

Eau Claire County 4-H Clover Leaves



November 4, 2025

APPLY TO BE A CAMP COUNSELOR

4-H Summer Camp at Kamp Kenwood and Lake Wissota State Park June 7-10

Additional Training Dates: Feb 2-8, May 3, and June 6

Grades 9-13

Scan to Apply

Camp Counselor Applications

Become a Camp Counselor for 4-H Camp! ☐

Camp Dates: June 7–10, 2026 (Outpost & Base Camp)

Applications Due: January 4 by 11:59pm

Are you ready to lead, inspire, and make unforgettable memories? Youth in grades 9 and up are encouraged to apply to be a camp counselor for the 2026 Clark, Dunn & Eau Claire 4-H Camps!

As a counselor, you will help shape the camp experience for youth, build leadership skills, and be part of an amazing team. Whether you're new or returning, we want YOU to apply!

Key Dates:

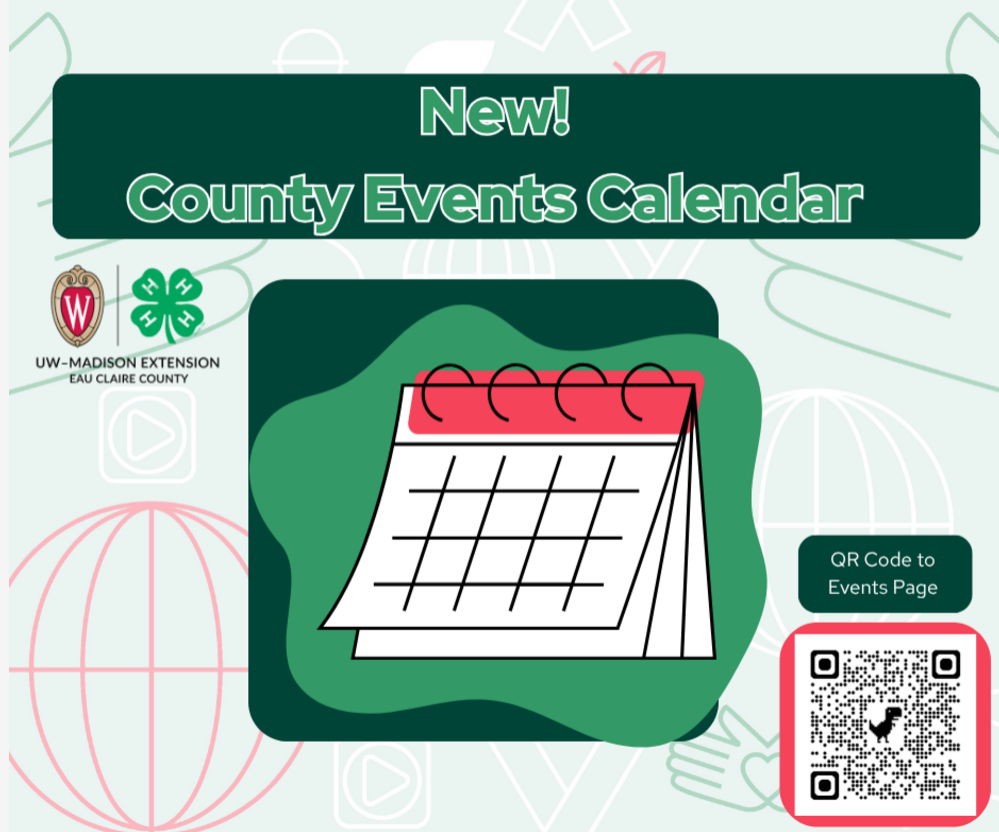
☐ Application Deadline: January 4

☐ Zoom Interviews: January

☐ Training Dates: February 7–8, May 3, June 5

☐ Camp Dates: June 7–10

Application



New County Events Calendar

Check out the 4-H county calendar of events. Put dates on your calendar.

If any youth or adult would like to be on the planning committee for an event, please let Rachel know! We need people to help plan the Foods Revue, Clothing Revue, and the Home & Garden Show promotion.

And, if you have an event you want on the calendar, please send Rachel an e-mail at rachel.hartbrinson@wisc.edu.

Nominate a Volunteer or Partner

Due Nov 17 by noon

- Judy Preston Award
- Partner in 4-H
- Distinguished 4-H Leader



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Volunteer & Partner Award Nominations

Please nominate volunteers and partner organizations to recognize at our 4-H Awards Banquet. 4-H exists because of the investment from volunteers and partner organizations. It is important to recognize their contribution to the program. **Due November 17 at noon.**

Click Buttons below for Nomination forms.

Partner in 4-H

Distinguished 4-H Leader

Judy Preston

Past Winners



Eau Claire County 4-H Needs Assessment

Please take the Eau Claire County 4-H Needs Assessment before midnight on Nov 30. Adults and youth are invited to share their thoughts. We especially want to know about how you hear (or don't)

about 4-H events and programs. It will take you less than 10 minutes.

Click the button to take the survey or scan the QR code in the graphic.

[Survey](#)

EVENTS

Cultural Baking Series

Dec 4, 11, & 18

Grades: 4th and up

This virtual series explores new baking techniques and ingredients while in your own kitchen.

**REGISTRATION CLOSES at
NOON, NOVEMBER 17, 2025**



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UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MADISON



Register for the Cultural Baking Series held at 6:30 PM on Dec 4, 11, & 18 via Zoom. We will learn new baking techniques, try new-to-us ingredients, and explore our cultural connection to food. This series is recommended for those in 4th grade and up. Families will receive a recipe book and ingredient list by email.

There is no fee for this program. Your family will need to purchase ingredients and supplies.

We will be making: Swedish Crackers, Cornmeal cranberry cookies and Hilbeh (Middle Eastern Fenugreek Cake)

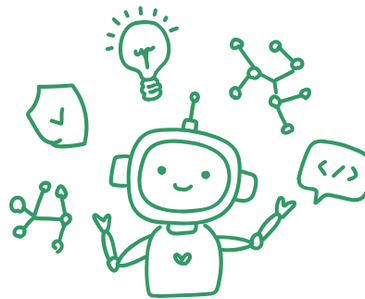
Registration closes Nov 17 at Noon!!

Cultural Baking Registration

4-H ROBOTICS DAY

December 6, 2025 from 9:45am–3:00pm

Students in grades 5–8 from Chippewa, Dunn, and Eau Claire counties are invited to UW–Stout for an exciting hands-on experience—touring robotics and fabrication labs, building and programming robots, and competing in challenges that explore the worlds of mechanical engineering and computer science.



Where: UW–Stout's Vocational Rehabilitation Building
221 10th Ave E, Menomonie, WI



Cost: \$5.00 (payment to Chippewa County Treasurer)

Excited to begin? Sign up now at
go.wisc.edu/a6roboticsday25 or scan
the QR code by **November 28, 2025**



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Area 6 Robotics Day with UW-Stout

Welcome to 4-H Robotics Day at UW–Stout! Thank you for your interest in this exciting hands-on experience hosted at UW–Stout's Fab Lab.

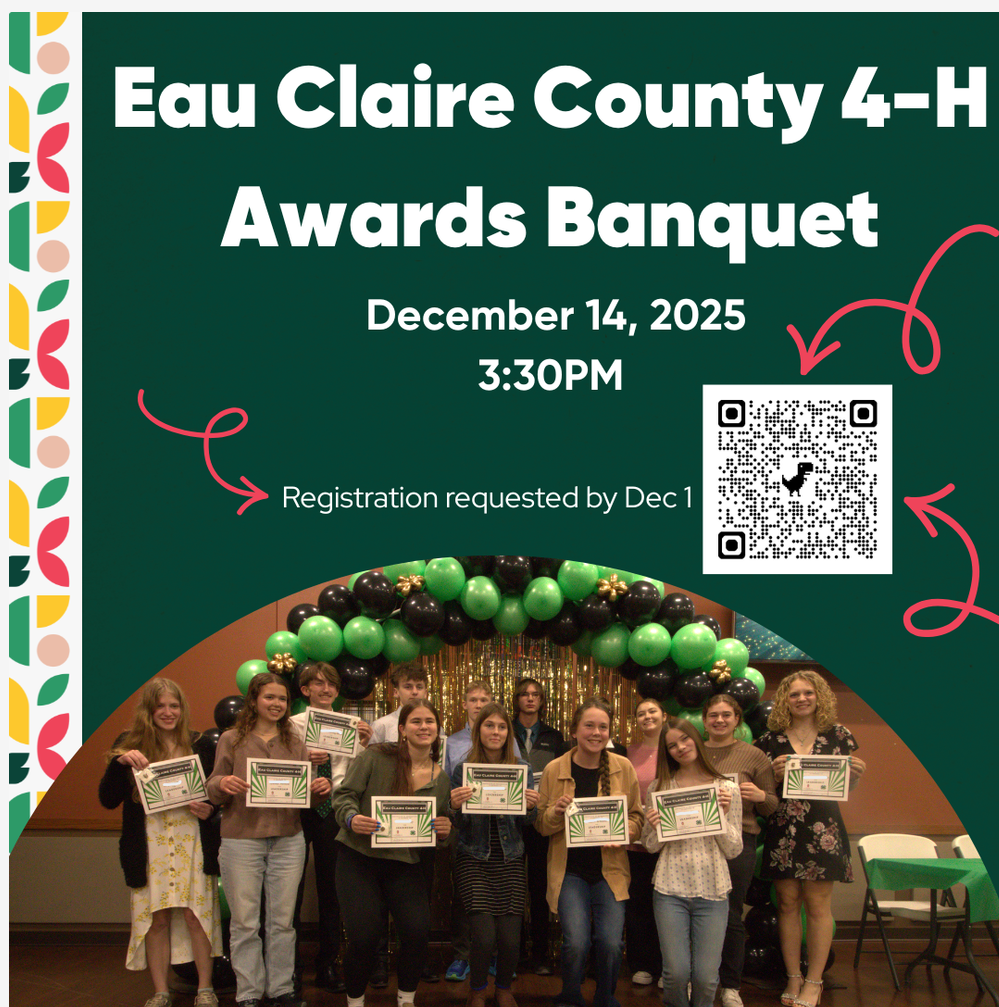
- ☐ Date: December 6, 2025
- ☐ Location: Vocational Rehabilitation Building, 221 10th Ave E, Menomonie, WI
- ☐ Lunch: Pizza included
- ☐ Cost: \$5 (payable to Chippewa County Treasurer)

Students in grades 5–8 from Chippewa, Dunn, and Eau Claire counties will explore the cutting-edge world of robotics—touring fabrication labs, building and programming robots, and competing in engineering challenges that highlight mechanical engineering and computer science.

☐ Please Note: Personal phones and digital devices will not be permitted during the program. We ask that you discuss this expectation with your child and avoid texting them during the event.

Registration is open via Qualtrics and close 11/28/2025. Excited to begin? Sign up now at go.wisc.edu/a6roboticsday25 or scan the QR code by November 28, 2025

Questions: Jordan Blue (Chippewa): jordan.blue@wisc.edu



Eau Claire County Awards Banquet—Please Register!

Please register for the banquet by Dec 1.

All 4-H members and their families are invited to attend. We celebrate member achievements, volunteers, and partners. We'll also enjoy a taco bar and play bingo. It is a great time to come together as a county and celebrate our time together.

[Banquet Registration](#)



Build 4-H Fun: Games Night



November 8

4-5PM



Register Using the QR Code



Build 4-H Fun: Games Night

November 8th from 4-5PM at the Sports Warehouse.

Did you register? No worries. Send Rachel an e-mail at rachel.hartbrinson@wisc.edu to tell her you will come.

Eau Claire County 4-H



INTERVIEW NIGHT

NOVEMBER 16
STARTING AT 4PM

EXTENSION OFFICE--
227 FIRST STREET WEST,
ALTOONA



Interview Night November 16

County award & scholarship applicants should sign up for an interview timeslot. Watch for an e-mail on how to sign up. Those in grades 7 and up who are interested in experiencing an interview are also welcome to sign up.

Location: Extension Office 227 First Street West, Altoona

First interview slot at 4PM



PLEASANT VALLEY CLOVERS 4-H CLUB
PRESENTS

21st Annual

COOKIE WALK *and Craft Sale*

10AM-12PM

DECEMBER 6
2025

PLEASANT VALLEY
COMMUNITY CENTER

HOMEMADE
COOKIES BY THE
POUND AND
LOCAL VENDORS

Cookie Walk December 6

Support the Pleasant Valley Clovers 4-H Club at the Cookie Walk & Craft Sale from 10am-12pm at the

Pleasant Valley Community Center, S10414 Cty Rd I, Eleva.

Local vendors and homemade goodies by the pound.



Next Meeting - November 11, 2025

Thank you to those who have volunteered already to be on the Executive Board.

Leaders Association Meetings are held at the Eau Claire County Extension Office the 2nd Tuesday of September, November, January, March, May, and June. 6:00pm will be a time to hear policy updates, ask the 4-H Educator questions, and brainstorm club ideas. Meetings will start at 6:30pm. PLEASE make every effort to send a representative to these meetings. Attending is how we make connections and learn from each other to bring the best program we can to the young people in our clubs. It connects your local club program to the wider county program and makes you aware of the wider opportunities in 4-H so that you can promote those to your club members.

[2024-2025 Leaders Association Google Folder](#)

[2025-2026 Leaders Association Google Folder](#)

OLDER YOUTH COUNCIL



Eau Claire County 4-H Older Youth Council 2025-2026 Calendar of Events

Sunday, September 7, 6:00 p.m.

Kickoff Meeting, Eau Claire Sport Warehouse, 2983 11th Street, Eau Claire, WI 54703

Monday, October 6, 5:30 p.m.

National 4-H Week Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser, Pleasant Valley Community Center

Monday, November 3, 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Feed My People Service Night, 2610 Alpine Rd • Eau Claire, WI 54703

Monday, November 17, 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Tactical Escape, Oakwood Mall, 4800 Golf Rd #70, Eau Claire, WI 54701

Monday, December 1, 6:00 p.m.

Glass Orchard, 130 Deerfield Rd, Eau Claire, WI 54701

Friday, December 5, 5:30 p.m. arrival, 6:30 p.m.

Clearwater Parade, Grand & First Avenue, Eau Claire

Sunday, December 14, 3:30 p.m.

County Banquet, Pleasant Valley Community Center

Monday, January 5, 6:00 p.m.

Beaver Creek, S1 County Hwy K, Fall Creek, WI 54742

Monday, February 2, 6:00 p.m.

Bowling at Bowlwinkles, 1616 N Clairemont Ave #1, Eau Claire, WI 54703

Sunday, February 22, 8:00 a.m. to noon

Sarah Nelson Memorial Pancake Breakfast, Pleasant Valley Community Center

Monday, March 2, 6:00 p.m.

Painting at The Paint Shack, 2524 Golf Rd #2C, Eau Claire, WI 54701

Monday, April 6, 6:00 p.m.

Goat Farm Tour at Lymett Farms, 6667 36th St Colfax

Monday, May 4, 6:00 p.m.

Archery at Banbury Place, Enter through door number 17

Monday, June 1, 6:00 p.m.

Reboot Social, 220 S Barstow St, Eau Claire, WI 54701

Monday, July 6, 6:00 p.m.

County Fair Prep, Expo Center Pavilion, 5530 Fairview Drive, Eau Claire, WI

Older Youth Council

Older Youth Council is open to any youth enrolled in the 4-H program who is in 7th grade and up. They do a variety of service and fun. It's a great way to increase your leadership skills.

Contact leader, Jodi Thesing-Ritter at thesinjm@uwec.edu or Rachel Hart-Brinson at rachel.hartbrinson@wisc.edu for more information.



OYC Social: Tactical Escape Room

November 17, 6PM

Oakwood Mall, 4800 Golf Rd #70



OYC Meeting

The Glass Orchard 130 Deerfield Rd, Eau Claire, WI 54701 December 1 at 6:00PM

STATE 4-H EVENTS



4-H AMERICAN SPIRIT EXPERIENCE



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American Spirit Experience

2026: Empowering Youth Through History & Leadership

Registration open now through Nov 30 in 4-H Online!

Are you a 4-H member in grades 8–10 who loves history, travel, and making new friends? The 4-H American Spirit Experience might be the perfect adventure for you!

2026 Travel Dates: June 18–29, 2026 and July 3–12, 2026.

Only 45 spots available for each week of travel so apply early!

[4-H Online](#)

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