18 Seniors