



April 4, 2023

Upcoming Events and Programs



2023 4-H Camp

Kamp Kenwood & Outpost Camp Lake Wissota

Eau Claire-Dunn-Clark 4-H Summer Base Camp (grades 3-6)

June 7-10, 2023

Cost \$110

Make new friends. Try new things. Sleep in a cabin with your counselors. Sing camp songs. Make bracelets. Swim at Lake Wissota State Park. HAVE FUN! Registration open NOW through May 1 in 4-HOnline Scholarships available. Contact Rachel Hart-Brinson for scholarship information.

Note: Please make sure you click "pay by check" and then the "finish" button to complete your registration. Payments will be processed through Clark County. 4HOnline cannot accept credit card payments. Disregard any automatically generated messages that say to pay your county. (Those cannot be turned off, unfortunately.) An invoice will be sent to you with payment instructions.

Drop off and pick up at Kamp Kenwood 19161 79th Ave, Chippewa Falls, WI 54729

Eau Claire-Dunn-Clark 4-H Summer Outpost Camp (grades 7-9)

June 7-10, 2023

Cost \$110

Make new friends. Try new things. Sleep in a tent. Canoe for a picnic lunch. Geocache. Build camp fires. HAVE FUN! Registration open NOW through May 1 in 4-HOnline Scholarships available. Limited sleeping pads and sleeping bags available. Contact Rachel Hart-Brinson for scholarship and supply information.

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Camp Volunteers & Chaperones

We need chaperones and helpers for both base camp and outpost camp. Please contact Rachel Hart-Brinson if you would like to be a chaperone or volunteer. Overnight chaperones must be a certified 4-H volunteer including the Supporting Youth Mental Health training. We need you! Please consider volunteering. Daytime volunteers may need to be a 4-H volunteer.

Register for Camp @ 4HOnline



Clover University

Want to explore a new project area or hobby? Then join us on Saturday, April 22, for Clover University! It will be held at Elk Mound High School. Registration will begin at 9:00, with sessions running from 9:30 until 3:00. Lunch will be included!

Sessions include

- Food Preservation
- Fly Fishing
- Rocketry • Photography
- Watercolor
- Woodworking
- Sculpture
- Sewing
- · Gardening
- Foods & Nutrition Flower Arranging

Click here for full session descriptions.

Register for Clover University @ 4HOnline



Fibers of our Future - Weaving Series

Register for a Virtual Learning Opportunity: Fibers of Our Future--Weaving Series

Explore your Sparks in art & STEM!

Join us for Weaving Patterns, Weaving Materials, and Weaving Light. We will have three virtual sessions May 9, 16, & 23.

Registration closes April 27 (or when the maximum number of participants is reached.)

Sessions are aimed at those 5th grade and up. They were developed by Helloloom! creator and professor of design at UW-Madison, Marianne Fairbanks; UW-Madison STEM outreach specialist, Tom Zinnen; and 4-H Program Educator in Eau Claire County, Rachel Hart-Brinson. Each session will build on the previous one, but you will have access to a recording to watch the ones you may have missed.

Supplies will be sent to you or your County's Extension Office after registration closes April 27.

Thanks to a Baldwin Grant, there is no cost for this program.

Register for Fibers of our Future



Summer Academy - Exploring Your Why

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

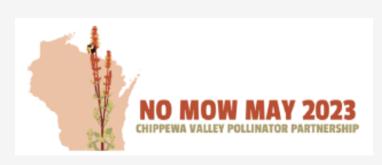
This program is open to any 4-Hers in grades 7-10 and will be held from June 19-22, 2023 on the UW-Madison campus. Students will be able to experience life in a residence hall, with the chance to build lifelong friendships with other students from across Wisconsin. Registraion opens in April.

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 is from April 1-30I You will register in 4HOnline. 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 Webpage

Summer Academy registration @ 4HOnline



Call for Student Artists: WI Native Pollinator Art

Contest

Chippewa Valley Student Artists, come celebrate Wisconsin's Native Pollinators through art. Three categories of artists include grades K-6, grades 7-9, and grades 10-12. Three winners will be selected from each category and will be awarded cash prizes of \$100, \$75, and \$50. All work will be uploaded and displayed in a virtual show, available for wide viewing.

1) Instructions: Draw, paint, or collage up to 2 pieces of art containing a *WI native pollinator (see below for good sources)

2) All art shall be photographed and emailed to ECPollinatorArt@gmail.com before or by midnight May 1, 2023. Files may be PDF or JPEG and no larger than 25 MB. Larger files will not be accepted.

3) Submit your art on or before May 1, 2023. Included your name, grade, the name of the WI native pollinator depicted in your art, and the title of your piece. A panel of jurors will select the winners, who will be notified by May 15. An online virtual art show will be available May 15-June 15 to share with friends and family.

*WI Native Pollinator photos available at this DNR website.

Chippewa Valley Pollinator Partnership is a collaboration of many organizations within Eau Claire and beyond working to support our pollinators, including JONAH, Beaver Creek Reserve, the CV Sierra Club, EC Master Gardeners, the EC Garden Club, EC County Sustainability Coordinator, EC City Sustainability Advisory Board, Wisconsin Natural Resources Conservation Service Pollinator Liaison, the National Pollinator Partnership- and others. This work has been made possible by a generous Pablo Foundation Grant.





Global Exploration Series

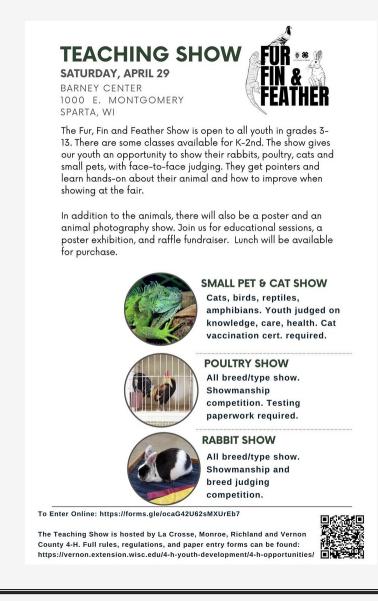
The Spring Global Exploration Series is an opportunity to visit countries around the world from the comfort of your own home. Be curious, ask questions, and have a conversation with UW-Madison international students to develop a better understanding of our world. This opportuity is open to youth of all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

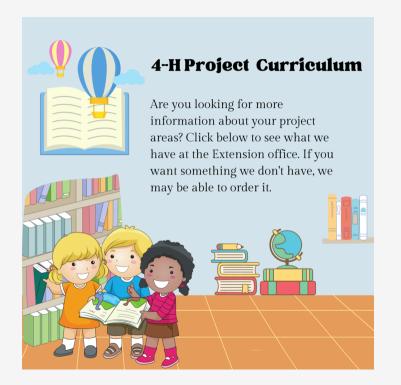
The first session is Thursday, February 16 starting at 7:00 PM. Other dates are February 28, March 16, March 28, April 13, and April 25.

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 4HOnline.

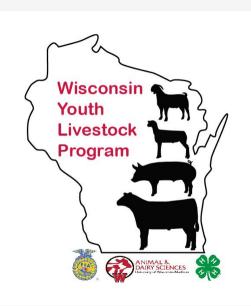




4-H Project Curriculum Library

We have many resources available for most project areas. Click the green button below for a list of what we have on hand to loan out. It's a great way to get more information and ideas on your projects.

Eau Claire County 4-H Project Curriculum Library



Upcoming Livestock Programs

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

Livestock Programs

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