



## Sauk County 4-H News

Hello All,

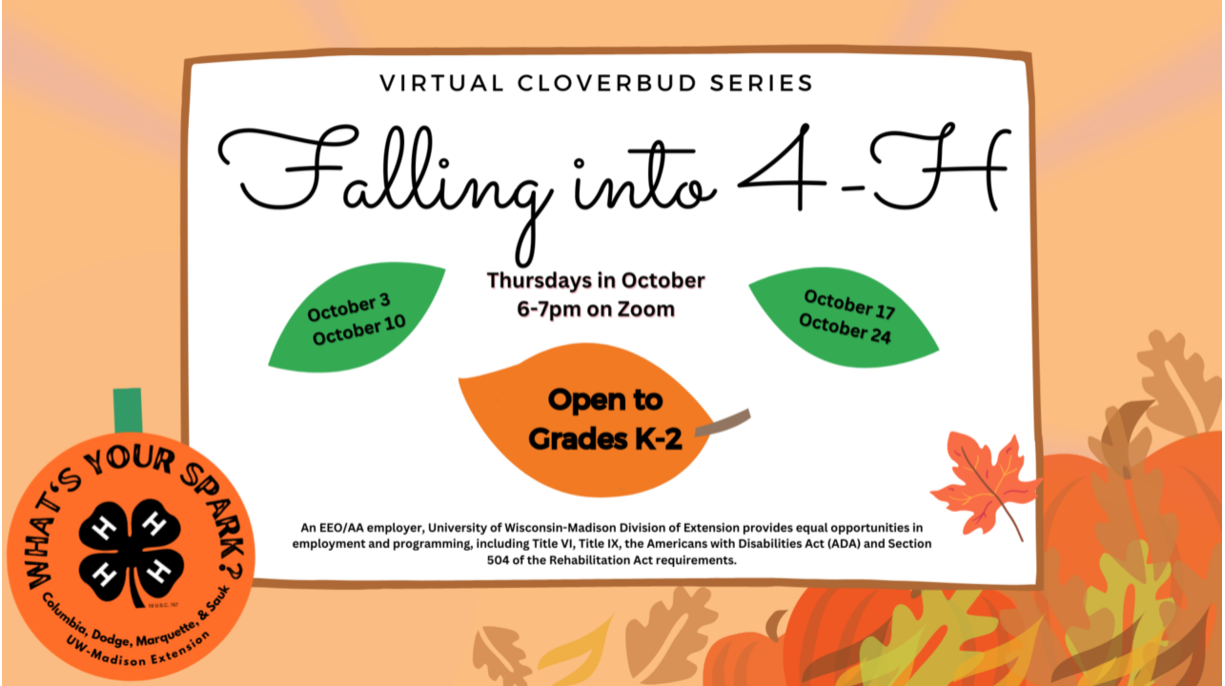
It's September, so that means enrollment is now open for the new 4-H year! As the largest youth development organization in the nation, 4-H provides a place for all kids to reach their full potential. They're able to see the world beyond themselves through hands-on, research-based experiences in every corner of Wisconsin. In Sauk County 4-H, we're growing the next generation of Wisconsin leaders! Enroll (or re-enroll) today through [4-H Online](#) and invite a friend to join you!

Enrollment is open now. Returning members must re-enroll by Oct. 1st, 2024. New members are welcome anytime.

Have questions about all that 4-H has to offer or need more information about enrollment? Contact our office with questions at 608-355-3250 or email [4H@saukcountywi.gov](mailto:4H@saukcountywi.gov)

Stacy Parsons

4-H Youth Development Educator



## Falling into 4-H Virtual Cloverbud Series

Cloverbuds will sample a variety of fall activities through hands-on, at home virtual activities designed just for them!

Open to Cloverbud & guests in K-2nd grades in Columbia, Dodge, Marquette, and Sauk counties. Registration closes September 19th.

Thursday October 3rd - 6PM

Thursday October 10th - 6PM

Thursday October 17th - 6PM

Thursday October 24th - 6PM

Prior to the first session, participants will be sent a zoom link to participate. Zooms will be recorded.

Costs are being covered by our counties 4-H Leader Associations. Most materials will be provided and can be picked up at your local County Extension Office between Sept 30-Oct 3rd.

[Register Now](#)

# Distance Learning Opportunity



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## BOOK READING WITH AUTHOR!



### SIGN UP:



<https://4h.extension.wisc.edu/wi-distance-learning/>

Join us for a fun **Zoom meeting** with **Tammy Stuhr**, a best-selling children's book author and a 30+ year 4-H volunteer. Tammy will read her book ***Jax Finds His Talent***, where Jax discovers his unique talents and learns to share them to make the world a better place. After the story, Tammy will lead a fun activity you can do from home or with friends at one of our host sites. This activity is intended for **elementary age** youth but open to all ages! Join us on September 19th from 6:00-7:00 PM for this great opportunity!

For More Information and to Register - Click Here

# Apply Today Scholarships for 4-H Trips



All applications are due **October 1st**

All youth in grades 6th through 12th are encouraged to take a look at the scholarships for trips this upcoming year!

- Advanced Space Camp 10-12 grades
- Space Camp 6-8 grades
- Citizenship Washington Focus 10-12 grades
- National 4-H Conference 10-12 grades
- American Spirit 8-10 grades

Applications can be found on county website:  
<https://sauk.extension.wisc.edu/sauk-county-4-h/awards/>



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## Applications are Now Open for 2024-25

### Educational Travel Opportunities

The Sauk County 4-H Leader's Association invites you to apply for sponsorship to attend one or more of the statewide or national events and opportunities available to youth members in grades 6-13.

Click the button for more information on what trips are available and how to apply. Don't wait - Apply today!

Guide to Apply



# SAUK CO. 4-H FAMILY DAY

**Open House** For new & current 4-H Families!

4-H is the perfect place for you!

- Discover 4-H Projects
- Make Crafts & Do Activities
- Connect with 4-H members & leaders
- Learn what 4-H has to offer



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**OCT  
19  
9AM-  
NOON**



**WEST SQUARE  
ADMIN  
BUILDING**

505 Broadway St  
Baraboo, WI 53913



**ADVANCED SPACE ACADEMY!**  
**U.S. SPACE & ROCKET CENTER**



**2025!**

**REGISTER:**  
**SEPT. 4-30**

**GRADES:**  
**10-12**

**TRAVEL DATES: FEB. 15-22**

**A MINIMUM OF 36 YOUTH**  
**ARE REQUIRED FOR THE**  
**EXPERIENCE**

   
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## Advanced Space Academy

Wisconsin 4-H is excited to announce details for the 2025 Advanced Space Academy! Advanced Space Academy will take place from February 15-22, 2025, and youth will travel to Huntsville, AL via coach bus and get the opportunity to train like an astronaut, learn team building skills at the Space Camp Challenge Course, participate in SCUBA diving at the underwater astronaut trainer, and learn a ton more about Space and STEM! You can see additional program details on Space Camp's website: <https://www.rocketcenter.com/SpaceCamp/AdvancedAcademy>.

Registration is open to youth in grades 10-12 for the 24-25 4-H year, and the cost is \$2,700/per person. Registration will be open in 4HOnline from September 4-30, 2024. There is a minimum number of 36 participants, this experience will be cancelled if it does not reach the minimum. We hope to see you when we blast off in February!

[Click Here for More Info](#)

# FALL FORUM 2024



## SAVE THE DATE



November 2-3

FUN

NEW IDEAS

Sparking  
New  
Connections!

NETWORKING

LEARNING

Open to youth  
(7th grade and  
up), and adult  
volunteers

Stevens Point



## Fall Forum 2024

Save the date and get ready to Spark New Connections at this year's 4-H Fall Forum, November 2-3 in Stevens Point!

Open to youth in grades 7 & up and adult volunteers; we hope you'll consider joining to learn new ideas for your club, spark some new project ideas, and meet other members from around the state!

**Scholarship:** Sauk County 4-H Senior Leaders will reimburse 50% of registration and lodging for any member attending. Contact Stacy for more info!

Registration is open 4-H Online.

[Click Here for More Info](#)



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# 4-H Arts Camp



Upham Woods,  
Wisconsin Dells



Oct. 5-6



Register by  
Sept. 16



Grades:  
6-8



## 4-H Arts Camp

Attention to youth in grades 6-8! If you take interest in the arts or want to experience something new, considering signing up for 4-H Arts Camp!

Arts Camp is offered to youth in grades 6-8 and will take place on October 5-6, 2024. This camp will allow youth to explore different types of art including theater, music, visual arts, dance, and more!

[Click Here for More Info and to Register](#)





YOU ARE INVITED! HELP US CELEBRATE OUR  
MEMBERS, LEADERS AND VOLUNTEERS!

# SAUK COUNTY 4-H AWARD CELEBRATION

Sunday, Nov 10th, 2024 3:30  
West Square Building, Baraboo



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# JUNIOR LEADER COUNCIL



**7TH-13TH GRADE**  
**YOUR VOICE MATTERS**  
**FUN, GAMES & LEADERSHIP**  
**COME WHEN YOU CAN,**  
**NO COMMITMENT**



*First Friday*  
**OF EACH MONTH**  
**6PM-8PM**  
**WEST SQUARE**  
**BUILDING, BARABOO**  
**3RD FLOOR**

**RSVP TO STACY**

**SPARSONS4@WISC.EDU**  
**608-355-3250**



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Calling all Sauk County 4-Hers in 7th-12th grades! Join Junior Leader Council. JLC members are the youth voice for all countywide events, programming and activities! We meet the 1st Friday of each month from 6-8 on the 3rd Floor of the West Square Building, Baraboo. Just follow the sound of laughter and leadership! Reach out to Stacy at [sparsons4@wisc.edu](mailto:sparsons4@wisc.edu) to join us. All are welcome! No long-term commitment, come when you can.



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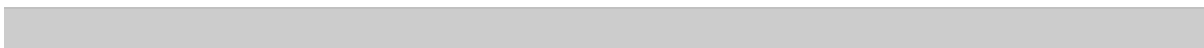
# SAUK COUNTY 4-H HORSE PROJECT

1ST THURSDAY EACH  
MONTH

WEST SQUARE BUILDING  
BARABOO, 3RD FLOOR

7 PM

CONTACT US AT  
[SAUKHORSE@GMAIL.COM](mailto:SAUKHORSE@GMAIL.COM)





# IGNITE YOUR SPARK

## FOR NATIONAL 4-H WEEK



### Join the Wisconsin 4-H Leadership Council for a statewide service project

We invite your 4-H club to give back to your community. Start thinking about ways your club can volunteer.



Sign up for Service Projects:



<https://go.wisc.edu/n8v617>

Stay tuned for more National 4-H Week activities



### National 4-H Week Statewide Service Project

National 4-H Week is October 6-12, and the Wisconsin 4-H Leadership Council would like to showcase that week in Wisconsin by encouraging 4-H clubs to participate in a service project around that time. The Wisconsin 4-H Leadership Council is excited to announce this year's service project theme: "Make and Deliver." As part of this statewide project, you and your club are encouraged to create meaningful service projects to benefit your community.

Sign up for a service project here: <https://go.wisc.edu/n8v617>

Click for more Info





# Recycled FASHION SHOW

Bring out your thrifted, out-of-current-fashion but still workable clothes, vintage finds and swapped pieces, and remake them into cool new outfits! Meet up at the library for our workshop dates to gather ideas, swap with other creators, and start putting your recycled threads together in preparation for the fashion show in October!

*Age group: Teens & Young Adults*

**WORKSHOP  
& SWAP DATES**

Friday, Aug. 9 2:00 - 4:00pm  
Friday, Sep. 13 4:30 - 7:00pm

**SHOW DATE:**  
Thursday, Oct. 10  
at 5:00pm

 GEORGE CULVER  
COMMUNITY LIBRARY

Hello!

I'm a librarian at the Sauk City Library, and we are putting on two workshops and a fashion show of recycled/upcycled clothing.

We would like to invite 4-H members to participate in this project; the workshops will be held at the Library **September 13th, from 4:30 to 7:00**. The fashion show will be October 10th at 5:00 in the Library.

The idea is for teens and young adults to refashion unworn, out-of-fashion but still serviceable, vintage, and thrifted items into cool new outfits. At the workshops, there will be two sewing machines available, and we will also provide some embellishments and fabric from the library's supplies. Swapping will be encouraged!

Reach out to Kathi Kemp with any questions [kathi@saukcitylibrary.org](mailto:kathi@saukcitylibrary.org).

## Upcoming Meetings/Events

- **Bylaws Training:** Sept. 17th Zoom or West Square Bldg, Baraboo
- **Sauk Co. 4-H Sr. Leaders Assoc.:** Sept. 24th West Square Bldg, Baraboo, 6:30pm
- **Re-Enrollment Due:** Oct 1
- **Sauk Co. Junior Leader Council:** Oct. 4th West Square Bldg, Baraboo
- **4-H Arts Camp:** Oct. 5-6 at Upham Woods for youth in grades 6-8
- **National 4-H Week:** Oct 7-12
- **4-H Family Day:** Oct 19th West Square Bldg, Baraboo 9am-Noon
- **4-H Fall Forum:** Nov. 2-3 in Stevens Point
- **Awards Celebration:** Nov 10th West Square Bldg, Baraboo 9-Noon

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