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Ohio 4-H

Head, Heart, Hands & Health

Enable youth to become contributing members of society by developing life and leadership skills in partnership with an adult.



4-H was founded in 1902 in Springfield, Ohio by **A. B. Graham** as the "Boys' and Girls' Agricultural Club."

Thirty youth participated in that first 4-H out-of-school program.

Enrollment must be received by February 15 in order to participate in the Marion County Fair.

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Dear Parents:

The 4-H program is a community of young people across America who are learning leadership, citizenship and life skills as they work in partnership with caring adults. What does that mean? In 4-H, we are committed to helping young people develop skills that will help them succeed. We want to empower all youth to reach their full potential.

How do you join?

- ❖ Ohio 4-H membership is based on a child's age AND grade as of January 1 of the current calendar year.
 - Cloverbuds: Youth must be five (5) years old and enrolled in kindergarten.
 - Community clubs: Youth must be eight (8) years old and in third grade; however any youth that is nine (9) or above is eligible for project membership, regardless of grade level
- ❖ Choose a club which meets in your area, a club your child's friends are in, or contact the Extension Office for more information.
- ❖ Contact the club advisor, whose name and phone number is listed in this brochure. Youth may join 4-H at any time; however, to participate in the Marion County Fair, they must be enrolled by February 15.
- ❖ Complete an online enrollment form at oh.4honline.com and select "I need to setup a profile" OR contact the Extension Office for additional enrollment information.
- ❖ With over 200 projects and various special activities available, a 4-H membership develops skills and knowledge youth need to succeed! Visit <https://projectcentral.ohio4h.org/> to learn more about the projects available.



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.

Connect with us:



Marion County 4-H Ohio



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Marion County 4-H Clubs and Contacts

Big Island

Barnyard Guys	Tabitha Cook 740-360-2694
Big Island Achievers	Kelly Kearns 740-360-9011

Caledonia

Blue Ribbon Achievers	Elizabeth Farst 740-225-6730
Country Rebels.....	Stacy Phillians-Meadows 740-225-9496 Jessica Woods 740-361-4669
Martel Farm and Fun	Dianne Fields 419-845-2262
RV Classy Clovers	Karen Seckel 740-262-8299
Whetstone Wranglers	Jody Garrett 740-225-1589

Marion

Barnyard Buckeyes	Kristina Sanderson 740-360-6369 Billie Fields-Baer 740-225-4762
Dusty Tails	Robin Townsend 740-225-0341
Echoing Hoofs	Jamie Wise 740-225-5151
Fire Shamrocks	Betty Willhelm 740-751-5959
Green Camp Shamrocks	Pat Baldinger 740-382-6013
Hare Raisers	Shannon Dailey 740-361-3543
Kreative Kids	Heather Kantzer 614-519-1058 Julie Lehner 740-360-7373

Marion County Sharp Shooters	Jenny Baldinger 740-251-3305
Marion Lucky Clovers	Kaylee James 740-262-8924
McKinley All-Stars.....	Julie Smith 740-396-0268
Prime Ribbons	Mindy Forester 740-383-1168

LaRue/New Bloomington

Barnyard Bunch	Melanie Kalb 740-262-9318
Purple Ribbon	Sharon Schwader 740-262-2301

Morral

Morral Farmers & Friends	Latrachia Thiel 740-225-2540
Wranglers	Brandi Steele 740-262-7751 Karen Borland 740-225-5894

Pleasant

4-H Dynasty	Shelly Depuy 740-360-6713
Pleasant Farmers	Heather McCurdy 740-225-0727 Cheryl Crawford 740-225-1725 Cindy Stiverson 740-361-5159

Prospect

Farm-N-Friends.....	Tracie Isler 740-360-7679
Prospect Explorers	Debbie Good 740-494-2018 Kara Russell 740-361-3990

Waldo

4-H Friends	Angela Mencer 740-244-1896
Richland Hayseeds	Sharon Baldinger 740-726-2526
RV Challengers	Brenna McElheny 740-725-4332
Waldo Barnyard Friends	Aaron Jordan 740-225-5471
Waldo Winners	Katie Isler 740-225-1928

Cloverbuds Clubs (K-2nd Grade)

Blue Ribbon Achievers
Barnyard Buckeyes
Dusty Tails
Echoing Hoofs
Fire Shamrocks
Marion County Sharp Shooters
Purple Ribbon
RV Classy Clovers
Waldo Winners

*Cloverbuds are also invited to attend county Cloverbud monthly meetings on Saturday mornings. Contact the Extension Office for details.