



Emmet COUNTY Clover Connection

September 2022

**SAVE
THE
DATE**

4-H Enrollment: NOW
OPEN

September 10-18: Clay
County Fair

September 22:
Extension Office Closed

October 2-8:
National 4-H Week

For those that still have Iowa State Fair Exhibits to pick up or judges comment sheets/ ribbons, please stop by the office to pick those up!

Enrollment NOW Open

Enrollment is now open for the 2022-23 4-H year! We are excited for a new year to begin. The new enrollment year provides us with new opportunities and goals that each one of us can strive for. It also gives us a chance to reset, learn, and grow as we go throughout the year. If you are interested in returning to 4-H, new to 4-H, or know someone that would be a great fit for the program, you are encouraged to sign up! Enrollment fees are \$15 per member.

Visit <https://v2.4honline.com> to get enrolled! For returning members, you will log back into your existing account (may need to update a password) and adjust any information that has changed. For new members, you will need to create an account. Select Iowa for the state and Emmet for the county. Then you can choose your club and fill out needed information.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the office and we would be glad to assist you!

Clover Kid enrollments are also open now and are available for K-3rd graders (see the attached flyer for locations and dates/times). The Clover Kids program is separate from the 4-H program, by introducing new skills and fun ways to learn. Clover Kids will need to be signed up using the 4-H enrollment website, using the same directions as above. Enrollment deadline for Clover Kids is September 30th and costs \$30 for the program. **Do NOT pay online for Clover Kids! Please pay at the extension office with either cash or check!**

Clay County Fair

Good luck to all those participating at the Clay County Fair this year!!! Participants, for more information please visit <https://www.extension.iastate.edu/clay/clay-county-fair>



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New Year, New Possibilities

Now is a great time to learn about all of the opportunities and project areas that 4-H has to offer. 4-H offers youth the opportunity to learn and strengthen their skills, find their interests, and build the foundation for their future. Below are the many different project areas that can be explored. You can also click on each topic area to be taken to the ISU Extension and Outreach website, where you can learn further about each topic. Reminder, not all topics can be taken to the county fair, but can still be a great learning tool through the year. (Example: Dairy cattle)

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State Fair Photos

We had quite a few of our members participated at the Iowa State Fair this year! Last week in the Clover Connection, we shared many of our exhibitors received special awards/placings at the fair. Congratulations to all participants!

If anyone has pictures they would like to share of a member at the Iowa State Fair showing livestock or with their exhibit and award, we would love to include that in the upcoming Clover Connections!

One photo that I have received is for Emma Preston from the Jack Creek Feeders Club, who was awarded the Outstanding Award for a Sewn & Quilted Item for her chicken quilt! Congratulations, Emma!



Advanced Cooking Club

If you have an interest in cooking and are looking for a club that specializes in learning new foods and building from the basics of cooking techniques, the Advanced Cooking Club is for you!

Must know the basics of cooking and be comfortable using a knife without hands on help from the instructor!

To join the Remind group, go to: <https://www.remind.com/join/8ec6g7k> for club announcements and updates!

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