



## Animal News

### County Searches for Beef Ambassador & Princess

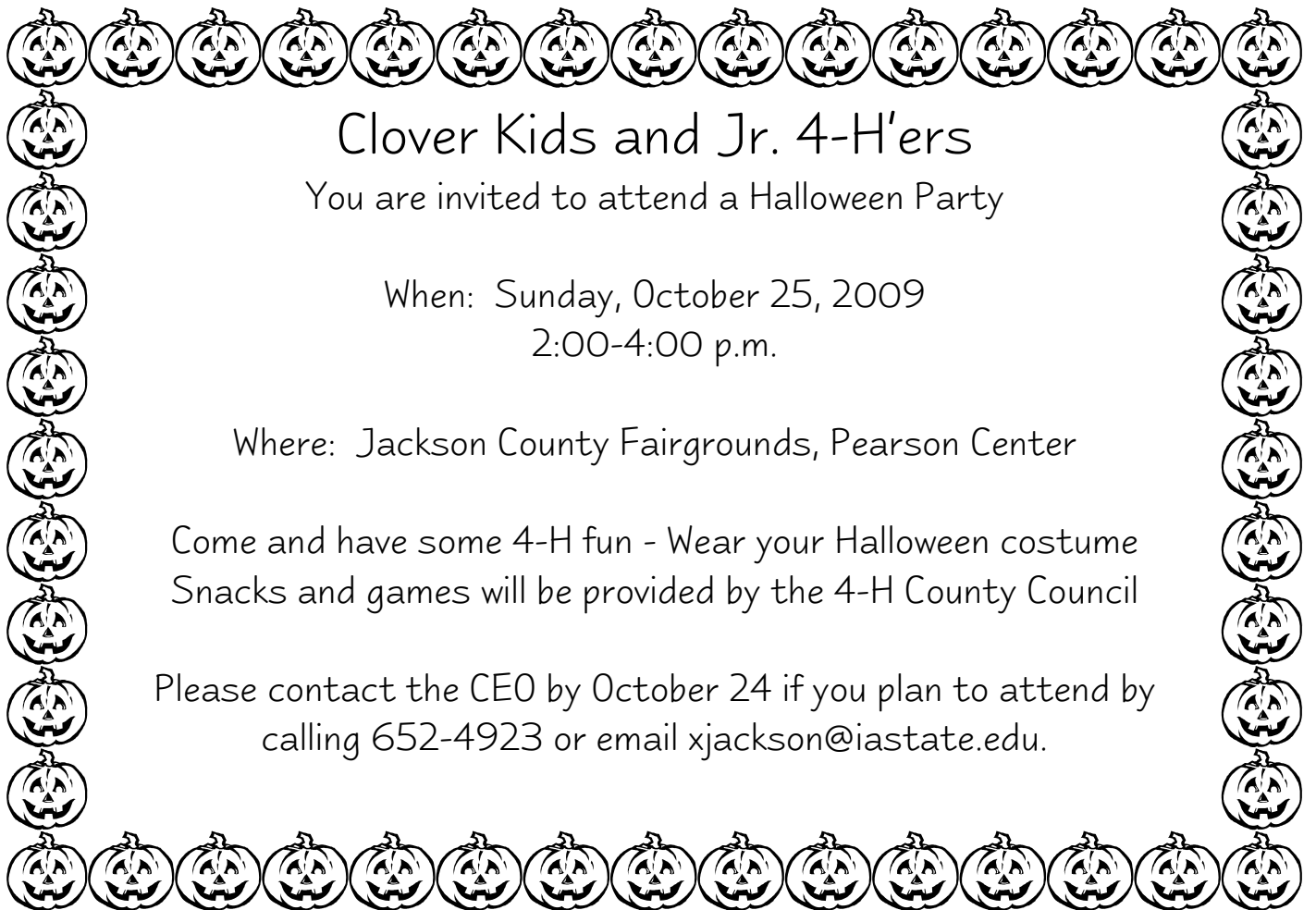
The Jackson County Cattlemen are looking for young men and women who are interested in running for the 2009 Jackson County Beef Ambassador and Princess. Contestants must be at least a high school sophomore and not more than 21 years of age. Contestants must reside on an Iowa farm where beef is raised in Jackson county and the son or daughter of parents who are members of the Jackson County Cattlemen's Association.

A scholarship will be awarded to the Jackson County Beef Queen and Ambassador upon completion of his/her first semester of college. If interested, please contact Mary Lou Johnson at 563-652-2079. The application deadline is October 26.

### Jackson County Steer Class

What is the Jackson County Steer Class? A beef producer from the area supplies a calf for a beef project and may give nutrition, management, and other helpful information throughout the year to the youth that drew his/her calf. The youth takes care of the calf, prepares it for market, and exhibits the steer at the Jackson County Preview Show and the Jackson County Fair. If you are interested in a calf, register by calling the CEO at 563-652-4923.

**New this year for the Jackson County Steer Class:** the Cattlemen will draw three names at the 2010 Fair for \$200 each. Rules of the Jackson County Steer Class must be followed to qualify for the drawing.



Clover Kids and Jr. 4-H'ers  
You are invited to attend a Halloween Party

When: Sunday, October 25, 2009  
2:00-4:00 p.m.

Where: Jackson County Fairgrounds, Pearson Center

Come and have some 4-H fun - Wear your Halloween costume  
Snacks and games will be provided by the 4-H County Council

Please contact the CEO by October 24 if you plan to attend by  
calling 652-4923 or email [xjackson@iastate.edu](mailto:xjackson@iastate.edu).