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# Family Times

July 2019

Fond du Lac County Extension

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## Welcome Katie



We are pleased to introduce Katie Gindt as a new Administrative Assistant for Extension Fond du Lac County!

Previously, Katie worked with Sophia Foundation and Moraine Park Technical College and lives in Fond du Lac with her boyfriend and two cats, Penny and Mitch. In her free time, Katie enjoys reading, gardening, video games, and french fries.

"I am excited to be part of the Extension Office in Fond du Lac County. The other staff and educators are amazing people and the programs we offer are crucial to our community and environment."



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**...for my club, my community, my country, and my world.**

## Serving our Communities

### “Swipe & Shop” at the Farmers Market!

Using your EBT, Credit, or Debit Card at the Downtown Fond du Lac Farmers Market is as easy as “Swipe & Shop!”

Simply bring your card to the Information Booth during the market, located at 2nd and Main St. Staff at the booth will swipe your card for the amount you choose and give you wooden tokens to use for shopping. The wooden tokens are color coded. Credit and Debit tokens may be used for any items; EBT, or FoodShare tokens, may be used to purchase any EBT eligible items at the market. The first Saturday of each month is “EBT Match Day” – double your \$10 EBT swipe!

All vendors at the Downtown Fond du Lac Farmers Market accept tokens as a valid form of purchase. Stop by the next Farmers Market and find how easy it is to “Swipe & Shop!” For more information, visit: <http://downtownfdl.com/farmers-market.html>.

You can find farmers markets at the following locations in Fond du Lac County. Ask your local farmers market if they accept credit/debit, EBT/ FoodShare, or WIC.

## Fostering Leadership

### National Night Out

Grow your leadership skills, get some volunteer work done, and have fun all at once while promoting 4-H! National Night Out is a fun night sponsored by the FDL Police Department & the Boys and Girls Club with interaction with police officers, many games, activities, and give aways! 4-H is hosting a booth, and we are looking for youth willing to help on Tuesday, Aug 6, from 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm at the Fairground’s Park. If interested, just let the Extension Office know!

### Volunteers with Organizational Skills Needed Sunday, July 21

We are seeking 4 to 6 teens or adults who want to share their organizational skills. You will check-out people who made purchases at the 4-H silent auction at the fair, pack up items, and make phone calls to those who need to pick up items they made a bid on. You will work with others to accomplish this task. The time frame is from 4 to 7:30 pm in the Recreation Center. Your involvement will enable the silent auction to be wrapped up in an efficient manner. Some of this work will allow you to remain seated, so individuals who cannot stand for an extended time period will find this work to fit their ability. Mark your calendar and give us a call at the Extension Office to get more info or to volunteer.

Market	Dates	Times	Locations
<b>Fond du Lac County:</b>			
Downtown Fond du Lac	Saturdays, May 11 - Oct. 26	8 am - Noon	Main Street
Downtown Fond du Lac	Wednesdays, June 5 - Sept. 25	11 am - 3 pm	Main Street Plaza
Ripon	Tuesdays, June 4 - October 29	4 pm - 7 pm	Village Green
Ripon	Saturdays, June 1 - October 26	7 am - 12 pm	Village Green
Waupun	Saturdays June 1 - September 28	8 am - 12 pm	City Parking Lot (111 E. Main St.)

## Teen Leader Association

This month, we are serving as managers for the food stand at the county fair and helping with the action center. If you would like to get involved with TLA, join our next gathering on Monday, August 26 at 7:30 p.m. at Rolling Meadows Meeting Room. There is not a meeting in July.

## Attention All Baseball Fans!!!

Do you like having fun with friends and family? Well, here is the perfect opportunity to have some fun and support your local Dock Spiders Baseball team. The Teen Leaders Association is planning to go to a Dock Spiders game on Sunday, July 14th at 1:05 p.m. At that game, they will be giving away bobbleheads. This is open to all 4-H members and clubs. You are encouraged to come and have some fun! If you plan on attending or have questions, please contact Tina Engelhardt at [tina.engelhardt@wisc.edu](mailto:tina.engelhardt@wisc.edu) or the TLA president Hanna Bryant at [hanna.bryant216@gmail.com](mailto:hanna.bryant216@gmail.com).



## Seeking Adult Volunteers for Teen Leader Association (TLA)

Want to help lead a bunch of teens in the county? We are looking for adult volunteers who would like to lead the Teen Leader Association group. The purpose of TLA is to provide and promote leadership, service, and recreational activities for 4-H teens and to promote 4-H to potential new 4-H members. The membership of this organization shall be open to any Fond du Lac County 4-H member who has completed the 6th grade. The group meeting monthly on the fourth Monday of each month, except July and December, at 7:30 PM at Rolling Meadows Meeting Room. TLA does various activities, service projects, and events throughout the year. If you are interested in leading this group or have more questions, please contact Tracy Keifenheim at [tracy.keifenheim@wisc.edu](mailto:tracy.keifenheim@wisc.edu) or at 920-929-3177.

## Congratulations to the Members Attending 4-H Leadership Experiences this Summer

*Wisconsin 4-H Youth Conference - in Madison for four days in June*

Delegates - Makena G, Raelynn H, Courtney K, Brianna T, Amber T, Morgan Y, and Jaye Z

*American Spirit - for nine days traveling to the east coast in June to learn about early American history*  
Delegates - Jaye Z, Dayne Z, Conner B, Maddie G  
*Citizen Washington Focus - in Washington D.C. for a week to learn about citizenship and leadership*  
Delegate - Andrea Y

*New Horizons - youth plan where to travel, service opportunities, and educational opportunities*  
Delegates - Aaron O, Kyle P, Hanna B, Jacob B, Dayne Z, Jaye Z, Amber T, Brianna T, Rebecca V, Machaia W, Caitlin O, McKenzie O  
Adult volunteers - Craig O, Brenda B, JoAnn C

## Adult and Youth Leaders – Mark Your Calendars for Fall Forum and Hall of Fame

**November 1-3, 2019**

[Green Lake Conference Center, Green Lake, WI](#)

Fall Forum is an opportunity for youth and adult leaders to attend the statewide training with county and state staff. It is planned by a team of youth and adult volunteers from the Wisconsin 4-H Leaders Council with the support of county and state staff.



At Fall Forum, a group of 4-H volunteers, pioneers, financial supporters, and staff who made major contributions to the 4-H movement at the local, state and national levels will be inducted into the [Wisconsin 4-H Hall of Fame](#). The induction ceremony will take place during dinner Saturday night.

## Now Accepting Proposals for Interactive Sessions and Educational Workshops!

[Friday Interactive Sessions - http://bit.ly/2Zwtada](http://bit.ly/2Zwtada)  
[Saturday Educational Workshops - http://bit.ly/2FlqOBA](http://bit.ly/2FlqOBA)

## The purpose of Fall Forum is to:

- Provide an educational opportunity for youth and adult volunteers
- Develop youth and adult partnerships
- Create an engaging and welcoming environment to facilitate discussion between counties and regions

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- Provide an opportunity for youth and adult volunteers to be involved in the planning and evaluation of statewide programs
- Encourage diversity of thought, perspective, interests, and people
- Promote strategies for youth and adults to reach underserved and underrepresented groups.

**When:** November 1-3, 2019 (registration begins at 6:00 p.m. Friday, November 1). We will conclude Sunday, November 3, at 11 a.m. There will be interactive learning activities Friday night and educational workshops on Saturday.

**Who:** Each county is encouraged to send a delegation of youth and adults

- Youth 7<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> grade
- Adult volunteer leaders

Staff are invited and encouraged to attend as your schedule permits. This is a great opportunity for a team of county/state staff, volunteers, and youth to work together and present an interactive workshop for youth and adults as well as staff from throughout Wisconsin.

#### **Registration:**

##### *ESTIMATED COSTS FOR 2019:*

- \$85 registration fee per person: Friday – Sunday (pizza buffet, 3 meals on Saturday, 1 meal on Sunday)
- \$75 registration fee per person: Saturday – Sunday (3 meals on Saturday, 1 meal on Sunday)
- \$70 registration fee per person: Saturday (lunch and Hall of Fame Dinner)
- \$50 registration fee per person: Saturday (lunch only)

#### **Lodging:**

##### *ESTIMATED COSTS FOR 2019:*

- Adults:
- \$50/night for two adults
- \$80/night for single room (limited availability)
- \$25/night for three or more adults per room
- Youth
- \$25/night with 3-6 youth per room

The program kicks off Friday evening with over 20 interactive sessions. Saturday offers more than 25 workshops to choose from. Top off the night with a special celebration where laureates will be inducted in to the Wisconsin 4-H Hall of Fame. An evening of circle



dancing and table games will follow the celebration. Sunday morning brings a high-energy program that you can use at the club or community level.

All youth participants are required to identify a chaperone who has completed Youth Protection training when registering. Adult volunteer delegates from a county are expected to serve as chaperones for youth delegates. Teams of adult male and female chaperones will be identified to conduct room check of youth delegates on Friday and Saturday evening. Chaperones are required to submit the Chaperone Expectation Statement.

## Opportunities & Events

### Cedar Crest Ice Cream Flavor Creation Contest

Cedar Crest Ice Cream and the Wisconsin 4-H Foundation are happy to announce the winner and finalists of the 2018 Ice Cream 4-H Flavor Creation Contest. All will receive a Cedar Crest Ice Cream party, and the Grand Prize winner will be awarded \$300. They are:

#### Grand Prize

Springbrook 4-H Club, New Richmond, St. Croix County

- Flavor: Wisconsin Campfire S'more

- Leader: Jackie Kumm

#### Finalists

Country Cardinals 4-H Club, Highland, Iowa County

- Flavor: Unicorn Magic

- Leader: Linda Roum

Magnolia 4-H Club, Evansville, Rock County

- Flavor: Badger Backers

- Leader: Shell Andrews

**Busy Bee's 4-H Club, Rosendale, Fond du Lac County**

- Flavor: Buzzin' Brownie Blast

- Leader: Deb Mess

Peterson Mill 4-H Club, Iola, Waupaca County

- Flavor: Peterson Mill Smash

- Leader: Connie Bestul

For information on the 2019 Cedar Crest Ice Cream Contest, go to: <http://www.cedarcresticecream.com/about-us/2019-cedar-crest-ice-cream-4-h-flavor-contest/>.





## Enjoy the Alto Fair in August

When: August 7 & 8

Where: Cty Hwy AS, West of Hwy 49 in Alto

Why: Great Family Fun - Great Food - Great Prices!

- The best homemade chili in the county!
- Homemade pies sold in the food tent!
- No admission & free parking!
- Free Entertainment - both nights!
- Support over 120 4-H members and showcasing the creativity and talents of these youth, with a variety of exhibits!

**\*\*Open to all ages is the Baking Contest (Cherry Pie) with prizes sponsored by A. Glewen & Sons Excavating, Inc. Share your recipe, show your baking skills, and possibly take home some cash! Top place is \$100.00!**

**\*\*\* Open Class Exhibitors –Check out our many categories and share your hobby or interest to win a little extra money! Check out details at AltoFair.com for the online premium book to enter!**

Entries are registered on Tuesday night Aug 6 between 6:00 p.m. & 8:30 p.m.

Wednesday, August 7

- Big Breakfast – Egg and Ham Breakfast
- 4-H Judging all day
- Mini Tractor Pull & Antique Tractor Pull
- Kiddie Pedal Tractor Pull (9 classes, Ages 4-12) Trophies awarded
- Carnival with \$25 wristbands for rides
- 4-H Horse Show
- A.C. Jones
- Livestock Auction
- FIREWORKS - Bring your own chairs!



Thursday, August 8

- Big Breakfast – Pancake and Sausage Breakfast
- 4-H Archery Shoot
- Tractor Pull
- Rob Thompson (Funny Magic Guy)
- Annual Fair Parade - UW Marching Band
- Following the parade the UW Marching Band will perform a 5th quarter show
- Local Horse Pull (invitations only)
- Kids' Water Fight
- 4-H Awards
- Firefighters' Water Fight (trophies awarded)
- FREE ENTERTAINMENT - DUE NORTH (acapella)

Details are listed in our premium book that can be found at [www.altofair.com](http://www.altofair.com). If you would like to volunteer at this event to earn credit for community service or service hour class requirements, please call 920-904-0023 to schedule times with Jade Bresser. Sharing your time assists us in keeping this time honored tradition affordable for families! Every hour counts!!!

If you do not see what you are looking for on the website, please contact the following:

- Entertainment Info: Ryan Sperger [rrsperger@yahoo.com](mailto:rrsperger@yahoo.com) or 920.517.2614
- Vendor Booth Info: Jeff Kok [kokj@sbcglobal.net](mailto:kokj@sbcglobal.net) or 920.219.1325
- Parade Information: Dewey Bille 920.948.4265
- Livestock Auction Information: Kim Greenfield 920.324.5227
- 4-H Information: Alto All-Stars - Yvonne Greenfield: 920.979.8598, Open Class & Brandon Tanagers - Cindy Bailey: 920.346.5868
- Food Tent Information: Jade Bresser 920.904.0023

## Targeting Life Skills

### Let the Public Know

### What You Are Learning

As a member you are developing concern for others, taking part in teamwork, organizing events, solving problems, managing stress, taking responsibility, and so much more. These are called life skills. They are knowledge and experience you can apply to circumstances throughout your life in a variety of settings. The upcoming Fond du Lac and Alto Fairs are great places to share with the public that 4-H is molding current and future citizens through the development of life skills. Consider life skills as a theme for your display in the animal barn, or for a club potted plant entry or club booth. This is important information to share with parents of perspective members, and to the general public that supports 4-H. Find the wheel of life skills at <http://fonddulac.uwex.edu/files/2011/09/iowa-state-sskills.pdf>.

**Life Skills**

# Taking Care of Business

## Extension Nondiscrimination Policy

Periodically, Extension takes steps to assure that our partners know and understand our policy of nondiscrimination. This news article is to remind, or notify, you that Extension does not discriminate in the treatment of individuals, in the admission or access to its programs and activities, in the provision of services, or in employment.

Further, Extension will not participate with organizations or in activities that discriminate on the basis of any of the legally prohibited categories of discrimination. Categories of prohibited discrimination include race, color, gender/sex, creed, disability, religion, national origin, ancestry, age, sexual orientation, pregnancy, marital or parental status, arrest or conviction record, or membership in the National Guard, State Defense Force or any other reserve component of the military service.

Consistent with the Americans with Disabilities Act, persons who need materials in alternative format or other accommodation must write or call the Extension contact person for the specific program or call the main telephone number of the Fond du Lac County Extension Office, 920-929-3170, at least ten working days prior to the event. Individuals who need TTY access may use the Wisconsin Telecommunications Relay System, 711.

On behalf of Extension Fond du Lac County and the University of Wisconsin-Madison, thank you for collaborating with our faculty and staff in their many educational endeavors. We appreciate your support and working relationships as we provide educational programs designed to empower the diverse citizens of Fond du Lac County.



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## Fond du Lac County 4-H Achievement Policy

Fond du Lac County 4-H strives to provide a positive experience to the youth members who join. "Achievement" within the program plays a fundamental role in order for young people to obtain the most beneficial 4-H experience.

Youth members must enroll in at least one 4-H project. Youth members are expected to complete all 4-H projects enrolled in for the year. Youth members should be aware of the county deadline for dropping projects.

Re-enrolling members must achieve in all projects the previous 4-H year. Members who do not achieve in the previous year may have their membership role limited the next year i.e. not be able to hold a club office or be allowed to take any more than 2 projects.



Youth members must publicly exhibit (such as Alto Fair, county fair, etc.) at least one exhibit in every project enrolled in. Legitimate reasons for not exhibiting at a fair event should be corresponded with your club's General Leader, so that alternate accommodations may occur - examples include club or project meetings.

Youth members must complete and submit a 4-H club Record Book. This Record Book should be completed to the best of the member's ability, with proper forms completed for each project enrolled in. Cloverbuds (members in grades K - 2) should complete a Cloverbud scrapbook. Turn it in to the club general leader who will provide feedback. Cloverbuds are not eligible for any county awards.

Youth members must fulfill attendance requirements as established at the club level. Every effort should be made to be an active member of the club in order to be considered for county and state level events. If active membership is a hardship, you are encouraged to communicate with club leaders.

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Upon the first year of achievement, the member (including Cloverbuds) will receive a nameplate and disc. In following years, a disc is earned for each year of achievement.

## 4-H Raffle Ticket Deadline and Prizes for Sales People

This year there are Fond du Lac Area Association of Commerce gift certificates for the three 4-H families who sell the most raffle tickets. The prizes are in the amounts of \$75, \$50, and \$25. To be eligible, your club needs to have all of your ticket stubs, unsold tickets, and money into the UWEX office by July 11<sup>th</sup>. Unsold tickets have to be returned for accountability. More tickets may be available at the UWEX office, so call 920-929-3170 if interested in more. Keep selling to support your local 4-H program! Raffle tickets can also be purchased during the Fond du Lac County Fair.

## Friends of 4-H Campaign

If you are interested in serving on the Friends of 4-H Committee, please contact Tracy Keifenheim at [trayc.keifenheim@wisc.edu](mailto:trayc.keifenheim@wisc.edu). This campaign raises a very large portion of the funding for the Adult Leaders Association to be able to sponsor events throughout the county including trips for youth, funding for project activities, and much much more. We need volunteers who are willing to look over the list of addresses, help stuff envelopes at the October leaders meeting, and design an insert to go with the letter. Adults and youth are welcome! Please don't hesitate to ask if you have any questions. Thanks in advance!

# Animal Sciences

## Dog Calendar

Dog project details may be found at <https://fonddulac.extension.wisc.edu/4h/projects/#dog>. Countywide dog project classes are held at the Cow Palace at the FdL County Fairgrounds. The remaining class will be **July 11**. It will start at 5:45 pm for beginners. Returning members should arrive at 6:45 pm. The class will run for 45



minutes. Arrive 10 minutes early to give your dog time to settle down. The dog show is **July 20 at 8 am** in the Cow Palace at the fairgrounds. If you have any questions, please call Melanie Machmueller at 920-979-7188 or Jenny Kutz at 920-960-8786.

## Horse Calendar



### July

- 1 Board of Directors, RMDB, 7:00 pm (6:30 pm – 1st Mandatory Meeting for Fair)
- 6 & 7 State Hunt & Dressage Show
- 14 Barn maintenance begins at 3:00pm, Fairgrounds – those that help with barn maintenance will be allowed to decorate their stalls and have pizza.  
5:00 pm - 2nd MANDATORY MEETING! SET UP TENT!
- 16 Model Horse judging, 1:00 pm, Recreation Center
- 17-21 Fond du Lac County Fair (Tuesday 16th - check in NO EARLIER THAN NOON)
- 17 Check in by noon - no exceptions, pony measuring at 1:00 pm. Scavenger hunt, 1:15 pm.
- 18 State Qualifying Showmanship, Trail Classes, and Driving, 8:00 am
- 19 State Qualifying Riding show day including Dressage and Western Riding - 8:00 am. Meeting & Picture for state qualifiers will be held an hour following the show.
- 20 Family Fun Day Show, 9:00 am
- 20 State papers due to Secretary (Alyssa Pinno) with money and signatures before 5:00 pm, NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED
- 20 Pot Luck Picnic, 5:00 pm, Auction & awards to follow. NO RIDING DURING PICNIC
- 21 Family Fun/Speed Show -12:30 - 3:00 pm
- 21 Check out after 6:00 pm (or forfeit your premium) – No Exceptions

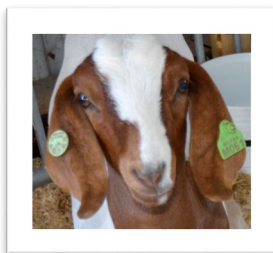
NEW YEAR BEGINS\*\*\*\*WILL COUNT FOR 2020

### August

- 5 Board of Directors, 7:00 pm, RMDB
- 17 4-H Sponsored OPEN SPEED SHOW, 9:00 am, FDL County Fairgrounds
- 20 Project Meeting, 6:30pm, RMDB, Nominate officers/ Pizza party, bring canned goods, parents strongly encouraged to come. Discuss Fair.

## Livestock Project Updates

To qualify for the Market Livestock Sale, participants are required to complete eight (8) educational credits. Each exhibitor must be Youth for the Quality Care of Animals (YQCA) certified. There will be no educational requirement for youth who graduated from high school the previous year except for YQCA. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to find a YQCA meeting that will fit his/her schedule.



For additional information regarding the educational requirements, please visit <https://fyi.extension.wisc.edu/fdlmeat/educational-requirements/>.

## Livestock Project Upcoming Events

For a listing of all events, go to <https://fyi.extension.wisc.edu/fdlmeat/calendar-of-events/>.

### July

- 16 Fond du Lac County Fair Market Livestock Final Weigh-in, 10 am to 12 noon
- 17 Fond du Lac County Fair Market Livestock Shows
  - 8:00 am Market Swine, Breeding Swine, Bred and Owned, Showmanship
  - 1:00 pm Market Beef, Breeding Stock Beef, Bred and Owned, Showmanship
  - 4:30 pm Market Goat, Bred and Owned, Showmanship
  - 6:00 pm Market Sheep, Breeding Sheep, Bred and Owned, Showmanship
- 18 Market Livestock Sale
- 24 Swine Carcass Contest, 7:00 pm, Loehr's Meat Market, Campbellsport
- 25 Beef & Sheep Carcass Contest, 7:00 pm, Brandon Meats, Brandon

### August

- 1-11 \*Wisconsin State Fair, West Allis, WI (2 points, must exhibit livestock project)

## Reminder-Co Fair Hog Show is Terminal

This year's county fair Jr and Open Hog Shows are TERMINAL shows, meaning hogs not sold through the market livestock sale must go to market after the fair. Please make appointments with processors for those hogs that are not sold through the Market

Livestock Sale. If there is not an appointment, hogs will be shipped to Equity Livestock for market, with the exhibitor receiving a check for market price. For more information, please contact Market Livestock Committee Chairperson Ed Schrauth at 920.960.8106 or at [eschrauth67@gmail.com](mailto:eschrauth67@gmail.com).

## Carcass Contest & Educational Workshop

Please plan on joining the Market Livestock Committee at one or both Carcass Contests & Educational Workshops to be held after the fair. The Hog Carcass Contest will be held on Wednesday, July 24, 7:00 pm at Loehr's Meat, Campbellsport and the Beef & Lamb Carcass Contest will be held Thursday, July 25, 7:00 pm at Brandon Meats, Brandon. Each meeting will count 2 points towards the minimum 8 points needed to qualify for next year's Market Livestock Sale. For more information, please contact a Market Livestock Committee Chairperson Ed Schrauth at 920.960.8106 or at [eschrauth67@gmail.com](mailto:eschrauth67@gmail.com).

## Market Livestock Project Records

Don't forget, in order to be eligible to sell a project animal at the 2019 Market Livestock Sale, project members must complete and submit a completed project record of the animal they sold in the this year's Market Livestock Sale to UW-Extension by 4:30 pm, Friday, September 7. The Market Livestock Project Form can be found online at <https://fyi.extension.wisc.edu/fdlmeat/forms/>. For more information, please contact Market Livestock Committee Chairperson Ed Schrauth at 920.960.8106 or at [eschrauth67@gmail.com](mailto:eschrauth67@gmail.com).

## Dairy Committee Nominations & Elections

2018-19 Dairy Project Committee nominations for 1 adult project member and 2 youth members will be collected at the County Fair Potluck Dinner with ballots being mailed to enrolled dairy project leaders and members in August. If you are interested in running for the dairy project committee or would like more



information, please contact committee chairperson Sarah Loehr at 608.792.7013 or [sarahloehr24@hotmail.com](mailto:sarahloehr24@hotmail.com) or Dairy & Livestock Agent Tina Kohlman at 929.3180 or [tina.kohlman@wisc.edu](mailto:tina.kohlman@wisc.edu).



## National 4-H Dairy Conference Applications

The 65th National 4-H Dairy Conference will be held **September 29 to October 2, 2019** in Madison, Wisconsin. Once again, it will be held in conjunction with World Dairy Expo and attendees will have the chance to visit Expo as part of the conference agenda. Additionally, the conference will offer opportunities to learn more about careers in agriculture, seminars on dairy topics, and a wealth of chances to interact with dairy 4-H members from across the country.

## Arts & Communications

### Arts Camp Counselor/Resource Leader Info

Do you have a passion for the arts? Are you interested in further developing your leadership skills? If you answered yes to either of those questions...we WANT you! Apply today to be a part of our 2019 WI 4-H Arts Camp Staff!



WI 4-H is looking for youth leaders, 9th through 12th graders (in the fall of 2019) to be part of our 2019 WI 4-H Arts Camp Staff. WI 4-H Arts Camp is for youth in 6th - 8th grade. It is designed to provide middle school youth the opportunity to explore and develop skills in several different types of art. It is also an opportunity for youth and adults to work together to share their interests and skills in the arts and to support leadership development for youth and adult leaders.

Youth staff are required to be available for planning with other Arts Camp Staff Members by mail, by phone, and in on-site sessions, September 7-8, 2019 at Upham Woods and Friday, October 4. Camp Dates are Saturday, October 5 - Sunday, October 6.

Please read [Arts Camp Role Descriptions](https://fyi.extension.wisc.edu/wi4harts/files/2014/08/Arts-Camp-Role-Descriptions.pdf) at <https://fyi.extension.wisc.edu/wi4harts/files/2014/08/Arts-Camp-Role-Descriptions.pdf> and the 4-H Online registration instructions at <http://4h.uwex.edu/files/2016/09/4HOnline-Registering-For-An-Event.pdf>.

Apply in 4-H Online at <https://wi.4honline.com/> and

update your health form **by July 15, 2019**. Applicants will be notified of staff selection by August 1.

### What we Expect out of our Arts Camp Youth Staff

- Affirm, encourage and interact with campers with a welcoming, kindhearted and friendly personality; Realize high priority of engaging and interacting with campers.
- Take initiative to solve problems.
- Campers come first; sustain a mentality of selflessness and servant leadership throughout weekend.
- Minimal use of cell phone.
- Be a role model; take appropriate action in each situation knowing eyes are on you.
- Be an outstanding representative of Wisconsin and 4-H.

Plan with other arts camp staff members by e-mail, by phone, and to participate in on-site sessions.

## Home Environment

### 2019 Foods Revue

The Paul & Joanna Grahl Memorial 2019 Foods Revue was held on June 3 at Marian University. The theme this year: Raspberry Rumble. Six 4-H

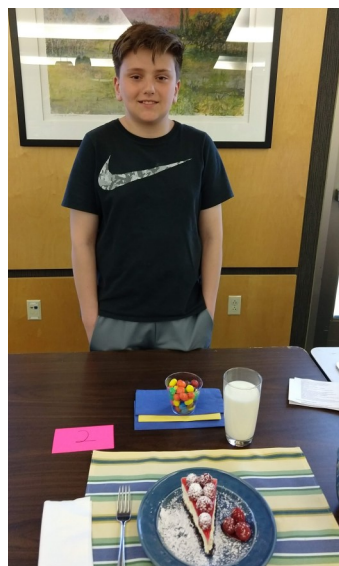


members of all ages participated in this event; everyone did a great job from finding or creating their recipes to setting their tables. All the dishes were delicious, and all the tables were creative. Judge Linda Cooper talked to participants about cooking techniques, ingredients, table settings and ideas for next year. The plant identification contest was popular among the youth and adults. Mason L. of Weeping Willow 4-H won the grade 3-5 division and Allison I. of Alto All Stars 4-H won the senior division. Jana Koffman of Welcome 4-H won the centerpiece class. Julia T of Armstrong 4-H won the Food Photography class. Winning the 2019 Best of Show Award was Mason L. Congratulations and great job to all of our participants!

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Special Thanks to Marian University for once again hosting the event. Also, thank you to everyone who help behind the scenes organizing this event, and to all the parents for supporting their children. You made this event possible.

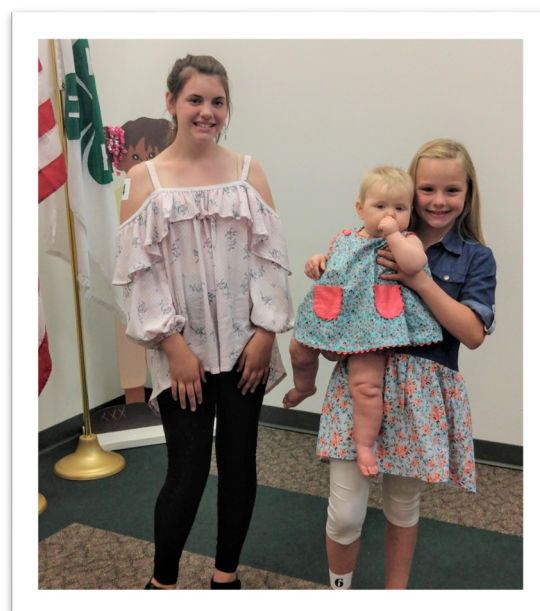
Special Reminder\*\*\*\* Please make sure to fill out your ballot when being judged in the foods area to help select the special ingredient for the 2020 Foods Revue. The winning ingredient will be posted in the Foods Department during the fair week.



*Division winners: Mason L. and Allison I.*

## 2019 Bi-County Fashion Revue hosted by Winnebago County

Nineteen 4-H members from Fond du Lac and Winnebago Counties participated in the Bi-County Fashion Revue on June 10 in Oshkosh. This event provided a place where youth could showcase their clothing, knitting, and crocheting projects. Participants were graded on their garment, creativity, and overall appearance of the garment on the model. Youth received advice from Judges Heidi Hensel-Buntrock and Sue Putra on how to improve their projects for next year and how to improve their confidence level as they describe and model their creations. The Best in Show delegates were Judah K (Winnebago County), Vivian L (Dodge County) and Kendra W (FDL County). The Golden Thread winners were Catherine H, Lizzy P, and Gabby H (all of Winnebago County). Thank you to volunteers Karlene Krueger, Jenni Hostettler, Sara Kolllel, and Sarah Thompson for their help with this event.



*Fond du Lac County Participants Kendra & Ebrielle with Hattie*

## Fond du Lac County Fair

### Contact the Fair Office with Any Fair-related Questions

Please contact the Fair Office at 920.929.3168 or [office@fonddulacountyfair.com](mailto:office@fonddulacountyfair.com) with any questions related to entries, schedules, admissions, or anything fair-related. Though extremely helpful, the Extension Office staff is not equipped to handle questions regarding fair rules, regulations, premium check questions, policies, procedures, or schedules. Thanks in advance for your cooperation.

### Location and Procedures for Fair Judging

If you have an exhibit that will be judged in the Recreation Building, you need to go to the appropriate department to get a number and wait in line. Signs will indicate where you need to go. Some departments will have express lanes for judging when a member has only a couple items. Use the express lane for quicker judging. More details on judging may be found in the fair book.

## Can't Be Present for Face-to-Face Judging?

If you cannot be present for face-to-face judging, you must attach a note to your project that tells how you did the work and what you learned. If you do not attach a note, your exhibit will receive a lower placing.

## Fair T-Shirts

There are fair T-Shirts available this year. Congrats to the winning design! You can try on sizes in the Fair Office. Order forms will be sent to your 4-H Club.

## Fair Clerks Needed

Any teens interested in volunteering at pre-fair judging or open class judging during the fair as clerks, please contact the fair office at office at [fonddulacountyfair.com](http://fonddulacountyfair.com) or call 920-929-3168.

## Action Center

4-H members are needed to help promote 4-H and do activities with youth. Helpers will receive \$1 food coupons for each shift worked, and will have fun interacting with other youth in the Recreation Building. For more information or to volunteer, please contact the Extension Office at 920-929-3170.

## Preparing Items for Exhibit

Fair entry tags will be available for pickup starting Monday, June 24 in the fair office. If you have changes that need to be made on tags, please call the fair office to make changes by July 3. Read the fair book rules and regulations. Securely attach entry tags before arriving at the fair. Remove and keep the bottom part of the entry tag. It serves as a claim check on Sunday night.



## Help Needed to Dismantle Fair Displays

If you exhibit in the youth building, your help to take down displays at the end of the fair is greatly appreciated. Help is needed on Sunday, July 21 beginning at 6:30 p.m. For more details, contact the fair office.

## Release & Pick-Up of Fair Exhibits

Release time is 6 p.m. on Sunday, July 21. Exhibits must be picked-up by 8 p.m. or can be picked up at the fair office the following week by appointment. All unclaimed projects will be discarded after August 1.

## State Fair Award Winners

If you receive a State Fair Award for your project, you will receive a letter shortly after the July 11 judging day with directions to prepare your item to go to this year's Wisconsin



State Fair. Items will be taken to and picked up from the state fair. Each county has a quota for the number of entries we send to state fair. If you are not able to enter your item at state fair, we need to know immediately, so an alternate may be selected. You need to call the Extension Office or stop at the superintendent's table in the Recreation Building by July 21 to indicate whether or not you will be sending your item.

## Updated Camping Application Available

If you are looking to camp at the Fair this year, you may stop in the Fair Office to complete an application and pay for your spot. You may also print off the application from our website and bring it in at your convenience. It is very important that when you are giving the length of your camper you measure from bumper to hitch. Also, please make sure you specify the correct amount of electricity needed. The campground is laid out based on what campers specify they need; accurate information ensures there is adequate room for all our campers plus one vehicle per site. A vehicle parking pass is now included with your camper registration. NEW THIS YEAR: You will need to present proof of liability insurance to camp. Please read the new rules and regulations that can be found with the registration form at <https://www.fonddulacountyfair.com/>. Contact the Fair Office at 920.929.3168 with any questions.



## Dairy Exhibitors Staying In Barns

Anyone wishing to stay overnight in the dairy barns must get an overnight pass from one of the superintendents no later than 6 p.m. of each day. A copy of the dairy barn rules is available from the superintendents or from the Extension office.

## Milk House

Fond du Lac County Fair has been working diligently the past few months to find a processor to take milk from this year's county fair. Due to product verification, certification of non-rBST milk, EU standards for those plants who may export product, and other items beyond our or the processors' control, we currently cannot find a buyer for our fair milk for this year. Because of this situation, the Fond du Lac County Fair Board had decided to not pay out for milk collected in the milk house. Weights will not be collected, but milk will continue to be tested for antibiotics. Exhibitors would have the option to take their milk home. Contact Fair Board member Mark Ryan at 920.923.3528 with any questions or concerns. NOTE: Please be certain that cattle with antibiotics are not brought through the milk house in order to alleviate any problems of contamination.

## Ag Birthing Center Featured at 2019 Fair

Back by popular demand, the Agromatic Ag Birthing Center will feature live births of calves and chicks. Also on display will be baby piglets, goats, sheep, and ducks. The center will serve to educate our guests on animal life cycles and the importance of agriculture. The center will be open from 11 AM to 8 PM daily. Please contact the Fair Office with further questions on the center if you are able to volunteer to help staff the center.



## 4-H Graduation & Recognition Ceremony

The Graduation and Recognition Ceremony for 4-H members will be held Sunday, July 21 at 2 p.m. in the Expo Building. Letters were sent to all 4-H members who graduated from high school this spring or have been in 4-H one year after high school graduation. Come celebrate!

## Fondy Fair 5K Run/Walk

Dust off your running shoes and start training! The Fond du Lac County Fair will be holding its annual 5K Run/Walk at the Fair this year. The event will take place at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday July 20th. The run/walk will start and finish on the grounds. Prizes will be awarded for the first-place runner in each division. There will be a special division for 4-H and FFA members and a FREE kids run after the conclusion of the 5K! The baby crawling contest will again take place after the kids run!! Babies must be able to crawl but be too young to walk. Our first place "crawler" will win a prize! Our run is truly an event for the entire family! Like last year, our run will be chip-timed!! Visit the Fond du Lac County Fair website at [www.fonddulacountyfair.com](http://www.fonddulacountyfair.com) for further details and registration info.

## Baking Contest Returns for 2019

The baking contest will return to the Fond du Lac County Fair. This event is a great way for ANYONE to participate in a competitive exhibit at the Fair. The contest will take place on 7/17 in the Recreation Building at 3 pm. Entries from both youth and adults will be accepted and sampling will take place after the event. There will be a youth and adult division. This year's theme is dairy products to support the dairy industry. You will need to submit a food using three dairy products, and include the recipe. Check the July Newsletter or [fonddulacountyfair.com](http://fonddulacountyfair.com) website for information. Contact JoAnn Hall at 920.904.6786 or the Fair Office for more information or questions.





## Fondy's Got Talent!

Can you sing, dance, play an instrument or have another awesome talent not listed? Sign up for Fondy's Got Talent at this year's fair. There are two age divisions: Youth (age 2-12) and Teen (age 13-18). Participants will perform on Saturday, starting at 1 pm, afternoon, July 20, in the Leinie Lodge. Contestants will compete for the chance to perform for the Wisconsin State Fair competition held in August 11 at the Associated Bank Amphitheater. CASH PRIZES ARE AVAILABLE AT BOTH THE COUNTY AND STATE LEVELS!!! Here is your chance to be a part of the entertainment at both the Fond du Lac County Fair and the Wisconsin State Fair. Applications accepted up to Wed, July 17, 2019. For more information on the competitions, visit <https://www.fonddulacountyfair.com/p/getinvolved/fondys-got-talent> and <https://wistatefair.com/competitions/talent-competition/>.

## New this year: Pallet Art Contest!

For an entry fee of \$5.00, which shall be paid with the registration form, each exhibitor may only enter one item into the Fond du Lac County Fair Pallet Art Contest. An exhibitor can be an individual or a group (ex. 4-H Club, FFA, etc.) This contest is open to children and adults. Prize money will be awarded in three divisions: child, adult, and group.



The items will be judged based on originality, design, aesthetics, and craftsmanship. Pallets may be decorated, painted and/or repurposed.

### Requirements:

- The size can be no longer than a pallet (maximum size 50" x 50" x 12" thick)
- Entry must be completed by the exhibitor (individual or group)
- Entry must be family appropriate and incorporate the 2019 Fair theme: Kickin' it up!
- Exhibitors are responsible for obtaining their own pallets
- 90% of the structural material must be composed of wood from used pallets

The decision of the judges will be final. Pallet Art Contest entry forms are found online at <https://www.fonddulacountyfair.com/> or at the Fair Office.

Entry forms and fees can be mailed to the Fair Office PO Box 1466 Fond du Lac, WI 54936 or dropped off at the Fair Office by July 3. Exhibitor shall bring their entry to the Fond du Lac County Fair Office by Friday, July 12 4:30pm. Judging will take place Wednesday, July 17 during Open Class Judging. Items will be displayed in the Recreation Building during judging and throughout the duration of the fair and can be picked up after 6 PM on Sunday, July 21. If you are unable to take your entry at that time, arrangements for pick-up should be made at the fair office. This contest is separate from Jr. & Open Class Entries. An item entered in Jr. or Open Class is not eligible for this contest.

## Adult Leader Food Stand at the County Fair

Fair food is an annual tradition. While at the fair, plan to eat a meal, get an afternoon snack, pick up a treat, or enjoy a cream puff, with daily flavors, by stopping at the 4-H food stand located in the Expo Building. You'll be supporting your own organization while having a good meal served by cheerful volunteer staff.

Menu: Cream Puff - Walking Taco - Grilled Cheese, Grilled Ham & Cheese - Sloppy Joes - Hot Dog - Hot Dog with Cheese - Chili Dog - Chili Cheese Dog - String Cheese Fruit Cup - Variety of Chips - Go-Gurts - Giant Freeze Pops Ice Cream Treats - Soda - Lemonade - Iced Tea - Water Coffee & three flavors of Milk



*Adult Leader Food Stand*

## Fond du Lac County Fair Family Day

Holiday Automotive will sponsor Family Day on Sunday, July 21. In an effort to support families in our community that are less fortunate, the fair will be conducting a Family-Day Food Drive. Please bring along a donation of non-perishable food items when attending the fair that day. The day will begin with the Little Britches Show in the Cow Palace. The Kiddie Tractor Pull will immediately follow the Little Britches Show. Fair goers will also be treated to entertainment in the Leinie Lodge from 12:00 - 4:00 PM, entertainment on the Festival Foods Tot Spot and Family Stage, and the Demolition Derby. The Ag Birthing and Education Center will also be open to welcome families, in addition, to our petting zoo and carnival. For a complete listing of Family Day events, visit <https://www.fonddulacountyfair.com/>.

## 4-H/FFA Food Drive Contest at the Fair

WHO: Fond du Lac County 4-H Clubs and FFA Chapters

WHAT: Non-perishable food drive

WHEN: During the Fond du Lac Fair (July 17-21), ending July 21 at noon

WHERE: Bring food items to Fair Office, to be displayed in the Recreation Building

**\*\*\*Club with most food items will win a prize!!!**

## Family Bingo

B I N G O					
1	27	33	48	75	
8	19	45	56	61	
3	18	FREE SPACE	49	69	
15	26	41	53	66	
2	21	37	46	65	

Family bingo is free and will take place in the Expo Building. It will feature great prizes from various local businesses. Check out <https://www.fonddulacountyfair.com/> for daily bingo times and more information.

## 4-H Artwork on Display

From July 29 - August 31, there will be select 4-H items on display at the Gallery & Frame Shop located in historic downtown Fond du Lac. Support those members by stopping at the Gallery & Frame shop during those dates to see their work. At the Fond du Lac County Fair, those select items will be signified with a tag indicating, "Gallery Exhibit Award." Items may be picked up earlier if needed by calling the gallery. Thank you Gallery & Frame Shop!

## 25% Off Framing

The Gallery & Frame Shop in downtown Fond du Lac offers 25% off the framing and/or framing materials for 4-H fair projects. Upon placing your order with your shop, indicate that it will be for a 4-H fair project if you would like to receive the discount.

# Club News

## Armstrong

By: Abigail K.

We hosted a kickball game before our June monthly meeting.



## Campbellsport

By Secretary: Joseph K

The club had a Family Swim Night. Mark Peterson won the Milk Mustache contest sponsored by Campbellsport 4-H. The club raised over \$1600 with the bucket fundraiser for Jackson Kolhman who is facing cancer. Campbellsport 4-H will lead concessions for Symphony in the Park on July 11 at Fireman's Park from 5:00-9:00 p.m. The club decided on a "Garage Ready" outdoor gear basket to be donated to the Fair Silent Auction.

## Taft 23

By: Reporter Ebbie T.

In August, the club is going to a Dock Spider's game. A committee was formed for the 4-H Silent Auction basket. Taft 23 is planting its fair flower pot this month. The club is volunteering in the TLA Food Stand during the Fair.

## Busy Bees

By: Secretary Jessica F.

The club decided on doing a cookout this year. Election of officers was during the June Meeting. The new officers are: President- Kaylee M, Vice President- Megan O, Secretary- Jessica F, Treasurer- Callista V, Reporter- Harley L, Sergeant at Arms- Tate Vande Slunt. Riley Z talked about trap. Jessica F talked about a painting that she took to the fair last year. Callista V talked about a painting that she plans on taking to the fair this year.

## Ledgers

By: Reporter Kelly W.

Ledger 4-H members volunteered at the Salute the Troops races on Memorial Day weekend. We had members go to Woodlands Senior Care to play games. Ledger families are helping with the Police Memorial garden. We are going to Park Ridge Gardens in July. Our club attended the City Council Meeting on June 18. We presented the flags and said the Pledge of Allegiance.



## Forest Hills

By: Secretary Kayla D.

Before the meeting, we had Town Hall clean up. Our club went to Horicon Marsh in June. The Cooper family offered to do a tour for June dairy month. The club will be donating an art basket for the silent auction.

## Hands of Friendship

By: Jenny A

Hands of Friendship members made ice cream to celebrate June dairy month. We plan on attending a Timber Rattlers game. Plans to enter the small town parade in Van Dyne are under way.

# Donations

## 4-H Leaders Association Program Contributions

4-H programs highlighted in this newsletter that receive financial support from the Fond du Lac County 4-H Adult Leaders Association include:

Wisconsin 4-H Youth Conference      Fall Forum  
Citizenship Washington Focus      New Horizons  
American Spirit Experience

# Calendar of Events

### July

- 11 Raffle ticket stubs and funds due back to Extension office
- 11 **Pre-fair judging, 1-7 pm @ Fond du Lac County Fairgrounds**
- 16 **Pre-fair judging, 1-7 pm @ Fond du Lac County Fairgrounds**
- 17-21 **Fond du Lac County Fair**
- 21 Raffle drawing @ Fond du Lac County Fair
- 21 4-H Graduation and Recognition Ceremony, 2 pm @ FdL County Fair
- 22-27 New Horizons Trip
- 24 Swine Carcass Contest, 7:00 pm, Loehr's Meat Market, Campbellsport
- 25 Beef & Sheep Carcass Contest, 7:00 pm, Brandon Meats, Brandon
- 29 Executive Board meeting, 6:30 pm, Extension

### August

- 1-11 **Wisconsin State Fair, West Allis, WI**
- 6 National Night Out, 4-7 pm @ FdL Fairgrounds Park
- 7-8 **Alto Fair in Alto**
- 21 Adult leaders meeting, 6:30 pm, Extension
- 26 Teen Leader Association Meeting, 7:30 pm @ Rolling Meadows Meeting Room



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