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4-H NEWSLETTER

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**Do you see some things that could be improved?
Do you have some ideas?
Join a Committee!**



**Awards & Recognition Committee Meeting
via ZOOM on December 3 @ 7 PM :**

Main Question: How do we want to recognize accomplishments ?



**Events & Activities Committee Meeting
via ZOOM on December 15 @ 7 PM
Spring Beef Show Subcommittee
will be included in this Meeting**

Main Question: What events/activities would you like to see continue
or add this year?



**Fair Committee Meeting
3 PM January 19 @ Extension Office (Marion)**

Main Question: What changes would you like to see at the Fair?



4-H Day: February 8, 2025 @ Tabor College

What is 4-H Day? 4-H Day is an opportunity to give a project talk or demonstration, discuss a favorite topic, sing a little ditty, play a tune, dance a little jig or showcase a talent. It can be done solo or as a group.



Show & Share (Ages 7-9 & Cloverbuds)

- 5 minute maximum
- Visuals may be used



Project Talks (Ages 7-12)

- 7 minute maximum
- Visuals/Powerpoint may be used
- No Questions

Demonstrations & Illustrated Talks

- Jr Time 10min max /Sr Time 15min max
- Visuals/Powerpoint may be used
- Summary is required at end of presentation
- Questions are asked

Public Speaking (Ages 13 +)

- 15 min max
- Visuals are optional
- No Poster/Powerpoint
- Outline required for the judge



Business Presentation (Ages 10 +)

- 4 minute maximum
- Visuals may be used
- Questions will be asked

Vocal Performances

- Vocal Chorus: (group of 16 or more)
- Vocal Ensemble: (2-15 people)
- Vocal Solo (Junior & Senior Divisions)

Instrumental Performance

- Instrumental Band: (group of 16 or more)
- Instrumental Ensemble: (2-15 people)
- Instrumental Solo (Jr. & Sr. Divisions)

Acting/Dance Performance

- Dance: 5 min max Ind or Group (Jr. & Sr. Div)
- Skit: 15 min max.
- Reading: 10 min max (Jr. & Sr. Div)
- Solo-Acting: 10 min max (Jr. & Sr. Div)
- One-Act Play: 45 min max

Other Talent

- 10 min max
- Group or Individual
- Jr & Sr Divisions

Have you considered turning your 4-H Project into a Business?

Chances are you already have the foundations of a business . . .
So, put your wares or services on display and showcase what you got!

Youth Entrepreneurship Challenge: February 22, 2025 @ Tabor College

The Entrepreneurship Challenge is an event where youth can share their business idea with a panel of judges. It takes a bit of planning, with the three sections listed below, but we are here to help. Please reach out to us at the office if you are interested.

Executive Summary/Business Plan Business Presentation Tradeshow

There are two divisions (Grades 6-8 & Grades 9-12)
Cash Prizes will be awarded to the top end of each Division
More details to come: Contact the Extension Office



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How does your 4-H Club Celebrate the Holiday Season?

Decorating Trees/Wreaths

Soup Kitchen

Gift Exchange


Christmas Caroling

Food /Clothing Drive

Holiday Meal

Angel Tree

Ugly Sweater Contest



Whatever it is that your club does
please take pictures and share it with us!

Happy Holidays

from all of us here at the Extension Office!