



## February 21, 2023

## Upcoming Events and Programs



## 19th Annual Sarah Nelson Memorial Pancake Breakfast February 26, 8:00am - Noon

Join us for the 19th annual Sarah Nelson Memorial Pancake Breakfast! Come on out on February 26, 8-Noon at the Pleasant Valley Community Center, S 10414 County Road HH, Eleva, WI 54738. \$8.00 for adults, \$5.00 for kids -- ALL YOU CAN EAT! Pancakes, sausage, cheese curds. Bring the family out for a delicious breakfast serving a great cause!



### 2023 4-H Summer Camp!

4-H Summer Camp is going to look a little different this year. There will be two camps! One camp will be hosted at Kamp Kenwood for grades 3-6. The second camp will be an outpost camp located at Lake Wissota Campground for grades 7-9. These camps will be hosted by Clark, Dunn, and Eau Claire Counties. Both camps will be from June 7-10, 2023. Registration information coming here soon!

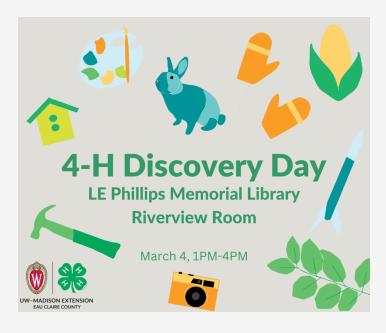
Registration will be open by the end of the day on Friday, February 24! (Watch your email!)

Summer Camp



#### Volunteer in Preparation Training

One of the first steps in becoming a registered 4-H volunteer with Extension is to attend this volunteer orientation called "Volunteers in Preparation." Rachel will be holding the next Volunteer in Preparation Training (VIP) on **Thursday, March 2, at 7:00 PM** at the Extension office.



Help needed to promote 4-H! 4-H Discovery Day is scheduled for the LE Phillips Memorial Library in the Riverview Room on March 4 from 1-4PM. Please help showcase 4-H projects & sign up to host an activity.

Sign-up to Help



#### Leaders Association Meeting

The enxt meeting of the Eau Claire County 4-H Leaders Association will be Tuesday, March 14 at 6:30 P.M. at the Extension office. The Executive Board will meet beforehand at 6:00.



#### **Global Exploration Series**

The Spring Global Exploration Series is an opportunity to visit countries around the world from the comfort of your own home. Be curious, ask questions, and have a conversation with UW-Madison international students to develop a better understanding of our world. This opportuity is open to youth of all ages and adult volunteers. Don't miss out on this spring's line-up featuring six countries!

The first session is Thursday, February 16 starting at 7:00 PM. Other dates are February 28, March 16, March 28, April 13, and April 25.

Program goals are

- To gain a deeper understanding and appreciation of other countries and cultures.
- Reflect on important aspects of your own culture.
- To increase curiosity and deisre to explore the world.

Learn more here and register today via <u>4HOnline</u>.



#### Foods Review Rescheduled!

Save the Date - April 2, 2023

Our apologies for changing the date, but this is a pre-fair event and we were waiting for the fair

book to be approved.

Look for the registration form and other information soon!



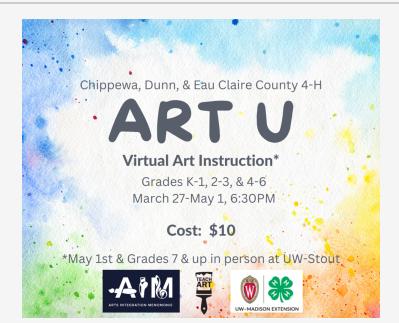
#### 2023 Wildlife & Woods Virtual Classes

Wildlife and Woods is Wisconsin 4-H's statewide natural sciences, wildlife, and forestry monthly, virtual event.

Outdoor enthusiasts connect with other 4-H youth of all ages from around the state. Together, we explore the natural world with a special focus on wildlife, wildlife habitats, and trees. Participants learn about wild places across the United States following the 4-H Wildlife Habitat Education Program (WHEP) and the 4-H Forestry Program. Materials are designed for all ages and knowledge levels, so everyone can benefit. Since the sessions are co-presenter by youth and adult leaders, the youth leadership opportunities are plentiful.

Mark your 2023 calendars for the three Wednesdays, 7- 8 pm. February 22 March 22 April 26 May 24

Join us January 25 for "a New Year and Planting Seeds for the Future"! and visit the following website for ongoing information: <u>https://4h.extension.wisc.edu/opportunities/projects/wildlife-whep-wisconsin-4-h-wisconsin-4-h-forestry/wildlife-woods-virtual-classes/</u>



Art U 2023

Virtual Art Instruction\*

Mondays, March 27-May 1 at 6:30 PM.

Cost \$10 (Pay to Extension Eau Claire County) -- Scholarships available. Contact <u>Rachel Hart-</u> <u>Brinson</u>

Join UW-Stout art education majors who will lead young people in an exploration of People, Animals, and the Natural World through painting, drawing, collage, sculpture, printmaking, repoussé, and textiles.

Register at <u>4HOnline</u>. Registration closes March 6.

Not a 4-H member? No problem. Follow the directions to register as a participant. Click here.

\*May 1 and Grades 7 & up in person at UW-Stout



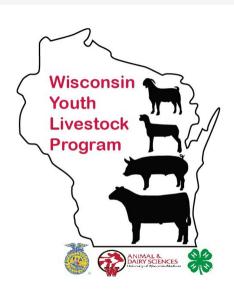


## Wisconsin 4-H Foundation Scholarships Available

#WI4HFoundation is accepting scholarship applications

To be considered for financial support, applications must be received by the Wisconsin 4-H Foundation via email by Wednesday, March 15, 2023, 5:00 pm. Click the button below for more informiatonand reigistration.

#### Register Here



#### Upcoming Livestock Programs

If you are involved in a livestock project, click the button below for a scheudle of upcoming events.

Livestock Programs



## Summer Academy - Exploring Your Why

Wisconsin 4-H and UW-Madison Extension are excited to announce a new opportunity: the Summer Academy!

This program is open to any 4-Hers in grades 7-10 and will be held from June 19-22, 2023 on the UW-Madison campus. Students will be able to experience life in a residence hall, with the chance to build lifelong friendships with other students from across Wisconsin. Registraion opens in April.

The theme of the inaugural Summer Academy is "Exploring Your WHY," with the goal of providing students the resources to discover pathways to their futures. There will be chances to learn about higher education from UW-Madison and Madison College, as well as career discovery and networking opportunities.

Registration opens in April. Keep an eye on the Summer Academy website using the button below for more information to come! We can't wait to see 4-Hers from Eau Claire participate this June!

Summer Academy



# Wildlife WHEP Wisconsin 4-H

## Wisconsin 4-H Forestry

"Tracks" Newsletter

Interested in wildlife and forestry activities? Click the button below to see the February 2023 "Tracks" Newsletter

February 2023 "Tracks"

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