



# Clover Connection

Clayton County Extension

Clayton County 4-H & FFA Family Newsletter

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## March 2009



The *CLOVER CONNECTION* is prepared each month to keep all informed about the 4-H & Youth program and events in Clayton County. You are encouraged to read through it and contact the Extension Office if there are any questions.

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Dear Friends,

It's time to think 4-H! Be sure to keep all important deadlines and other important dates on your calendar. The next few months will be very busy and we don't want you to miss anything.

The annual **Omelet Brunch & Silent Auction** will be held on March 15 from 9:00 am – 1:00 pm at Johnson's Reception Hall in Elkader. I'm sure you have talked in your club meetings about this event and are working on silent auction items. But most importantly, we need ALL of your help in telling others about this fundraiser. Bring your family, friends and neighbors with you on the 15th. Remember, all proceeds from the Brunch will support the 4-H program here in Clayton County. The Silent Auction will help pay the State 4-H Program Development Fee. Thank you for your support and we look forward to seeing you on Sunday, March 15.

The **Lock-in** for 6th, 7th and 8th graders will be March 20. Registration forms are available from your leaders, at the Extension Office or online. Our county **basketball tournament** will be March 28. Be sure to sign up your team by March 2.

The 4-H program offers a variety of opportunities for youth. Challenge yourself to try something new this year.

*HAPPY ST. PATRICK'S DAY!*

*THINK SPRING!*

Tammy Muller

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### Omelet Brunch & Silent Auction

The annual 4-H Omelet Brunch will be Sunday, March 15 at Johnson's Reception Hall in Elkader from 9 am–1 pm. All Clayton County 4-H families are asked to sell tickets. Tickets are \$5 in advance and \$7 at the door. This is a countywide fundraiser for **your** 4-H programs.

The Extension 4-H & Youth Committee is also having a silent auction. Clubs, families, and individuals are asked to donate items for the auction. Proceeds from the auction help with the State 4-H Development Fees.

## Calendar of Events

### March

- 7 Rabbit Workshop, 9 am—1 pm, Civic Center, Strawberry Point
- 8 Green Team Meeting, 1:30 pm, Extension Office, Elkader
- 12 Area Youth Committee Training, 7-9 pm, Edgewood Community Room
- 14 County Council, 2 pm, Johnson's Hall, Elkader
- 15 Omelet Brunch & Silent Auction, 9 am—1 pm, Johnson's, Elkader
- 20 Lock-in, 8 pm, Hoffman Hall, Prairie du Chien
- 25 Citizenship Trip to State Capitol, Des Moines
- 28 Basketball Tournament, Central gym, Elkader

### April

- 4 Derby Swine Weigh-in, 8:30 am –12 noon, Elkader School
- 14 Extension 4-H & Youth Committee Meeting, 7:30 pm, Extension Office
- 16 FSQA Training, 7-9 pm, Luana Savings Bank



# County Fair Changes

## Horse Show:

Change Rule #13 to read: Suitable and appropriate equipment (including saddles) should be used. See 4H 511 C "Rules and Regulations for 4-H Equine Shows in Iowa".

Change Rule #14 to read: Only long sleeved white button shirts, blue or black jeans, boots, or hard soled shoes are to be worn by all exhibitors. No color other than white (including stitching) can be on the button shirt. Hats and belts are optional in the halter and showmanship classes. No other accessories are to be worn including neckties, chokers, etc. Exhibitors riding "English" may in halter and showmanship classes use English pants, boots and long sleeved white button shirt (ASTM & SEI approved (see rule 15) helmets are required). Exhibitors not in accord with the dress code will be asked to leave the ring until appropriate attire is found. This rule applies to all lots except lot 630, Costume and Class HG Horse Games (Lots 650-659). 4-H & FFA tee shirts may be worn in Class HG Horse Games only.

Lot 600 should read Pony, Weanling, Yearling & 2 year old

Divide Lot 650 Miniature Horse, Donkey or Mules into 2 classes similar to the Pony classes

Lot 650 Miniature Horse, Donkey or Mules Weanling, Yearling & 2 year old

Lot 651 Miniature Horse, Donkey or Mules 3 years old and older

## 4-H Poster Communications Exhibits:

Update themes for 2009 Rule #10: The themes for "Communicating Through 4-H Posters are:

4-H is..."(open to 4-H'ers interpretation)

Join 4-H

"Voyage to Greatness" (2009 Iowa 4-H Youth Conference theme)

"4-H Time" (2009 Iowa State Fair theme is "State Fair Time")

## Clothing Event:

The \$15 Challenge – Replace previous wording in item c) with new wording:

c) Outfits must be purchased at a garage sale, consignment store, or resale shop (i.e. Goodwill, Salvation Army, or other stores of this type.) (Hand-me-downs or clothing as gifts that were selected by the 4-H'er belong in Clothing Selection.)

## 2009 4-H Photography Exhibition: 4-H'ers In Action – Holidays and Seasons

The Iowa 4-H Foundation announces a special opportunity for all 4-H members to participate in the third annual statewide photo exhibition titled, "4-H'ers in Action!" The theme this year will be *holidays and seasons*. The class should be open to all 4-H members in grades 4-12 regardless of their project enrollment areas. The exhibition will again feature the best photo from each participating county and will be displayed at the 2009 Iowa State Fair. Photos selected for the exhibition will also be considered for future 4-H promotional materials.

4-H is part of the Iowa State University Extension Service bringing research based education and information to the citizens of Iowa in the areas of agriculture and natural resources, families, youth, communities and business and industry.

## The 4-H Members

Some members work to keep clubs strong,

While other join just to belong.

Some dig in, some serve with pride,

Some go along just for the ride.

Some volunteer to do their share,

Some lie back and just don't care.

Some do their best, some help, some make,

Some give nothing, only take.

Some greet new members with a smile,  
and make their coming more worthwhile.

While some go on their merry way,

And rarely have kind words to say.

Some help their leaders do and show

When asked they help, they don't say no.

Some drag, some pull, some don't some do.

Consider, which of these are you?

Author Unknown



Coming June 13

**4-H Golf Tournament**

2 pm Elkader Golf Course

Sponsored by the Clayton  
County 4-H Foundation Board

Watch the newsletter for  
more details!



**Shadow Days at ISU**

The College of Agriculture & Life Sciences would like to invite high school sophomores, juniors, and seniors to experience a day in the life of a college student. Shadow Days is hosted by the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences Ambassadors and will take place on April 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>. This event is a perfect opportunity for any student with an interest in the following majors in the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences at Iowa State. For more information about our majors, check out <http://www.ag.iastate.edu/>



## 4-H Lock-In

The 2009 Intermediate Lock-In will be Friday, March 20<sup>th</sup> at Hoffman Hall in Prairie du Chien beginning at 8:00 pm. This facility has a swimming pool and full-size gym. The cost will be \$15 per person. The Lock-In is for 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, & 8<sup>th</sup> graders. We need a minimum of 50 participants to have this event. Registration forms are available from your 4-H leaders, at the Extension Office or online. [www.extension.iastate.edu/clayton/kidsteens.htm](http://www.extension.iastate.edu/clayton/kidsteens.htm)

Registrations are due March 10.



## BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT



Clayton County 4-H is hosting a basketball tournament March 28 & 29 at the Central School in Elkader. The purpose of the tournament is to provide recreation and a chance for 4-H members to become acquainted with other 4-H members in the county. It is hoped that 4-H members participating will have fun, even though they do not necessarily possess basketball skills. Each team will consist of 6-12 members. Teams will be co-ed. Teams must have at least one boy or girl on the court at all times. The rules and an entry form were put in club mailboxes. They are also posted on the webpage. Entry deadline is March 2. Teams will be notified of playing times.

## From the Director:

**Iowa State University Extension**  
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Recently we completed the spring training of leaders and volunteers for our 4-H program and I appreciate all the positive interaction that took place between the people who really make our organization tick. Wow! You are great and I know that I speak for all of our staff when I say thank you for everything that you do.

I look forward to seeing all of you who are exhibiting food animals at the county fair at FSQA training sessions in the coming months. As an organization, we have a commitment to ensure the products that we sell at the fair are wholesome and of top quality. I think Henry Ford sums it up the best. "Quality means doing what is right even when no one is looking." Please take the time to read and follow label directions for medications so you never have to worry about who is looking. Make sure that you have written a thank you note to last year's sale buyers and stop in and let them know that you will have something for sale this year. The best salesperson is you, make the contacts and help the sale continue its success!

Travel Safe,  
Dan

## Livestock Judging Team

Members of the Clayton County 4-H Livestock judging team have recently competed in competitions in Des Moines and Cedar Rapids. Members of the livestock Judging team are, Jacob Fitzpatrick, Dakota Lueken, Payson Kerns, Stacey Fitzpatrick, Maddie Boehm, Allyson Ruckdashel, Keaton Lane, Katie Orr, Maddie Medberry, Max Medberry, Kenzie Orr, Nick Boehm, Luke Orr. The team is coached by Matt Gaul and Tim Orr.

The first contest was part of the Iowa Pork Congress in Des Moines sponsored by the Iowa Pork Producers and Iowa State University. Participants were asked to place three classes of barrows and do a keep/cull class for breeding purposes. The students finished in the top half of the contest and learned a lot about how to handle themselves in a large contest situation.

The second contest was held as part of the annual production sale for the Frye and Trienen families at Kirkwood Community College in Cedar Rapids. This contest was all cattle, with 6 classes being placed and 3 sets of questions asked. Four members of the team were able to attend and again placed in the top half of the participants at the contest.

The final competition was held as part of the Iowa Beef Expo in Des Moines. Twelve participants attended, comprising 3 teams. Each participant placed 10 classes of cattle and gave three sets of reasons during the competition. There were 31 teams in the competition, our teams placed 10<sup>th</sup> -11<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> overall.

## GREEN TEAM



The next meeting of the Green Team will be March 8 at 1:30 pm at the Extension Office. Members are to bring green items for their silent auction basket.

## FSQA- Food Safety Quality Assurance

Join us for FSQA! All 4-H'ers showing swine, beef, dairy, goats, sheep, poultry and rabbits are required to be certified to show at the Clayton County Fair, Iowa State Fair and AkSarBen.

4-H'ers ages 9 – 11 on January 1 must attend a 2-hour certification program every year to be FSQA certified.

4-H'ers ages 12-14 on January 1 can attend a workshop every year, or take a test that certifies you until you turn 15.

4-H'ers ages 15-18 on January 1 can attend a workshop every year, or take a test that certifies you until you turn 19.

### Four trainings have been scheduled for Clayton County:

- Saturday, March 7, 11 am— 1 pm, Civic Center, Strawberry Point
- Thursday, April 16, 7-9 pm, Luana Savings Bank basement, Luana
- Tuesday, May 12, 7-9 pm, Keystone AEA, Elkader
- Thursday, June 18, 7-9 pm, Civic Center, Strawberry Point

### Testing procedure:

- Youth choosing to test out may do so by setting up a test time at the Extension Office 563-245-1451
- Testing will also be offered at the training sites. Youth must pre-register by calling the Extension Office to take a test.
- To study for the test you may pick up a manual at the Extension Office.



## Derby Swine Weigh-In Will Be April 4

The Derby Swine Weigh-In will be Saturday, April 4 at the Elkader School Garage in Elkader from 8:30 am –12 noon. All pigs must be farrowed after January 1, 2009 and not weigh more than 50 pounds at the time of the weigh-in. There is no minimum weight. Each 4-H & FFA member is allowed to weigh and identify a total of twelve pigs. The ear tag cost will be \$1.25 per tag and is to be paid at the time of the weigh-in.

### Non-Derby Swine

Non-derby swine exhibitors should stop by the Extension Office to pick up tags and an id form. Ear tags are \$1.25 per tag. 4-H Leaders and FFA Advisors will again this year be required to verify that all non-derby swine have been properly identified and that ALL swine ear tags are in place before May 15. A verification form along with the non-derby swine identification form MUST be turned into the Extension Office by **May 15** for those members to be eligible to exhibit at this year's county fair.

### Livestock Questions?

Do you have a question about your 4-H livestock project? The 4-H Livestock Handbook may have the answer you've been looking for! Check it out online: [www.extension.iastate.edu/4H/Agriculture](http://www.extension.iastate.edu/4H/Agriculture).

### IFAA Winner's Circle Scholarships

The Iowa Foundation for Agricultural Advancement has twenty-five (25) scholarships totaling \$39,000 available. These scholarships are available to incoming freshman in the Fall of 2009 at any four- or two-year post-secondary institution in Iowa. The application deadline is June 1, 2009.

Information can be found at <http://www.extension.iastate.edu/4H/Documents/Public09IFAAInfo.pdf>



Coming  
June 20  
Iowa Goat  
Conference

Winneshiek County  
Fairgrounds, Decorah

### Guest Speakers:

Dr. Paul Plummer, DVM; Eric Finch, President IMGA, Dr. Tim Warren, Nutritionist; & Terry Hopper, Dairy Lab Services



Clayton County Extension is now on the big screen at the Elkader Cinema. If you can identify yourself in a photo in the ad, contact the Extension Office for a prize.



### State Fair 4-H Swine Show Intent to Participate

If you intend to show swine at the Iowa State Fair, you need to complete an Intent to Participate form available from the Extension Office. They must be turned in no later than March 20.



## DAIRY QUIZ BOWL

Do you have a competitive spirit? Then Dairy Quiz is for you! If you interested in being a part of the Dairy Quiz Bowl team this year, please contact Anna Troester at 563-880-4797 or the Extension Office at 245-1451. Practices will be set up when Anna is on break from college classes. The state contest will be held in June.

## New Members = GREEN HAIR?

Last year we had 433 members  
Our 2009 goal is 446 members  
As of 2/18/09: 410 members

Have YOU turned in your  
enrollment form yet?

All Clayton County 4-H Clubs are  
challenged to increase their mem-  
bership by 3%. Plus each club  
has an additional challenge to  
enroll at least one NEW 4-H fam-  
ily.

The club with the highest % of  
increase will have their choice of  
barn at the fair or choice of con-  
ference judging time. Also all  
other clubs who have an increase  
of 3% or higher will be eligible for  
a drawing of second choice of  
barn or judging time.

PLUS if the county meets the 3%  
increase goal Dan Lane will dye  
his hair green during the fair. If  
Clayton County has a 4% in-  
crease Tammy Muller will dye her  
hair green. If Clayton County has  
a 5% increase Barb Sauser will  
dye her hair green. In addition  
Rita Severson and Sylvia Spyker-  
man will dye their hair green. So  
if you want to see the entire Clay-  
ton County Extension Staff with  
GREEN hair— invite your friends  
to join 4-H!



### Source for Sewing Activities and Ideas

Check out the following website  
for sewing ideas and activi-  
ties. [http://extension.usu.edu/  
\\_sites/4hsewing/sewing/  
activityguide.htm](http://extension.usu.edu/sites/4hsewing/sewing/activityguide.htm). This was writ-  
ten as a supplement to the Cloth-  
ing-Sewing manuals.



**Wanted:** Old photos of 4-H  
activities. If you have some  
photos of 4-H alumni and/or  
4-H events that you would  
like to share, bring them into  
the Extension Office to have  
them scanned.

# 4-H/FFA Rabbit Workshop

Strawberry Point Civic Center  
401 Commercial Street, Strawberry Point, IA

## Saturday, March 7

9:00 am to 1:00 pm

Hands on sessions:

- Feeding your rabbit
- Parts of a rabbit
- Grooming your rabbit
- showmanship the do's & don'ts

Rabbits will be for sale by area breeders



Speakers:

- Preparing for the show
- what judges are looking for
- health and care of rabbits
- Tattooing

**New- Rabbit Agility**

**New - Breed Identification**

Competition with prizes.

**New- FSQA Training Session**

FSQA testing available

Call the Extension Office to sign up for  
the FSQA training or to take the test

Coats Farm Rabbitry & Equipment will hold a "**make your own rabbit carrier**" or "**make your own NEST BOX**" session. Those members want-  
ing to participate in the carrier/nest box session will need to **call Kelly 563-933-6561** to reserve your supplies **before March 1, 2009**. Sizes for  
carriers and nest boxes are as follows:

Single (8 x 16) \$16.00	Double(16 x 20) \$26.00
Triple(12 x 24)– for small breeds \$26.00	Triple (16 x 24) \$30.00

Questions on workshop or if you would like a booth to display/sell your  
rabbits call Kelly 563-933-6561



## Share-a-Heifer

The Clayton County Extension 4-H & Youth Committee has  
approved a Share-a- Heifer project form for registered  
Holstein dairy cattle this year. If you wish to exhibit a share-a-heifer that is a  
registered Holstein at the Clayton County Fair, you must complete this form  
along with your Livestock Id (4-H 106) and turn into the Extension Office by  
May 15.

Forms are available from your 4-H leaders, at the Extension Office or on our  
web page.

Attention all 4-Her's, grades 8-12!

**VOYAGE TO GREATNESS**

**Iowa 4-H Youth Conference**

June 30– July 2, 2009

Iowa State University , Ames

Watch the newsletter for more information.

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## Area 4-H Summer Camps

Fun in the Summertime at  
Pinebluff 4-H Camp near Decorah

### Junior 4-H Camp — June 15-16 *Feverish Frenzy!*

Fee: \$60

This action packed two-day, one-night camp will keep you moving from the physical to the creative to the brainy to the rare and outrageous! Newly designed, you will get to spend more time learning about each project area you select. You may even leave camp with a 4-H fair exhibit completed! Unbelievable! With an feverish frenzy theme, we will challenge your brain and brawn throughout the camp. Register through your county extension office.  
Camp t-shirt included!

**Registrations Due April 13th!**

*New and Improved*

### Intermediate 4-H Camp—June 7-9 **QUEST FOR THE BEST!**

Fee: \$80

Explore the best in yourself, others, and the environment! See the best in nature as you trek through Effigy Mounds. Check out the beautiful northeast Iowa scenery as you canoe float down the Upper Iowa River. Challenge yourself as you ascend the Luther College rock wall. All this fun while hanging with 4-H friends new and old. Don't miss this new and improved quest in camping excellence! Register through your county extension office.  
Camp t-shirt included!

**Registrations Due April 13th!**



### The Leaders Corner

Check out the Iowa 4-H Volunteer website:  
[www.extension.iastate.edu/4H/volunteers/](http://www.extension.iastate.edu/4H/volunteers/)

### Required Leader Training

If you missed the required fall & spring leader trainings, you have 2 options to complete the training.

1. View a DVD or
2. Online Training (must have Internet access and a printer)

Contact Tammy at the Extension Office to check out the DVD or for more information on the online training.

Trainings for this club year must be completed by July 15, 2009.



### Bowling Tournament Results

Clayton County 4-H held their annual bowling tournament on Sunday, February 15 at CJ Lanes in Elkader. 70 youth from 8 clubs competed in the tournament.

Brandon Janssen, Matthew Janssen, Samantha Drips and Derek Von Knibbe, representing the Lodomillo Leaders, captured the junior division title with a 92.4 average. Top junior male individual was Brandon Janssen a member of the Lodomillo Leaders, with a two game total of 186. Samantha Drips of the Lodomillo Leaders 4-H Club won the top junior female individual with a two game total of 254.

A team representing the Marion Happy Hustlers 4-H Club won the senior division with a 126.1 average. Team members were Lucas Klosterman, Jarrett Johnson, Steven Bilden, Justin Schroeder and Brandon Davis. Justin Schroeder was top senior male individual with a two game total of 334 and Amy Doeppeke of the Highland Helping Hands was the top senior female individual with a two game total of 231.

Check out the webpage for photos of all the bowling teams!  
[www.extension.iastate.edu/Clayton](http://www.extension.iastate.edu/Clayton)



**Leaders:** Remember to notify the Extension Office of all club field trips & outings – such as bowling, club tours, overnight events, trips, etc.



**Mark Your Calendars!**

4-H Leader Meeting

June 2 at 7:30 pm

Keystone AEA, Elkader

## Back Page Information

### *Got Fair Fever?*

Planning ahead for the County Fair

The communications contest has something for everyone! You know that presentation you gave at your 4-H club meeting? It is as simple as giving that very same presentation! Here are the opportunities that you have with Communications:

Educational Presentation: It's just what it sounds like—a presentation that educates your audience about something. Whether it be baseball, history, your chickens, or whatever!—give your audience the facts about something that interests you in a fun and interesting way!

Working Exhibit: Teach your audience how to make something! Providing the tools (craft items, etc.), give a hands-on demonstration to passers-by. During a working exhibit, you don't stand in front of a crowd of spectators; you engage those around you in participating in your activity!

Extemporaneous Speaking: Does your mother ever tell you that you're full of hot air? Then this may be the thing for you! Participants receive a topic and then are given thirty minutes (or so) to prepare a speech. If you like improvisation, then check this out!

More Communications Opportunities at the fair:

Share the Fun: Get some friends together and do something totally creative! Whether it be a skit, a comedy act, a dance or duet, you can show others how much fun it is to be in 4-H!

Poster Communication: Bring out the artist in you to make a poster to represent one of the 4-H themes!

Communication is an important skill to have, and 4-H is the perfect place to practice it!



### **“Voyage To Greatness”**

**2009 Clayton County Fair**

**August 5-10**



### **You are enrolled in 4-H projects, now what do you do?**

Now that you have decided which 4-H projects to enroll in this year, your decision-making process isn't completed yet. Now you can have the fun of using your imagination to come up with ideas to help you learn. Make a list of ideas. Decide which you will do to reach the goals you set. Having many good ideas to choose from will help you make good decisions.

Don't forget to brainstorm ideas on how you want to share with others what you have learned. Slide shows, videos, demonstrations, and speeches are some ways to share with others. You may want to think of new ways to share your information.

If you need some help, check your 4-H project books for ideas. It's a place to start, but don't limit yourself to that because you can create exciting ideas, too. Get creative!

### **INSTRUCTION ON OBTAINING PERMISSION TO USE COPYRIGHT MATERIALS**

Often we get “ideas” by observation of other's works of art, crafts, recipes, etc. It is very important to give credit to those individuals or companies who have created materials, resources, logos, trademarks, photographs, etc. that you may want to incorporate into a 4-H exhibit for a county fair. In many cases requesting permission can do this. A sample letter is available on line ([www.extension.iastate.edu/clayton/info/fair.htm](http://www.extension.iastate.edu/clayton/info/fair.htm)) or from the Extension Office to help you with this.

**Getting permission to use someone's work often takes a long time. Think ahead for the 2009 fair season.** You will want to send two copies of your letter to the person or company from whom you are requesting permission. They will keep one copy and return the other to you. You should also send a self-addressed, pre-stamped, envelope to aid in their convenience to respond to you.

**Remember they do not have to grant you permission, but if you explain fully how you plan to use their work, they are more likely to grant permission.**

It is important to remember that giving credit to someone else is very important in any area of your work. In written papers, it may be through the use of footnotes; with exhibit items, credit and permission are included in the accompanying folders. As you put your ideas together, be sure to keep a list of where you get your ideas. If it is a book, magazine, or other printed material, include the name of the publication, the issue, volume, year, and page number from which it was taken. This type of documentation supports your efforts to give credit to the original individual or source.

**Remember, when in doubt, ask permission.**



### **CAN 4-H'ERS USE/COPY THE 4-H EMBLEM IN THEIR EXHIBITS? YES.**

• As a member of the organization, you are encouraged to use the 4-H emblem. The 4-H emblem means a four leaf clover, with an "H" on each leaf. Without the H's, it is simply a clover and not the 4-H emblem and can be used in any way. One may use the 4-H emblem by

adhering to the following guidelines:

- No printing or design can cover or be super-imposed over the emblem.
- Traditional color for the clover is green with the H's in white or gold. However, any colors can be used.
- The stem curves to the right.
- ITEMS INCLUDING THE 4-H EMBLEM CAN NOT BE SOLD FOR PERSONAL PROFIT

When using the 4-H emblem, include “**18 U.S.C.707**” to the right of the stem. Exceptions may occur when the 4-H emblem is part of a piece of art or is smaller than ¾” thus the wording would distract from the piece or be too small to be read. For the exceptions, a label with the protection statement should be placed on the back of the item or in the write-up for the exhibit with the following: **The 4-H Emblem is protected under Title 18 U.S.C. 707.**

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### **Business Meeting Agenda**

1. Call Meeting to Order
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Roll Call & Introduction of Visitors
4. Minutes of Previous Meeting
5. Treasurer's Report
6. Committee Reports
7. Unfinished & New Business
  - Rabbit Workshop, March 7
  - Omelet Brunch & Silent Auction, March 15
  - Lock-In, March 20
  - Basketball Tournament, March 28
  - Derby Swine Weigh-In on April 4
  - FSQA Training & Testing
8. Adjourn/4-H Pledge