Important Dates to Remember

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2021 Record Keeping & Awards

Recordkeeping forms, books, and award applications are available at the Extension Office or on our website. All record books and award applications are **due to leaders by Friday, September 10th** unless another date has been set by your leader.

Leaders: We will need a list of every member that completes a record book from your club. Please bring all awards, applications, and accompanying paperwork to the Extension Office for the September 23rd Leaders Meeting along with your club’s top three record books. We have evaluation forms and stickers available when you need them. Good Luck!

Save the Date!

Carroll County Fair July 12-17th, 2022

2021 – 2022 Enrollment

It is nearing the end of our current 4-H year and almost the beginning of the 2021-2022 4-H year. Re-enrollments will be available in 4-H Online 2.0 again beginning October 1st. Do not add a new family member or edit your information before October 1st, as it disrupts our current year’s billing. New members will have to fill out paper forms for enrollment. If you know someone who would be interested in 4-H and needs an informational packet please contact the Extension Office. All re-enrollments for current 4-H members are due December 1st. To re-enroll visit v2.4honline.com.

Fall Leader’s Meeting

The mandatory Fall Leaders’ Meeting will be held Thursday, Sept 23rd at 6:00pm at the Extension Office. We will take care of your only mandatory training for the year, new year business, and evaluate awards. Please bring your club’s award applications and your club’s top three record books to the meeting to be evaluated. Please RSVP by emailing Kelsey as we will be providing a meal to be served at 5:45pm.
Clover Kids

Clover Kids is a FUN youth program specifically designed for children in 1st-3rd grade. The focus is hands-on cooperative learning in small groups. Clover Kids participate in activities, games, and other positive experiences in a supportive, creative, challenging, and fun environment. Registration is $35.00 for the year and is received on a first come, first serve basis with registration form and payment in full. Registration deadline is September 15, 2021.

Carroll County Clover Kids schedule:

Carroll Area- 2nd Monday or 2nd Tuesday of the month (choose one) from 4:30 p.m.- 6 p.m. at the Carroll County ISU Extension and Outreach Office beginning October 11th & 12th.

Coon Rapids-Bayard- 3rd Monday of the month from 3:30 - 5:00 p.m. at the CRB Elementary School Cafeteria beginning October 18th.

Glidden-Ralston- 3rd Monday of the month from 3:30 – 5:00 p.m. in the Presbyterian Church Basement beginning October 18th.

IKM-Manning- 1st Tuesday of the month from 3:30 – 5:00pm in the IKM-Manning Junior High School cafeteria in Manning beginning October 5th.

Contact the Extension Office or visit our website for more information or “like” Carroll County Clover Kids on Facebook.

NEW for 2021!

Get excited for our 2 new clubs for 2021!

It has been brought to Kelsey’s attention for the last year that there is a great interest in a Shooting Sports club as well as a Youth Livestock Judging Club! Beginning this fall, we will now accept enrollment for both of these new activities. Because these programs will be brand new, this first year will be a learning year for all of us, and patience is greatly appreciated! If you are interested in one or two of these clubs, I will host a brief information session on Sunday, October 10 at 5:15pm, 30 minutes before our Awards Rally begins. This meeting and the Awards Rally will take place at the Carroll American Legion.

We are also looking for volunteers to help run these programs. If you have experience with Livestock Judging or Shooting Sports, please consider stepping up as a volunteer. Kelsey’s goal is to listen to ideas from the 4-H community and make them happen, but it takes a group effort to make them really impactful for our youth. Thank you!

2021 Awards Rally Details

We will be hosting our Annual Awards Rally on Sunday, October 10th beginning at 5:45pm at the Carroll American Legion Hall. We will begin at 5:45pm with a meal. Our Carroll County Cattlemen will be grilling burgers, and each club will bring 3-4 sides. Please communicate with your leaders to see if you need to bring anything. We encourage everyone to attend so that your hard work can be recognized. Get excited for Door Prizes and brand new awards for 2021!
County Council Updates

County Council had a wonderful inaugural year as we regrouped to form a great new leadership program for our Senior 4-H members. We had 8 amazing members join and participated in collecting pop tabs, volunteered countless hours at our county and state fairs, participated in a COLORS leadership training, helped with fruit and butter braid delivery, attended our virtual 4-H Legislative Day, created “Sweet Surprises” for the Ronald McDonald House in Des Moines, learned more about Parliamentary Procedures, made helpful “How To” videos for new 4-H members, and created a Happy Holidays video that was sent to all of our local Care Centers. Our group decided which positions they would like to see be a part of our group, and voted in our elected officers. This group of students has accomplished so much in this past year and have acquired new leadership skills that will take them well beyond their 4-H careers.

We are now recruiting for our 2021-2022 Council members and are hosting an information night on Thursday, October 14 at 7pm at the Extension Office. Kelsey will be mailing out applications to all eligible Carroll County 4-H members this month, and they are due back to the Extension Office by Friday, October 1st!

County Council members volunteering at the Iowa State Fair

Band Day Parade

You’re invited to participate in this year’s Band Day parade! Let’s show Carroll County how awesome it is to be a 4-H Member! Please join us on Saturday, October 2nd for the Chamber’s Annual Band Day Parade! We will have banners, candy, information to hand out and so much more! We are looking for representation from every club! Please call or email the Extension Office to reserve your spot on the float! First come, first served! If you would like to be a part of helping design the float, come up with a theme, or help decorate, please also reach out to Kelsey who will forward more details!

National 4-H Week

National 4-H Week is October 3rd through October 9th. If you have any fun ideas for us to spread awareness and celebrate this week, please let us know! Keep an eye out on social media for ways to celebrate!

4-H Endowment Committee

If you are interested in serving our 4-H community in a volunteer position, consider our Endowment Committee! This group manages funds for our 4-H program, granting money for scholarships, membership fees, special projects, and so much more!

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