



UW-MADISON EXTENSION

# COMMUNICATOR

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### Wisconsin 4-H Foundation Honors Top Donors

The Wisconsin 4-H Foundation would like to recognize its generous donors. The support of these generous partners provide essential funding for 4-H programs throughout Wisconsin.

#### Emerald Clover (\$30K+)

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- Town Bank
- Ultimate Confections
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- Wisconsin River Meats

#### Foundation Partners

- Almond Busy Bees 4-H Club
- BOGS
- Bunzel's Old Fashioned Meat Market & Catering
- Calumet County 4-H Leaders Council

Since 1914, Wisconsin 4-H has helped young people develop the skills they need to meet the demands of our complex and changing world. Growing out of a rich history of agricultural clubs that helped the University of Wisconsin Extension connect families to research-based advancements in farming technology and techniques, today's 4-H has expanded to include science (STEM), leadership, healthy living and communications programming that will help Wisconsin youth build a healthier and more prosperous future.

4-H is one of the largest and oldest statewide youth organizations in Wisconsin, offering a wide variety of programs in both urban and rural settings. From the 4-H activities in the city of Milwaukee to the 4-H clubs in rural areas of Bayfield County, 4-H is making a positive impact on young people throughout the state. Nearly 150,000 youth participate in the Wisconsin 4-H program each year, and more than 22,000 volunteers support the program.

The Wisconsin 4-H Foundation, based in Madison, provides essential funding for 4-H programs throughout Wisconsin. By partnering with individuals, corporations and foundations, the Foundation supports 4-H leadership, youth development and community-building activities throughout the state. Learn more about the Wisconsin 4-H Foundation by visiting [www.Wis4HFoundation.org](http://www.Wis4HFoundation.org).

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and  
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**4-H Pledge**  
*"I pledge my HEAD to clearer thinking, my HEART to greater loyalty, my HANDS to larger service, and my HEALTH to better living, for my club, my community, my country, and my world."*

# CALENDAR

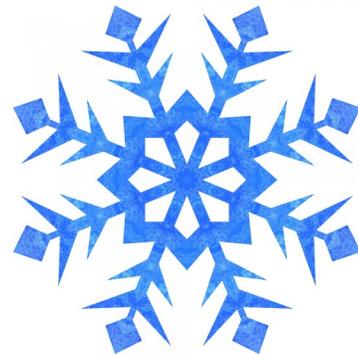
## December

- 1 Dog Project @ New Richmond Hometown Holiday Parade.
- 1 Livestock Rules Meeting
- 3 Annual Leader Retreat/Club Officer Training
- 5 Monthly Horse Project Meeting
- 5-7 UWEX Office Closed - All Extension Conference
- 8 Cloverbuds @ Home
- 10 Annual Leader Retreat/Club Officer Training
- 10 Holiday Baking Event
- 13 Livestock Committee Meeting
- 21 VIP Training (RSVP Deadline Dec 14)
- 23 - 26 UWEX Office Closed - HOLIDAY
- 30 - Jan 2 UWEX Office Closed - HOLIDAY



## January

- 2 Monthly Horse Project Meeting
- 10 Livestock Rules & Committee Meeting
- 12 Cloverbuds @ Home
- 14 Livestock Rules Meeting
- 16 UWEX Office Closed - MLK Holiday
- 17 Leaders Association Meeting
- 20 Camp Counselor Application Deadline
- 22 VIP Training (RSVP Deadline Jan 13)
- 22 Quiz Bowl/Hippology Info & Kick-Off Meeting
- 28 4-H Food Expo



## February

- 6 Monthly Horse Project Meeting
- 6 Dairy Committee Meeting
- 9 Cloverbuds @ Home
- 9 Fair Board Meeting
- 25 Clover College



# CLUB INFORMATION

## Welcome New Members and Families

Most of us probably remember being new to a group. We probably felt excited to experience new things and meet new people. Often, we felt nervous and worried because we did not completely understand what was going on. We want others to be a part of this great organization we call 4-H. The best way to go about this is for clubs to have a plan to welcome new members when they arrive at their first 4-H club meeting. If new members don't feel comfortable right away with the club, they won't come back.



### *Have a plan*

Design a plan for welcoming new members. Delegate this task to a specific person called a New Family Coordinator (this could be a youth or adult leader), with this being their role at each monthly meeting. With 4-H, members can join at any time, so this is an ongoing task.

### *The First Meeting*

When new members first attend a club meeting, be sure they are greeted and made to feel a part of the group by the New Family Coordinator. After they arrive and before the meeting begins, the New Family Coordinator takes the initiative of introducing themselves, welcomes the new family to the club and asks if they have any questions. The New Family Coordinator finds a spot for them to sit and sits with them for the meeting (in case questions arise). If a current family has invited the new family to the meeting, have the children sit with the current 4-H members and the parents with those that invited them. The New Family Coordinator should let the club president and secretary know there are guests present so that they can be introduced during the meeting after roll call has been taken.

### *Communication*

Keep the lines of communication open, so that the new family feels comfortable it is important to ask questions. 4-H seems to have a language of its own and may need to be interpreted for the new family.

## 2023 4-H Camp Counselors Needed

Do you enjoy working with younger members in 4-H? Have you had experience planning activities for younger members? Have you worked with other members your age to organize group activities? If you answered yes to any of these questions, think about applying to be a 4-H Summer Camp Counselor. Serving as a 4-H Camp Counselor is one of the most fun leadership development opportunities you can be part of. Counselors (youth grades 8-12) will make up a team from three different counties and focus their skills to develop a great 2023 summer camp program for youth.

Please complete applications by January 20 at <https://go.wisc.edu/xrr3u3> or paper application on next page.

Selected camp counselors need to be able to attend camp counselor training and attend all days of camp. If you have questions, please contact Sky.

[sky.holt@wisc.edu](mailto:sky.holt@wisc.edu)



## **Camp Counselor Application Due: January 20**

**Must currently be in grades 8-12 to apply**

*\*8th graders will be considered for Counselors in Training if space allows*

Send completed application to:

Or E-Mail (or google forms: <https://go.wisc.edu/xrr3u3>)

Name		Current Age	Birth Date	Male	Female
Address			City		Zip
County	Club		Grade in School	Years in 4-H	
Cell Phone	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> T-shirt size (adult sizes)				
Email					
Have you previously attended a Camp Counselor Training Workshop?					
If so, when and where?					
Do you want to be considered for a junior director's position?				Yes	No
What skills would you bring to this junior director's position?					
List camps (4-H and non 4-H) which you have attended:				camper or counselor	
Camp			Year	Camper	Counselor

**Training Dates: We have 4 scheduled training for camp counselors, do you have any conflicts for the following dates, please X any dates you have a conflict (leave blank if you can attend)**

	Training Session 1 (Zoom): Connection and Planning: Sunday, February 12 at 6:30-7:30pm
	Training Session 2 (Zoom): Policies and Planning: Sunday, March 5 at 6:30-7:30pm
	In-person training day: Final planning, skits, songs, follow-up to policies, camp rules, letters, etc. (1-5): Sunday, April 30 from 1-5 in St. Croix Falls 4-H Building
	Final Date: Tuesday, June 13 at Camp Kiwanis (10AM-2PM)

### **Camp Activities**

Which of the following are you comfortable leading at camp? (Please check all that apply.)

<input type="checkbox"/> archery	<input type="checkbox"/> games & recreation
<input type="checkbox"/> arts & crafts	<input type="checkbox"/> music
<input type="checkbox"/> backpacking	<input type="checkbox"/> nature
<input type="checkbox"/> campfire programs	<input type="checkbox"/> nature activities (other than water)
<input type="checkbox"/> canoeing	<input type="checkbox"/> relay games
<input type="checkbox"/> drama activities	<input type="checkbox"/> science discovery activities
<input type="checkbox"/> fishing	<input type="checkbox"/> singing
<input type="checkbox"/> flag ceremonies	<input type="checkbox"/> swimming
<input type="checkbox"/> foods & nutrition	<input type="checkbox"/> other (describe)



## 2023 Clover College Workshops Needed

We are gearing up for another exciting 4-H year. The 2023 4-H Clover College is planned for February, and we need your help!

We are in need of adults and youth who would be willing to teach a 4-H project related workshop. Topics can be pretty much anything that K-5th graders would find fun to learn about. Youth will spend the day rotating between workshops.

Our goal is to have youth learn a little bit about the project and go home with more information about 4-H and a number of completed fair projects. To register to host a workshop please go to: <https://forms.gle/2G81XHVYVZpePQfo9>



## Using the 4-H Name and Emblem

The 4-H Name & Emblem is a highly valued mark within our country's history. As such, it has been granted a very unique and special status; it is in the category similar to the Presidential Seal and the Olympic Emblem. This federal protection makes it a mark in and of itself with protection that supersedes the limited authorities of both a trademark and a copyright. As a result, responsibility and stewardship for the 4-H Name & Emblem were not given to the US.



## 2022-2023 4-H TRIP PARTICIPANTS

Reminder to members attending 4-H trips this year - don't forget you are eligible to apply for a trip scholarship to help cover the some of the cost of the trip.

Forms can be found **HERE** <https://stcroix.extension.wisc.edu/4-h-scholarships/>

1st Deadline – For trips scheduled in November 2022-January 2023, application deadline is no later than November 4, 2022 at 5:00pm.

2nd Deadline – For trips scheduled in February 2023-June 30, 2023, application deadline is no later than March 31, 2023 at 5:00pm.

## What's Up with Your Club?

Would you like your Club featured in the next St. Croix County 4-H Communicator? It's simple! Write up a short article telling us just how fun your club's event / meeting was and make sure to include a picture with the names of the members featured. Let us and other clubs know the good work you are doing in the community! Once you have completed your story send it to Laura at [laura.hinz@wisc.edu](mailto:laura.hinz@wisc.edu)



## St. Croix County 4-H Thriving Survey!

November 1st marks the opening of the 4-H Thriving Survey! Youth and volunteers can expect an email from 4Honline. Please fill out the survey as it helps me and Wisconsin 4-H determine programming and youth and volunteer needs. Here is what you need to know:



### ◇ **How long does the survey take to complete?**

The survey should take about 5-10 minutes to complete?

### ◇ **Why should someone complete the survey?**

To help inform us of how youth feel about their experience in 4-H such as their relationships with adult leaders, program offerings, and what they get out of the program. By completing the survey, you will help improve your local 4-H Program! You will also be taking part in the national 4-H Thriving survey which will help strengthen 4-H at the state and national level. As a bonus, youth who complete the survey will be entered to win prizes.

### ◇ **Can I complete the survey on a paper form?**

To help ensure that we are getting high quality data, all 2022 Thriving surveys will be completed digitally. If you would like assistance completing the survey, please reach out to your local 4-H Educator.

### ◇ **Is the survey anonymous?**

Yes. The educators do not know how respondents answered questions but will just see the results based on demographics including age, grade, gender, race, ethnicity, and club/ group. However, your email address is tied to a unique identifier, so participant responses can be tracked over time to see if there is improvement in program quality or outcomes.

### ◇ **What happens to my survey responses?**

Survey responses will be collected at the State 4-H office and shared out to your local Educator. The data will be communicated to stakeholders like elected officials, 4-H Program leadership, and 4-H members and leaders to help improve 4-H program quality.

### ◇ **Who is being asked to complete the survey?**

All members and participants of UW-Extension youth development programs, like 4-H and Youth in Governance, who are ages 13-19.



# LEADER NEWS

## VIP Trainings - Required for New 4-H Volunteers

If you have adults who are interested in becoming certified 4-H volunteers they are required to take the Volunteer in Preparation Training (VIP). Completion of a VIP Training is one of the requirements to becoming a certified 4-H volunteer. All VIP Trainings will be held both in person and virtually (Zoom). These trainings take 1—1 1/2 hours to complete. For more information contact Sky [sky.holt@wisc.edu](mailto:sky.holt@wisc.edu)

December 21 @ 6:30 pm (RSVP by Dec 14) - Baldwin  
January 22 @ 4:00 pm (RSVP by Jan 13) - Balsam Lake  
February 4 @ 10:00 am (RSVP by Jan 27) - Baldwin  
March 13 @ 6:30 pm (RSVP by March 6) - Balsam Lake

**TO REGISTER FOR A TRAINING GO TO:**

<https://forms.gle/REsfiNRwhZdKyaqH7>

### Steps to Becoming a 4-H Volunteer

- 1.) Enroll in 4-HOnline
- 2.) Complete a National Background Check
- 3.) Attend VIP Training
- 4.) Complete online Mandated Reporter Training
- 5.) Complete online Title IX Training

## Leader Re-Enrollment - PLEASE COMPLETE IN A TIMELY MANNER - YOU ARE NOT FULLY ENROLLED TO VOLUNTEER UNTIL THESE ARE COMPLETE

All re-enrolling 4-H volunteer leaders will need to comply with the following training requirements:

- Annually sign the 4-H Volunteer Expectations Form (part of re-enrollment through 4-HOnline)
- Federal background check (every 4 years) - you can complete this online or via paper
- Mandated Reporter Training (all volunteers must complete this at least once)
- Title IX Reporting Training (all volunteers must complete this at least once)
- Supporting Youth Mental Health Training (all volunteers who are planning on being a 4-H chaperone)
- Shooting Sports Training (requirement for any volunteer wishing to assist with the shooting sports program)



### 4-H Event Insurance

As you plan out your club calendar take note of those activities that may require additional insurance. This insurance will cover all participants (youth/adult, 4-H and non 4-H). The cost is \$0.30/person/day. Contact Sky for insurance coverage.



### St. Croix County 4-H Leaders Association Meeting

January 17 @ 7:00pm

UW-Extension Office or via ZOOM

Agenda will be sent out prior to the meeting



## **Heritage Dairy Heifer Calf Applications Due: January 31st**

The St. Croix County 4-H Dairy Committee is sponsoring a Registered Dairy Calf Award to one outstanding 4-H member. Interested members are asked to write a short essay (100 words or less) on “What would owning your own registered dairy calf mean to your 4-H experience?” Applicants are also asked to list their involvement in 4-H and dairy project activities.



Applications can be found online at <https://stcroix.extension.wisc.edu/4-h-youth-development/forms-applications/heritage-calf-2023/> and are due January 31, 2023. All applications should be emailed to Mary Luckwaldt at [luckwaldt123@yahoo.com](mailto:luckwaldt123@yahoo.com).

The dairy committee will pay registration transfer fees. Previous winners are not eligible. Decisions of the judges are final. Application is open to 4-H members of all ages. This is an excellent opportunity to add a registered dairy calf to your 4-H project experience. Be sure to thank your 4-H Dairy Committee members for making this possible!

## **James W. Crowley Dairy Leadership Award**

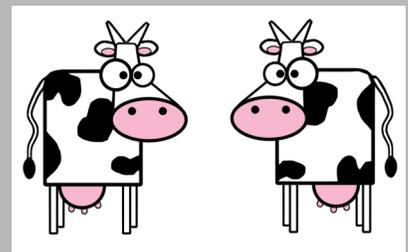
The 4-H Dairy Leadership Award provides recognition to youth who have excelled in their dairy project. As of 1989, the James W. Crowley Dairy Management and Extension Fund assumed sponsorship of this award.

Applications due January 31st. Applications can be found on the Extension Website: <https://stcroix.extension.wisc.edu/4-h-youth-development/forms-applications/2023-crowley-application-essay-questions/>

Please forward completed application to Mary Luckwaldt at [luckwaldt123@yahoo.com](mailto:luckwaldt123@yahoo.com)

## **Dairy Committee Meeting**

The next Dairy Committee Meeting will be Monday  
February 6, 2023 at 7 pm  
@ UW-Extension Office, Baldwin (conference room)



## **Attention Livestock Families:**

The St. Croix County Livestock Committee has added a Market Heifer class for the 2023 St. Croix County Fair.

For more information, please contact a committee member.

## Join the dog project for 2023!

Leaders have worked hard over the last year and continue to plan great things for 2023. Here's a snapshot of what's coming up between now and the county fair in July:

⇒Agility and rally practices for those who qualified in 2022 for obedience novice level and above will be offered starting in January.

⇒Educational sessions on a variety of dog care and handling topics will be offered January, February and March.

⇒Orientation for the obedience/showmanship training season is planned for April.

⇒Thursday evening obedience and showmanship training sessions will be offered May through July for all levels of experience in preparation for the county fair.

Stay tuned! More details and dates will be included in the January 4-H Communicator. December activities include:

◆**December 1, 6:00 pm – Dog/youth teams march in the New Richmond Holiday Lights Parade.** Pre-registration and practice required for dog/youth teams. Come watch us!

◆**December 8, 7:00 pm – Dog project committee meeting.** This is a leader planning and coordination business meeting. Anyone is welcome to attend. Location: Bank Five Nine, 118 Homestead Drive, Suite #5, New Richmond.

For more project information, contact Deb Beyer. Call/text 920-889-0850 or email [deborahbeyer2015@gmail.com](mailto:deborahbeyer2015@gmail.com).



The St. Croix County 4-H dog project provides numerous opportunities for you to explore new activities with your family dog!



## Horse Project News

**All Horse project parents and youth are welcome and encouraged!**

- Monday Dec 5th - 7:00 Holiday gathering all youth are invited
- Monday Dec 5th - 7:30 Budget/finance meeting

**Upcoming 2022-2023 Youth Horse Project Meetings - Ag Center**

Youth Meeting 7:00 / all project meeting 7:30

- Monday Jan 2nd
- Monday Feb 6th
- Monday March 6th
- Monday April 3rd
- Monday May 1st
- Monday June 5th
- Monday July 3rd
- Monday Aug 7th



**Special Events - Ag Center unless otherwise noted**

- January 22nd 6:30 Quiz Bowl / Hippology info and kick-off meeting
- February 6th Drill team commitment meeting 6:00 pm
- June 3rd - 8:00 AM - Day of Clinics - St. Croix County Fair Grounds
- June 23 - 25th - Weekend Extravaganza - St. Croix County Fair Grounds
- Monday Oct 2, 6:00 - Annual year end banquet and annual meeting - New Richmond American Legion

If you have any questions on the St. Croix County Youth Horse Project, please email

[stcroixcountyhorseproject@gmail.com](mailto:stcroixcountyhorseproject@gmail.com)

## Foods Project Members

**4-H Food Expo - Saturday, January 28**

9 am - 12 pm

Want to learn how to prepare nutritious foods and improve your skills in the kitchen? Join us for the 4-H Food Expo. This event is open to all youth (4-H and non 4-H) interested in learning more about foods & nutrition. Youth will attend 3 different sessions. This years classes include:

***Lefse, Knife Skills, and Fun with Flour***

See next page for registration.



## Foods Project Save the Date:

Saturday, April 29th

9 am - 12 pm

Cake Decorating

UW Extension Office





# 4-H FOOD EXPO



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### *Lefse, Knife Skills, and Fun with Flour*



**GRADE:** Open to all youth (4-H and non 4-H)

**WHEN:** Saturday, January 28, 2023

**WHERE:** UW-Extension Office, 1960 8th Ave, Baldwin

**TIME:** 9:00am—12:00pm (Check in starts at 8:45 am)

**COST:** \$15.00 / youth

**WHAT TO BRING:** Please bring an apron.

**REGISTRATION DEADLINE:** January 19, 2023

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ **GRADE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CLUB:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PARENT'S NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ **PHONE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**EMAIL:** \_\_\_\_\_

**If your child needs accommodations or has any food allergies please list them here:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Make checks payable to:** St. Croix County 4-H Leaders Association

**Mail to:** St. Croix County UW-Extension  
1960 8th Ave., Suite 140  
Baldwin, WI 54002

**Registration Deadline:**

**January 19, 2023**



## 4-H Meats Judging Contest

Mark your calendars for the upcoming State 4-H Meats Judging Contest on Saturday, February 4, 2023! If you have participated in the past or this is the first time you are hearing about the contest, we would love to have you join us for this day of learning, fun, and competition.

**What is the 4-H Meats Judging Contest?** Have you been to your local meat market or grocery store lately and think you could choose the best cut of meat out of the case? Have you ever watched a live

animal contest and thought you could choose what animals would provide the best meat products? This is your opportunity to put those skills to work. This contest tests the knowledge of youth in the placement of carcass and retail cut classes, carcass grading, and retail cut identification. Top teams earn the opportunity to compete at regional and national competitions.

**Who can participate?** You must be a currently enrolled WI 4-H member to participate in this contest. The age divisions are: Junior – Age 8-13 as of January 1, 2023; Senior – Age 14-18 as of January 1, 2023. WI 4-H members that are in the 13th grade and have reached their 19th birthday prior to January 1, 2023 are eligible to compete at this state contest as individuals but not as a member of a team. Youth must be in or completed 3rd grade, 8-year-old Cloverbuds cannot participate.

Even if your county has not participated in the past, round-up some 4-H friends and take advantage of this fun opportunity to show your knowledge of the animal species and industry.

**Looking for more information, where to register, or resources to study from? Check out the links below:**

### 4-H Meats Judging – Saturday, February 4, 2023

**Location:** \*New\* Meat Science and Animal Biologics Discovery Building, UW Madison Campus

**Deadlines:** (more information located in the registration materials link below):

-Estimated number of participants (needed to order PPE): January 20, 2023 - through Google form

-Final registration: January 20, 2023 - through 4-H online

**More information and registration available at:**

<https://4h.extension.wisc.edu/opportunities/statewide-events-and-opportunities/meats-judging-contest/>

If you have any questions, please contact Jill at [jill.jorgensen@wisc.edu](mailto:jill.jorgensen@wisc.edu) / phone at 920-391-4659 or Bernie at [borourke2@wisc.edu](mailto:borourke2@wisc.edu) / phone at 608-263-4304.

## Imagine. Immerse. Ignite

Join us in D.C. for a 4-day experience where teens connect, make memories and find their spark by exploring the best 4-H has to offer in STEM, Agriscience, Healthy Living, Career Readiness and Emotional Well-being.

Visit: [https://events.4-h.org/ignite?](https://events.4-h.org/ignite?utm_source=clickdimensions&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=General_campaign&utm_content=Ignite_By_4-H&utm_term=general&utm_date=12012022&cldee=s_VWg-jITnm3OwddXZE_hG94a8TxnhnUqTUG99GcCtDNjuOk291k3kG72aF3yheA&recipientid=contact-d7997ca908ebe911910a001dd8b71c7f-e693c48fc15a47a5876e762b05d163da&esid=2f971846-1270-ed11-9123-00155dcb34e1)

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### Registration includes:

- High impact programming and speakers featuring national experts and leaders along with opportunities for career exploration, using your voice and building connections with teens from across the country.
- Room and board (based on double occupancy for both youth and adults).
- All meals and breaks (excluding state-organized meals and events).
- D.C. area site visits and all program materials.

### Cost:

- \$950 per person for double occupancy (youth or adult).
- \$1,200 per person for single occupancy (adult).



## Wisconsin 4-H Foundation Celebrates the Arts

The Wisconsin 4-H Foundation provides support for arts and communications programs that encourage youth to develop strong leadership, creative and communications skills. Each year the Foundation highlights 4-H artists through the Celebrate the Arts art contest.

**This year's contest opens November 1, 2022, with entries accepted until midnight on Sunday, January 20, 2023.**

- A photo of the entry and the completed entry form must be submitted through the contest website: <https://forms.gle/KPyDR4KPo2w8e8iF6>
- A tip sheet for entrants is available. Please review this information to learn how best to present and share your art.

Please read and understand complete contest rules:

<https://wis4hfoundation.org/staging/celebrate-the-arts/celebrate-the-arts-officialrules/>



## **UW- Madison, Division of Extension Non Discrimination**

Periodically, UW-Madison takes steps to ensure that our partners know and understand our policy of non-discrimination. This is to remind or notify you that the University of Wisconsin Madison, Division of 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 employments.

Further, UW-Madison will not participate with organizations or in activities, which discriminate on the basis of any of the 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 component of military services.

Consistent with the Americans With Disabilities Act, persons who need materials in alternative format or other accommodation must write or call the UW-Extension contact person for the specific program or call the main telephone number of St. Croix County UW-Extension (715) 531-1930, 1960 8th Ave., Suite 140, Baldwin, WI 54002 at least 10 working days prior to the event. Individuals who need TDD/TTY access, can call 711 for relay assistance.

The University of Wisconsin Madison, Division of Extension staff in St. Croix County thanks you for collaborating with our many educational endeavors. We appreciate your support and working relationship as we provide educational programs designed to empower the diverse citizens of St. Croix County.

St. Croix County 4-H

1960 8th Ave.  
Suite 140  
Baldwin, WI 54002

Phone: 715-531-1930

Fax: 715-264-2666

Website: [https://  
stcroix.extension.wisc.edu/](https://stcroix.extension.wisc.edu/)

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