LANGLADE COUNTY 4-H NEWSLETTER

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Summer 2019 4-H International Exchange Opportunities!

What? Did you say Summer? Yep you read that right. Although, summer may seem away off it is never too early to start to think about 4-H International Exchange Opportunities. Every Summer WI 4-H members have an opportunity to Stay with a host family for one month in either Costa Rica, South Korea, Finland or Japan. They get the opportunity to learn more about another culture, share their own culture, enhance their confidence and communication skills, as well as build lifelong relationships across the globe! So, why not enjoy a life changing experience that will help you grow and gain a Stronger global awareness. This opportunity gives youth the chance to travel to a new country and experience a total cultural immersion program by living with volunteer host families. Participants will experience all aspects of their daily life to best understand their new host culture. The program is run through WI 4-H and States 4-H. which have a network of international partners to plan enrichment activities for the delegates abroad, such as cultural excursions, summer group camps and more. Youth are also chaperoned by adult volunteers who stay with other host families in country during the exchange for support and assistant. For more information visit https://wi4hinternational.org/homestay



G-H News

Congratulations Coloring Contestants

1st: Nevaeh Mosher; Lucky Rivers 2nd: Ezra Johnson; Bryant Hi-Flyers 3rd: Kaiden Mosher; Lucky Rivers

Honorable Mentions: Aylah Noskowiak, Conway Schmidt, Reuben Lucht, Noah Eckert



4-H Leader Enrollments

Don't forget that ALL 4-H leaders should enroll every year so you remain active as a leader in our system. It also allows you to continue to receive the newsletter and to let us recognize you accurately for your years of service. Plus, it is a state requirement that we get the signed list of volunteer behavior guidelines annually. The state is also requiring that we now do criminal background checks on our volunteers every four years. *To enroll go to 4honline.com and click on Wisconsin!*

4-H volunteer leaders please take note that you are required to complete the mandated reporter training that is on 4-H online. If you completed Youth Protection Training and have not let your 4-H enrollment lapse you are not required to do this training as it was part of the youth protection training.

<u>4-H Weather</u>

Many of our fall project meetings and activities take place outside, please & be cautious of weather warnings. Seek shelter <u>before</u> the weather gets bad. The safety of our 4-Hers and their families come first.



HAVE YOU SIGNED UP FOR 4-H YET? IF THE ANSWER IS NO, DON'T WORRY JUST LOG ONTO WI4HONLINE.COM TO DO SO AND IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS GIVE THE 4-H OFFICE A CALL (715-627-6236) AND WE WOULD BE GLAD TO HELP! DEADLINE FOR RETURNING 4-HERS IS DECEMBER 1.

An EEO/Affirmative Action Employer, University of Wisconsin-Extension, United States Department of Agriculture and Wisconsin counties provide equal opportunities in employment and programming, including Title IX and ADA requirements. Requests for reasonable accommodations for disabilities or limitations should be made prior to the date of the program or activity for which it is needed.

4-H News

Congratulations to our New 2018-2019 4-H Ambassadors!



Nolan Bunnell Colden Carley Robby Hagerty Gretchen Lucht Ellie Preboski Mike Preboski Logan Wilhelm Julia Wolf

Why its important to enroll as a leader and complete all the steps to become certified! When you enroll in 4-H and pay your dues, part of your dues are used to pay for accident insurance. 4-H members and Leaders that are enrolled are covered by this insurance. The events that are covered under this insurance are planned 4-H group events/meetings with adult supervision. Two people is not a group (for instance-one project leader and one member) therefore is not covered by the accident insurance. Please keep this in mind for the safety of all our members and leaders. Also, remember non 4-H members are not covered by 4-H accident insurance. Clubs need to take out special activity insurance for club events where there will be non 4-H members participating in order for non 4-H members to be covered by the 4-H insurance. If you need assistance getting this insurance please reach out to the Extension Office. As a reminder, any meetings held on personal property are primarily covered by personal home owners insurance, and 4-H leaders transporting youth in their personal vehicles are assuming coverage under their personal auto insurance. This is why it is a good idea to hold meetings at public locations, which also usually are accessible to all members. This is also why it is a good idea to have families transport their own family members.

Any 4H Club or project that is interested in volunteering for The Salvation Army bell ringing this holiday season should contact Bill Kelly at 715-623-7838

Cloverbud committee is looking for volunteers to join. The cloverbud committee hosts different events for our cloverbud youth to enjoy and to help parents understand the world of 4-H! If this is something you would be interested in please email/call Jen Beran to find out more information. Call or email. 715-219-5122 or leeb.jen@gmail.com NEXT MEETING NOV. 27TH 5:00 PM AT THE 4-H OFFICE.



ATTENTION ANY 4-H YOUTH THAT ATTENDED A TRIP OR ACTIVITY THAT WAS FUNDED BY THE 4-H LEADERS ASSOCIATION!

IT IS REQUESTED THAT YOU PROVIDE AN ITEM FOR THE AUCTION THAT TAKES PLACE AT THE LEADER'S BANQUET. IT CAN BE A THEMED BASKET, GIFT CERTIFICATE, CRAFT ITEM, OR ANYTHING ELSE THAT YOU THINK WOULD SELL AT THE AUCTION.

FAMILIES MAY COMBINE ITEMS TO MAKE A BASKET OF GREATER VALUE.

YOUR DONATED AUCTION ITEM IS CONSIDERED A "THANK YOU" TO THE LEADER'S ASSOCIATION FOR HELPING FUND YOUR TRIP OR ACTIVITY.

SHOE BOXES OF LOVE

We are in need of items for men, women, teens, boys, girls, toddlers and infants. Items that are needed are those for every day use that could fit in a shoe box. Suggestions include: soap, toothbrushes, shampoo, razors, shaving cream, lotion, tissue, toothpaste, deodorant, combs, brushes, hair accessories, kids DVD, coloring books, crayons, colored pencils, mittens, gloves, socks, slippers, journals, playing cards, dolls, cars, trucks, books, cocoa, popcorn, and granola bars.

As you do your shopping please consider picking up some of these items to support families in need. Please bring them to the Extension Office by December 14, 2018 when we will tentatively take a photo for the paper at 4 p.m.

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Holiday Office Hours

The UW-Extension office will be closed the following days Thanksgiving: November 22nd and 23rd Christmas: December 24th and 25th New Years: December 31 and January 1

Project Meetings

Dairy Project

Dairy Farm Tours

Saturday, November 10th @ 10:00 (meet at Extension Office) RSVP to Heather Noskowiak at 715-623-9150

MARKET ANIMAL MANDATORY MARKET ANIMAL MEETING SUNDAY NOVEMBER 11 @:00 PM CLOVER ROOM-FAIRGROUNDS

Ambassador Meeting Sunday November 11 4:00 pm 4-H office

HORSE AND PONY PROJECT

December 3, 6:00 pm @ The Block Event Center & Auction House. Corner of Hwy 52 towards Wausau and Hwy 45 North. We will be having a Christmas gift exchange (\$10.00 or less gift that's horse related) pizza party and our annual elections!

> Shooting Sports Kick-off meeting Tuesday November 27 @ 5:30 pm @ American Legion

Please be sure to enroll in the air rifle/air pistol project before this meeting

Archery See Flyer on page 7

How Can You Help?

- 1. Gather a group of friends or a club to tie blankets. (Material for 120 blankets is donated; just needs to be cut and tied)
- 2. Collect Items
 - Socks (diabetic type)
 - Lotion
 - Deck of Cards

Lucky Rivers 4-H Club will provide a donation box at the 4-H/UWEX office for the collection items. Please drop items off by Nov. 30th.

If you are interested in tying blankets or have questions, please contact Eva Hohensee at 715-623-6076 or Kathy Teal at 715-627-4540.

This project is in partnership with the Salvation Army. 🐼

Older Youth Holiday Party Friday, Dec 7th 6:30-8:00 p.m. 4-H/UWEX Office

All youth 6th Grade and older are invited to come share some holiday spirit at our next meeting. We will tie a few blankets, play games, and enjoy snacks.

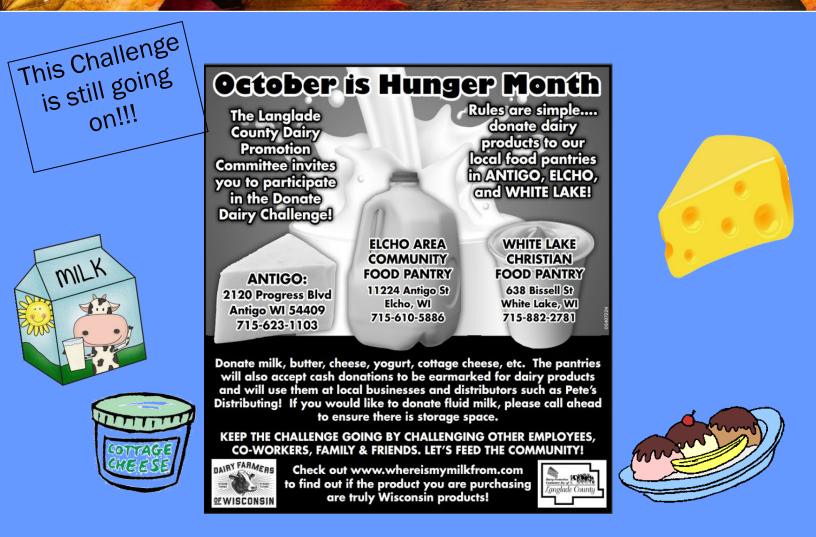
- <u>Bring :</u>
- 2 gifts (under \$2.00 each) wrapped for either a boy or girl. (Do not write on them)
- A Snack to share. Drinks will be provided.

Questions? Contact Holly at 715-627-6236 or holly.luerssen@ces.uwex.edu

4-H Leaders Banquet NOVEMBER 13, 2018 VICKIE & HE VEIS 121C ELM St. ANHIGO WI

6:00 PM Dinner with Awards & Auction to follow

Tickets are \$10.00 each, please stop by the 1-II office to purchase one today!



Presented by Langlade County 4-H Archery Project

Kouth Ancheny Run Shoe

- Saturday, December 8th
- · 9a.m.—Noon
- Entry Fee Free!
- Held at <u>Js Archery &</u>

Pro Show (2763 US-45,

Antigo; Just North of

Fleet Farm)

Open to fill Community Youth (Not just 4-Hers)

fun for Everyone!

Time Slots: 9 a.m. —*4th-5th Grade*—10 yards 10 a.m. —*6th-8th Grade* — 15 yards 11 a.m. — *9th-12th Grade* —20 yards Noon — Awards

- Bring Own Equipment: Long Bow, Re-Curve, or Compound Bows allowed
- Quick Shoot: 6 rounds of 5 arrows per shooter
- Limited to 12 youth per time slot. Register early!

Register online at: <u>https://goo.gl/forms/bRThIFJhptzkdX2O2</u>

This is a 4-H sponsored event and will follow the 4-H Shooting Sports guidelines regarding distance and range rules. Instructions will be give at the beginning of each time slot. Youth will be expected to follow those guidelines. Questions: Contact Archery Leaders: Deb Wirth (dalcw@frontier.com) or Sara Adamski (jsadamski@frontier.com). Or, contact the Langlade County 4-H Office at 715-627-6236.

Volunteer's In Preparation Training

In order to be recognized as a 4-H volunteer in the Wisconsin 4-H youth development program, all adults age 18 years and older must complete the Volunteers In Preparation (VIP) training. The purpose of this training is to ensure the safety and wellbeing of all participants. VIP training is step 3 of 4 to become a certified leader in 4-H and for your years of service to count. VIP replaces Youth Protection Training

Steps to become a certified 4-H leader:

- 1. Enroll on 4-Honline to become a leader
- 2. Complete background check
- 3. Complete Volunteers In Preparation training
- 4. Complete the Mandated Reporter training found on 4-H online.

*Once you have completed ALL of these steps then you are considered a certified 4-H leader.

Please RSVP to the Extension Office for this training 715-627-6236

Upcoming Dates

November 5, 2018 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm UW-Extension Office 837 Clermont Street Antigo, WI

January 19, 2019 9:00 am to 11:00 am During Project Discovery Day Peace Lutheran 300 Lincoln Street Antigo, WI

November's Older You th Activity Grade 6th and Older

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When: Nov. 96h Time: 7_9:30 p.m. Where: The Block Conner of lives 45 & 52)



Includes dance, concessions, and prizes. We are hosting a multi-county Older Youth event with Marathon, Lincoln, Oneida, and Shawano counties. Are you interested in helping plan this event? Then contact Holly to join the planning team.

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PLANTING PUMPKINS PARTY

LEARN TO MAKE A REAUTIFUL CENTERPIECE FOR FALL USING PUMPKINS, GOURDS, SUCCULENTS, AND OTHER FALL FLORAL.

When: November 14, 2018 from 6:30-7:45 p.m.
Where: Bevy — 717 5th Ave, Downtown Antigo
Cost: \$5 per 4-Her — You get to take home your own planting!
Snacks Provided!
Registration is due by November 12, 2018
Register online using this link: https://bit.ly/2NKfa9A
(If you have difficulties with the link, contact your 4-H Program Coordinator for help)

WHAT IS "CULTINATING (REATIVITY"?

A new 4-H Horticulture Coalition * *Cultivating Creativity* is brought to you by the Marathon,

Lincoln, and Langlade 4-H programs. All 4-Hers, 3rd Grade and older, are welcome to join us at any of our events. Youth do not need to be enrolled in any of the horticulture projects to attend. Parents are welcome to stay. Over the next few months our exciting programs will move from county to county. Feel free to join us at any or ALL locations. Want more information? Contact your 4-H Program Coordinator.





Friday, Jan. 25—Saturday, Jan. 26, 20 For All 4-H Youth in Grades 7th —13th Held at the Wisconsin Lions Camp 3834 County Road A in Rosholt

> Have fun in the ICE and snow while setting your HEARTS and MINDS on FIRE for what your HANDS and HEALTH can accomplish at HOME.

Fee: \$50 includes lodging, meals, and activities Sign up through your 4-H Online Account Registration Open: Nov 15-Jan 7

Recreation Opportunities:

- Sledding
- Snow-shoeing
- Outdoor Campfire
- Movie Watching
- Free Time
- o Card & Board Games



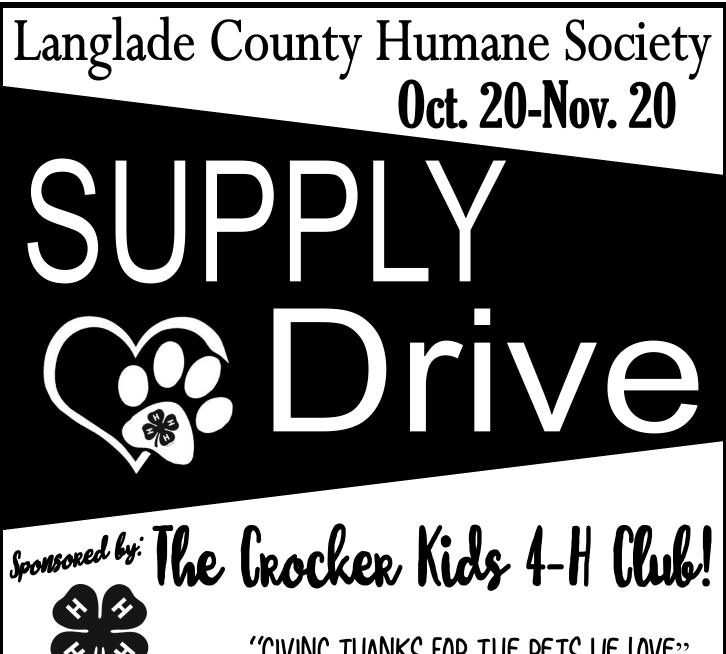
Our 2019 Educational Focus will be centered on youth opportunities we can **KINDLE** in your community. *We will increase our skills in*:

- Leadership
- Communication
- Teamwork
- Assessment

Be an expert of your area!

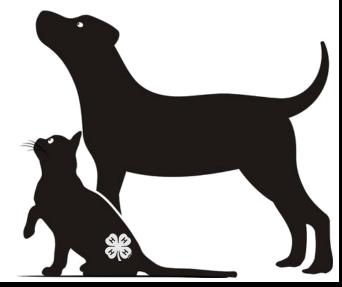
Join 4-Hers from counties throughout the North Central Region of Wisconsin as we strengthen our leadership skills and have fun. If you have any questions, contact Holly Luerssen, 4-H Program Coordinator for Lincoln and Langlade Counties at holly.luerssen@ces.uwex.edu or 715-627-6236 (Antigo) or 715-539-1072 (Merrill).





"GIVING THANKS FOR THE PETS WE LOVE"

Purchase & donate your items (a) local **Grocery Stores**



Highlight of the Month

WOW! What an incredible structure. Congratulations and thank you to all the 4H youth and adults that helped in any capacity with the Thrivent Cans Hunger Structure. 4H was fortunate to team up with Volm Companies and built a pretty impressive structure.

The team that helped build the structure and collect donated items. Youth pictured are: Robby Hagerty, Logan Wilhelm, Nate Wild and Ryan Carson. Not pictured: Nick Luerssen, Megan Teal, Holly Luerssen, Deb Wirth, Shelli Hagerty, Tina Wild, Chad Wincentsen, Tammy Wilhelm and Bridgette Dixon.





What goes up must come down. The crew that came in to take the structure down and box up all our food made quick work. The crew consisted of Gretchen, Nolan, Gordon, Evie, Reuben and Mel Lucht and Kathy and Megan Teal and Deb Wirth.

The Results are in!!! Drum roll please.... We won the collaboration award and came in with an impressive 1,180 pounds of food. Congratulations to all that helped with this effort!

Thank you to our donors! Volm Companies, Mayflower 4-H Club, Tree Toppers 4-H Club, Phlox Flames 4-H Club, Deerbrook Eager Beavers 4-H club, Bunnell Family, Wilhelm Family, Luerssen Family, Lucht Family and 3 anonymous donors.











September 28-30th 4-H Youth from Langlade County competed in the State 4-H Dog Show that was held in Amherst Junction. They all did very well and should be quite proud of themselves. Participants included: Brandon Callawaert, Zachary Callawaert, Alec Fuller, Madison Karcz Addie Nelson and Jerica Rydberg. 4-H Dog project leader Jenny Kressin also participated. Congratulations to all of you! Keep up the good work!









first Name:_	
last Name:_	
Club:	_
Age:	
Grade:	

Cloverbud Coloring Contest for grades K-2nd.

DUE NOVEMBER 16

Drop off at the 4-H Office or mail to: UW Extension 837 Clermont St Antigo, WI 54409



AN OPPORTUNITY FOR CLUBS OR PROJECTS TO HOST AN ACTIVITY THIS FALL THAT INCLUDES MEMBER RECRUITMENT. WE ARE LOOKING FOR-WARD TO SEEING WHAT OUR CLUBS OR PROJECTS PLAN! ANY QUES-TIONS JUST CALL THE OFFICE AND ASK!

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Promotion Activity I	Financial Request			
The Optimist Club granted funds to be used in 4-H recruitment an				
provide an activity to help grow and strengthen each club by hosti &	allowable expenses in support of an event.			
Acceptable Use of Funds: Promotion Materials, Craft Supplies, Fo				
Name of Club:	Date of Request:			
Person Submitting Request:	Phone Number:			
	Email:			
Title of Activity:	·			
Date of Activity;				
Amount Requested:				
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After Event: Please turn in receipts, submit an event su				
completion of activity. Items will be used for program evaluation within our organization and the Optimist Club. It may also be used in promotional materials. Funds will be submitted for reimbursement				
once all documentation is turn in to the 4-H office.				
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 Community Christmas Parade Along Fith Avenue, Downtown Antigo Wednesday, December 5, 2018, 6:30 pm. Musical Notes & Holiday Floats! 	Ratry Form: Name of Entrant: E-Mail: E-Mail: Contact Person: Phone: Phone: Entry Description Required (ted to sense your earry during the peak; Mirst be 25 word minimum. Tell as searching about your business or cognitation. This is a great way to market yourseft)	Will your entry be judged? (use back of page, if needed) Will your entry be judged? Yes No Under & Organizations (Non-Profit), Individuals & Family Business & Commercial Other Type of Umit Flatbed Trailer Walking Other REQUIRED-If using a trailer/flatbed/other, enter total entry length: ft ft	Waiver & Release of Liability As a participant in the 2018 Christmas Farade 1 (& my group/team) at our own risk, enter this event. We, our estates, and our heirs waive any daims for damages or injuries that may occur as a result of our participation in this event, against any pionor, volunteer, employee, or official. I grant permission for the use of my name and any pionor, video or other record of my participation in the parade. I sign this release voluntarily and certify that 1 am 18. Signature:
Community Christmas Parade Along Fifth Avenue, Downtown Antigo Wednesday, December 5, 2014 Musical Notes & Holiday Floats!	Parade Guidelines: • Na Entry Fee • Na Entry Fee • Return Entry Form by Monday, November 26, 2018 • Return Entry Form by Monday, November 26, 2018 • No free Santa; there will be one fire Santa at the end of the parade. • No free sanday—for the safety of our children in attendance, please have someone walk along the safety of our children in attendance, please have someone walk along the safet of any saryone under the age of 16. • No motorized vehicles may be operated by anyone under the age of 16.	Start on 6th Are, North on Field 3t, West on 5th Are, North on Dore, East on Sed Are to St. Mary/Hyacinth's Parking Lot East on Sed Are to St. Mary/Hyacinth's Parking Lot Inte-up Guidelines: House must be ready for judging at 5:30 pm at 3t. John's Catholic Church Do notherve your float unattended in care it needs to be mored. They spacing a directed by parade volunteer.	Antigo Optimist Club Antigo Camplete Dental Center Aspirus Antigo Clinic Badgerland Classics & Customs Care Partners Assisted Living EHS Management Kwik Thip Volm Companies

Winter Wonderland 2018

IS YOUR CLUB INTERESTED IN PUTTING UP A LIFE SIZED HOLIDAY CARD TO SPREAD HOLIDAY CHEER THROUGHOUT OUR COMMUNITY?

IF SO CHECK OUT THE WINTER WONDERLAND DISPLAY PUT ON BY ANTIGO PARK AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

THE DISPLAY TAKES PLACE IN THE PEACEFUL VALLEY FESTIVAL GROUNDS. DECORATE ALONG THE WALKWAY AND CENTER MEDIAN!

TO FIND OUT MORE INFORMATION AND REGISTER GO TO HTTPS://WWW.ANTIGO-CITY.ORG/PARKS-RECREATION/



Looking for a contest to challenge your students while meeting Wisconsin Education Standards?



Annual Conservation Poster or Speaking Contest

2019 Theme: Life in the Soil: Dig Deeper

Poster and speaking contest entries due **January 11.** Mail or drop off at Langlade County Conservation Dept. (837 Clermont St, Antigo, WI, 54409).

Speaking contest/poster judging **January 18**: Langlade Co. Conservation Dept.

For complete rules see attached entry forms. Winning entries advance to regional and state competition!

Conservation staff are happy to visit your classroom to introduce the contest!

Questions? Contact Molly McKay: mmckay@co.langlade.wi.us 715-627-6292



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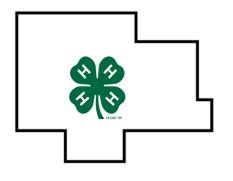
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II Market Animal Mandatory Mtg. 6:00 pm Clover Room Fairgrounds Ambassadors mtg. 4:00 pm 4H Office	12	13 Leader's Banquet @ Vickie and The Vets 6:00 pm dinner	14	15	16	17
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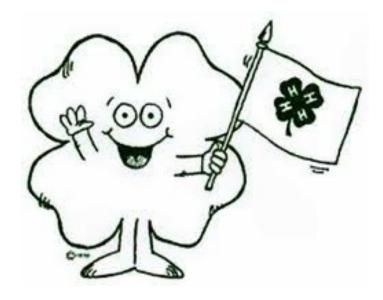


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