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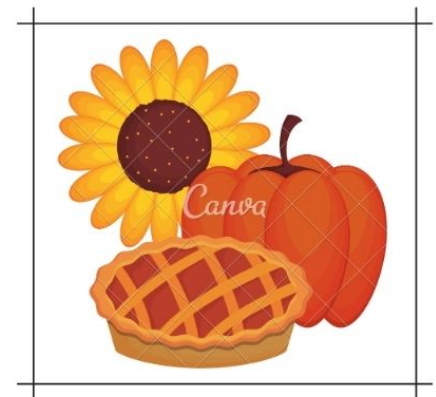
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UPCOMING PROGRAMMING

NOVEMBER

- NOV 1- 3-6 After School 4-H, Geneva, 1:30-3:00
- NOV 1- K-6 Library After School, Shickley, 3:30-4:30
- NOV 3- K-2 After School 4-H, Shickley, 2:30-3:30
- NOV 10- K-6 After School 4-H, Exeter, 2:00-3:00
- NOV 13- K-2 After School 4-H, Geneva, 4:00-5:00
- NOV 17- 3-6 After School 4-H, Shickley, 2:30-3:30
- NOV 23-24- Office closed, Thanksgiving
- NOV 29- K-6 Library After School, Shickley, 3:30-4:30



DECEMBER

- DEC 1- Senior Scholarship Apps DUE
- DEC 1- K-2 After School 4-H, Shickley 2:30-3:30
- DEC 3- Achievement Recognition- **SEE PAGE 2**
- DEC 6- 3-6 After School 4-H, Geneva, 1:30-3:00
- DEC 8- K-6 After School 4-H, Exeter, 2:00-3:00
- DEC 13- K-6 Library After School, Shickley, 3:30-4:30
- DEC 15- 3-6 After School 4-H, Shickley, 2:30-3:30
- DEC 20- K-2 After School 4-H, Geneva, 4:00-5:00
- DEC 27- Mix in a Jar, Geneva, 10:30-12:00
- DEC 27- Hot Chocolate Workshop, Geneva, 1:00-2:30
- DEC 28- String Art Workshop, Geneva, 10:30-12:00



JANUARY

- JAN 2 Sewing Workshop, Geneva, 10:30-12:00
- JAN 3 Sewing Workshop, Geneva, 10:30-12:00
- JAN 13 Beef Weigh-in, Geneva Vet Clinic, 8:00-10:30





SCHOLARSHIPS

FILLMORE COUNTY 4-H COUNCIL SCHOLARSHIP

Due December 1st

The Fillmore County 4-H Council will award multiple scholarships to 4-H Seniors. This year scholarships will be awarded by the 4-H Council, the Fillmore County Ag Society, and in memory of Ralph "Bud" Vauck & Clay S. Metcalf. Members who are pursuing an education in any area at any post-secondary institution are encouraged to apply. We are very fortunate to have multiple scholarships available for 4-H members.

Information and application can be found at the Extension Office or at fillmore.unl.edu under Fillmore County 4-H, under Scholarships for High School Seniors. Submit application materials by **December 1st** to Fillmore County Extension Office

MARTHA AND DON ROMEO SCHOLARSHIP

Due December 1st

The Nebraska Association of Fair Managers will award a \$500 scholarship to one qualifying 4-H male and a \$500 scholarship to one qualifying 4-H female who are graduating seniors in the State of Nebraska and who plan to continue with post high school education. The scholarship will be awarded at the annual NAFM convention in January. Submit application by December 1st!

MORE STATEWIDE SCHOLARSHIPS ARE EXPECTED! WE WILL PASS INFORMATION ALONG TO YOU AS SOON AS WE RECEIVE IT!

**There is no place like Nebraska
and no better time to become a
Husker!**



**IN OUR GRIT,
OUR GLORY.**

Apply to the University of Nebraska-Lincoln for FREE through **November 1!**

The University of Nebraska-Lincoln is waiving the \$45 undergraduate admission application fee for Nebraskans through November 1. You can apply for FREE at go.unl.edu/apply—enter the code "HUSKER" when prompted for a fee waiver code.

We're here to help! Contact us at admissions@unl.edu or 402-472-2023.



4-H ENROLLMENT OPEN

V2.4HONLINE.COM

4-H Enrollment has opened for 2024. The process has been simplified for you as families! All youth involved in 4-H must be enrolled in order to participate. There is an enrollment fee of \$10.00 per youth, \$20.00 per family. (Scholarships available, upon request.)

You will use the same username (email) and password as before. Enroll in 2024 4-H year. Update youth personal information and be sure to complete the page of authorizations.

For help enrolling go to fillmore.unl.edu and under the Fillmore County 4-H tab click on 4-H Enrollment.

It will guide you to the University's step by step picture guide.

ACHIEVEMENT RECOGNITION

DECEMBER 3, 2023

On December 3, join us throughout the afternoon to pick up achievement application and Diamond Clover awards!

This will be a part of the Sipp'n with Santa event put on by the Geneva Retail Services group. We will be serving festive hot chocolate and celebrating from 1:00-3:00 at the Extension Office.

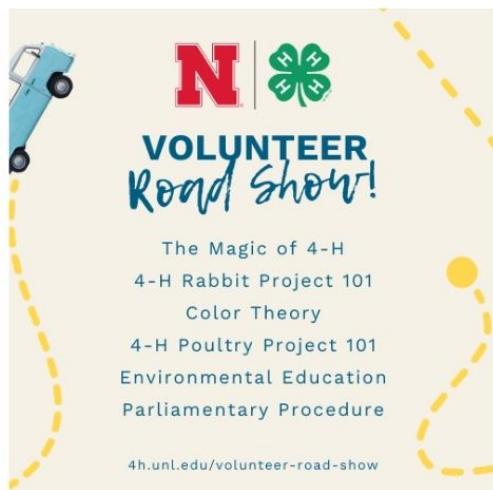


VOLUNTEER INFORMATION

4-H Enrollment is open for volunteers as well. Go to v2.4honline.com to enroll. **NEW THIS YEAR!** Volunteers must complete a volunteer orientation



Nebraska 4-H has launched a new volunteer orientation. This online training serves as an introduction to the 4-H Youth Development program in Nebraska and covers a few essential topics for volunteers. While the orientation is required for new volunteers and those going through the re-screening process, any interested individuals, including current and prospective volunteers, are welcome to complete the course. Learn more at 4h.unl.edu/volunteer-orientation.



VOLUNTEERS! Join us in **York** on the evening of Tuesday, November 7, for a Volunteer Road Show. This is a great opportunity to gather fresh ideas! You'll gain hands-on experience in parliamentary procedure, color theory, and various projects, including rabbit, poultry, conservation, and wildlife. Register at 4h.unl.edu/volunteer-road-show.

Winter Break Workshops

December 27



Kindergarten- 5th grade- Mix in a jar
Create a tasty treat for baking later. We will be making cookie and brownie mix to bake at a later time.
10:30-12:00, Extension Office

December 27



6th grade and up- Hot Cocoa Bombs
Put your chocolate skills to the test with this workshop of making tasty hot chocolate mixes!
1:00-2:30 Extension Office

December 28

3rd grade and up- String Art
Put your creative hat on and create a unique string art wall hanging.
10:30-12:00, Extension Office



December 29

Open hours

Have a 4-H project that you want to try out but need help from an adult? Sign up for a time slot, bring in the materials (some may be available) and instructions, and let's create an awesome project! We have a Cricut available.

Example: A sewing project that needs to get started, a baking project you want to try, a science exhibit.

Sewing Workshop- January 2-3- 10:30-12:00

For beginner sewers to learn the basics of sewing and get partnered with a mentor to make a basic apron
Cost- \$10



Register by December 15 to ensure there are enough materials

Register for all workshops at:

<https://forms.office.com/r/wu8Xi9P5EQ>

or by calling the office

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Payment for workshops can be brought the day of workshop



October Programming Recap



34 PUMPKINS DECORATED!



Thanks for celebrating National 4-H week with us!



Tailgate participants put their detective skills to work by helping Lil' Green find his way back to the roots of 4-H. They also won some pretty cool prizes!



After School 4-H learned about pumpkins. K-2nd graders learned about what is inside a pumpkin by making pumpkins. 3-6th graders learned about baking pumpkins and the difference in taste, look, and smell of locally grown pumpkins and canned pumpkin.





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Set up a time with Alexis and have fun creating!

January 3-4

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FED STEER CHALLENGE

Through the 4-H Fed Steer Challenge, youth gain real-world experience evaluating, raising, and selling a market steer. Participants learn about production merit and carcass value, management best practices, and the workings of the cattle industry directly from industry experts. Throughout the experience, youth practice life skills like record-keeping, critical thinking, and communication.

4-H members:

- Select and raise a commercial steer to a finished market weight
- Utilize commercial feedlot management and nutritional protocols
- Maintain detailed management and feeding records
- Participate in monthly educational events
- Exhibit steer in the 4-H Fed Steer Challenge class at the Nebraska State Fair
- Sell steer on a Quality and Yield Based Carcass Grid
- Engage with cattle industry representatives and Nebraska faculty

Applications are due December 1st.

4h.unl.edu/fed-steer-challenge

