

Boyle County 4-H Winter Newsletter

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4-H YOUTH DEVELOPMENT



WHAT IS 4-H?

4-H is America's largest youth development organization, empowering nearly six million young people with the skills to lead for a lifetime. Kentucky 4-H reaches ~200,000 youth each year.

4-H programs provide education and life skill development opportunities for youth to grow into confident, capable, and contributing members of their communities.

Kentucky 4-H is a community of young people across the Commonwealth who are learning communication, civic engagement, and leadership skills.

Who can participate in Boyle County 4-H Youth Development Programs?

The 4-H year begins September 1, ends August 31, and is named for the calendar year beginning on January 1 in that time. We are currently in the 2024 4-H year.

Age Rule:

To participate in 2024, you must be at least 9 as of January 1, 2024, and no more than 18 as of December 31, 2023. For enrollment purposes, 4-H age for the 2024 Year is:

9 if you were born in 2014	10 if you were born in 2013
11 if you were born in 2012	12 if you were born in 2011
13 if you were born in 2010	14 if you were born in 2009
15 if you were born in 2008	16 if you were born in 2007
17 if you were born in 2006	18 if you were born in 2005

If you were born in 2004 or earlier, you are no longer 4-H eligible.

Location Rule:

Must live in and/or attend school (may include homeschool group) in Danville/Boyle County

Cloverbud Rule:

Cloverbuds include youth ages 6-8 years old. Location rule applies.

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with prior notification

Dear Youth and Families:

It's the middle of the 4-H Program Year and we have so many things for youth to do! Please **follow us on Facebook** (Boyle County 4-H Online) and bookmark our Extension Office homepage (boyle.ca.uky.edu) for details on current and upcoming offerings. Call us at 859-236-4484 to enroll and receive information directly by post or email.

A few highlights (all subject to change; please **call to confirm**):

- ◆ 4-H Shooting Sports: Club meetings: 2nd Mon, 6:30 pm
Practices: Tues, 6:30 pm All at Boyle County Office
- ◆ 4-H Homeschool Club: 4th Wed, 10 am BCEO
- ◆ 4-H Create to State (projects): 2nd Mon, 4:30 pm BCEO
- ◆ 4-H Animal Science Club: 1st Tues, 6 pm BCEO
- ◆ 4-H Cloverbuds (ages 6-8) Club: 2nd Mon, 4:30 pm BCEO
- ◆ 4-H Outdoor Environment Club: 2nd Tues, 6 pm BCEO
- ◆ 4-H Explore the Past (6th grade up): TBA, call for info
- ◆ 4-H Arts & Music Club (6th grade up): 1st Mon, 6 pm BCEO
- ◆ 4-H Teens (9th grade up): 2nd Thu, 7 pm BCEO
- ◆ 4-H Teens vs. Food (9th grade up): 4th Thu, 7 pm BCEO

4-H Summer Camp (ages 9-13) is July 15-19!

4-H Cloverbud Camp (ages 6-8) is June 1-3!

Applications will be available after February 1.

Leadership Conferences

4-H Summit, for middle schoolers, is March 21-23!

4-H Teen Conference, for high schoolers, is June 11-14!

Call us for details.

KY Extension Volunteer Conference is February 22-24!

Boyle/Lincoln 4-H Teen Trip to Alaska Volunteer Summit is

February 26-March 3!

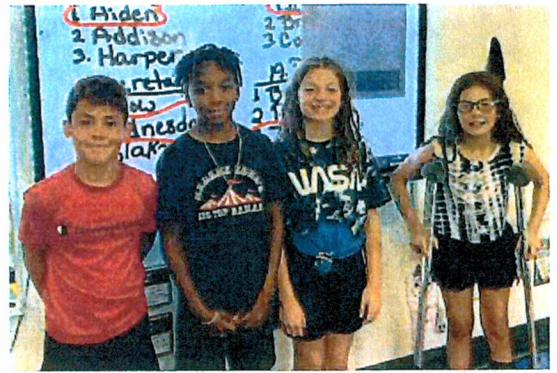
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