



# ADAMS COUNTY 4-H NEWS

**October 1 @ 5:00 P.M.**  
Back to 4-H Night

**October 10 @ 7:00 P.M.**  
Fair Board Meeting

**October 11 @ 6:30 P.M.**  
4-H & Youth Committee  
Meeting

**October 16 @ 4:30 P.M.**  
Clover Kids Meeting

**October 19 @ 7:00 P.M.**  
Extension Council Meeting

**October 22 @ 1:00 P.M.**  
Youth Council Meeting

**October 22nd @ 3:00 P.M.**  
New Member Night

## **October 2023**

### **A Letter from Chandler**

October brings football, Fall, and what I love most of all, a new 4-H year filled with new opportunities! For the new year, we will go over a quick preview of what this Fall will bring.

October: New Member Night, Major Award Applications Due.

November: Annual Volunteer Training, Awards Program, last month for Enrollment for 4-H being \*free\*.

**Reminder:** We will be having a New Member Night on October 22nd at 3:00 PM at the Adams County Extension Office. It is completely FREE! This event is for any youth in grades 3rd - 12th. You do not need to be a member of 4-H to attend. We will be going through what 4-H is, what projects are available, record books, important dates, who to contact, livestock tips, what to expect during the year & of course, Fair!

Reach out to the office if you need any assistance!

*Chandler*

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# Enrollment!

## 4-H 2023-2024

The new 4-H year begins on September 1 with online enrollment opening that day. Enrollment is required annually. If this is your first year in 4-H, contact the office for more information on enrolling.

You may have heard that the cost of 4-H is going from \$35 to \$45. Below are so ways Adams County is helping to offset those costs!

### **Do NOT wait to enroll! Please complete this sooner rather than later.**

If your family already has a profile, you will use the same profile. Please do not make a new profile. If you need to add a new family member, use your same family profile but add a new member.

**When re-enrolling, please make sure all contact information is up to date! This is our only way to communicate with you—if your email address or home address is incorrect, you will not receive the Adams County 4-H Newsletter or other important information/reminders throughout the 4-H year.**

Tip sheets to help you with the re-enrollment process can be found on our website! Please contact Annie at the Adams County Extension Office if you have any questions. You can access 4hOnline through our website: <https://www.extension.iastate.edu/adams>.

## **Current Fee Structure in Adams County:**

**Current cost to join 4-H is \$45.00. Current cost for Clover Kids is \$10.00**

**Adams County 4-H Endowment** pays \$15 towards the \$45.

**Adams County 4-H and Youth Committee** pays \$10 towards the \$45.

If youth bring a static project to the previous fair, **4-H and Youth Committee** pays an additional \$10.

**Adams County Extension Council** pays \$10 if youth signs up in 4-H Online 2.0 **before November 1st.**

**Adams County 4-H Endowment** pays \$5 towards Clover Kids enrollment.

If you have any questions, please reach out to the office!

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## **Fair Book Changes**

All suggestions and edits for the 2024 Fair Book must be submitted to the Extension Office by December 1st. If you have any suggestions or edits, please email it to [ckarnold@iastate.edu](mailto:ckarnold@iastate.edu) or call the Extension Office at (641) 322-3184 and set up a time to meet with Chandler.

## **Major Awards Reminder**

4-H members who were 9th—12th grade students in the 2022-23 year are eligible for major awards: Danforth, I Dare You, KCSI Achievement Award, Citizenship Award, Leadership Award, and Agriculture Award.

Major Award winners will be selected through an interview process. Apply for major awards by submitting your cover letter and resume to the Extension Office by 4:30 p.m. on October 5<sup>th</sup>. Winners will be announced at the November 4-H Awards Banquet.

## **County Youth Council**

We will have our first County Youth Council Meeting on October 22nd at 1:00 PM.

## **Awards Night**

Please join your 4-H Community to celebrate all of the hard working, learning, and achievements of our 4-H and Clover Kids members that took place over the past year! This program is for all 4-H and Clover Kids families and will include awards, the 4-H Youth Council Induction Ceremony, and more!

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## New Member Night

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**Come to our new member night!  
Anyone from 3rd - 12th Grade is welcome**

**Sunday, October 22nd @ 3:00  
Adams County Extension Office**

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**If you have any questions, please call the Extension office: (641) 322-3184 or email [ckarnold@iastate.edu](mailto:ckarnold@iastate.edu)**



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