

The Sioux County Scoop

October 2023



Sioux County 4-H Clubs

Floyd Venturers

Hull Clovers

Lincoln Loggers

Loyal Paws Dog Club

Rolling River

Sioux County Mounties

Sioux County Pulse

Sioux Stockmen

Sioux Co Shooting Sports

Western Go Getters

Happy National 4-H Week!

This week is National 4-H Week! Check out the challenges for this week for 4-Hers!

This month's Scoop will include enrollment instructions and help sheets, Youth Council Information, and many upcoming events and important dates!

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National 4-H Week

October 1-7, 2023



Sioux County Special 4-H Week Activities:

October 2 Monday: Member Monday!

Share that you are a 4-H member by changing or adding a 4-H picture to your social media or by telling a friend about your 4-H Experience

October 3 Tuesday: Promote 4-H

Get permission from a business owner to promote 4-H by decorating their sidewalk with chalk!

October 4 Wednesday: 4-H Spirit Day!

Wear a 4-H t-shirt to school or work!

October 5 Thursday: Thankful Thursday

Thank a 4-H Volunteer for supporting you as a 4-H member!

October 6 Friday: Favorite Friday

Tell a friend about your favorite 4-H project and how they can join 4-H to be a part of the fun!



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Sioux County Special 4-H Week Drawings:

October 3 (Drawing will happen and be posted on October 3rd)

Those who posted a 4-H picture AND tagged us in the post or comments of the post for the Monday Challenge will be entered to win a bag of 4-H items!



October 6 (Drawing will happen and be posted on Oct. 6)

Those who are **enrolled in 4-H Online** before 8:00am on Friday October 6th, will be entered into a drawing to win 4-H Items!



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2023-2024

County Youth Council

Who: 2023-2024 County Youth Council

All 9th-12th Grade age 4-Hers are welcome to join!

When: October 8th at 3:00pm

We will meet once a month.



Where: Sioux County 4-H Extension
and Outreach Office in Orange City in the Classroom

**If you are interested or want to know more
please fill out this form:**

<https://form.jotform.com/232255323573958>



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4-H Enrollment

To enroll go to: <https://v2.4honline.com>

Login: Enter family name and password

Click: Enroll Now next to the 4-H members name

Enter: Enter all the information and continue through until submitted

Pending: Enrollment will show pending status until approved by Extension Staff

Go to the following link for detailed enrollment instructions:

<https://www.extension.iastate.edu/4h/4honline-information-families-and-leaders>

Enrolling early ensures that you will continue getting the Sioux County Scoop! We also need enrollments early so we are able to order correct t-shirt sizes for fair t-shirts!

PLEASE NOTE: The email that you use to sign into your 4-H Online Account is the email that will receive the 4-H Newsletter each month. If you would like to have a different email receive those emails please contact Jade so she can add you to the list!



**Enrollment is due
December 1st!**



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4-H Enrollment

Who has to enroll/re-enroll??

- **New 4-H members**
- **Past 4-H Members**
- **4-H Club Leaders (new and past)**
- **4-H Volunteers (new and past)**
- ***How do you become a volunteer? Ask Jade!***



When is enrollment due?

- **December 1st!**
- **Check out the National 4-H Week Challenges to win a prize if you enroll early!**

What Counts as a 4-H Meeting?

1. Your club's monthly/ weekly meeting.
2. An approved 4-H Staff/Volunteer Led Educational program. (Not sure if it is approved? Ask Jade!)
3. YQCA Training and Pre-Fair Clean Up (Please be sure to send YQCA Certificates to Jade at goergen@iastate.edu)

Please remember that 4-H meetings have a purpose and we want members to participate in the activities and discussions that your leaders work hard to prepare.



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Sioux County 4-H Clubs

Floyd Venturers

- Meeting Location: Hospers/Orange City/Alton Area
- Leaders: Tammy Hansen, Jen Schipper, Janora Korver

Hull Clovers

- Meeting Location: Hull
- Leaders: Andrea Wielenga, Avis Bakker

Lincoln Loggers

- Meeting Location: Hull
- Leaders: Stacey Schmidt, Michael Harman

Rolling River

- Meeting Location: Rock Valley
- Leader: Lynn Koenen

Sioux Stockmen

- Meeting Location: Maurice
- Leaders: Cheryl Van Wyk, Alayna Van Regenmorter

Western Go Getters

- Meeting Location: Sioux Center
- Leader: Colleen King

Loyal Paws Dog Club

(Dog Obedience/Agility Club)

- Meeting Location: Sioux County Fairgrounds, Sioux Center
- Leaders:

Sioux County Mounties

(Horse Club)

- Meeting Location: Sioux Center
- Leaders: Christine Davelaar, Beth Nelson

Sioux County Pulse

(Livestock Club)

- Meeting Location: Sioux Center
- Leaders: Tara Oolman, Jenn & Jeremy Jansen, Leah & Reid Holverson, Christine Smit, Cole Wynja

Sioux County Shooting Sports

(Shooting Sports Club)

- Meeting Location: Sandy Hollow, Sioux Center
- Leaders: Andrew Roelfs, Travis Van Ra-

Sioux County 4-H Members are required to attend **four 4-H Club meetings** to exhibit at the Sioux County Youth Fair.



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Clover Kids Enrollment

Clover Kids Enrollment opened September 1st in 4-H Online.

Enroll early to guarantee a spot! Clover Kids is available to 1st-3rd graders.

Clover Kids Locations are:

Hospers, Hull, Rock Valley, Orange City, and Sioux Center

Continue to watch our Facebook page and website for updates!

Clover Kid groups are limited to the first

20 youth that are signed up per location.



Volunteers Needed

We are currently looking for someone to be a Loyal Paws Dog Club Leader.

We are also looking for Dog Superintendents! If you are interested lets talk!

Do you know of someone who may be interested? Reach out or get them in contact with Jade!

Statewide Events

Virtual Youth Horse Judging Clinic

“Makenzie Berkland will be presenting a 6-week course designed as an introduction to competitive horse judging while also providing youth with previous judging experience to brush up on the most common classes. We will cover Halter, Western Pleasure, Hunter Under Saddle, Horsemanship, Equitation, Ranch Horse classes, and Oral Reasons.”

For more information and to register go to:

<https://www.extension.iastate.edu/equine/virtual-youth-horse-judging-clinic>



Statewide Sewing and Clothing Enthusiasts to Begin in October

Youth in grades 9-12 can join a statewide virtual meeting each month to meet others who share their interest and experience in sewing and clothing discussions and activities.

Register in 4-H Online in the “Events” Tab



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Sioux County Events and Dates to know!

10/1-10/7– National 4-H Week!

12/1– 4-H Enrollment DUE! ([4-H Online](#))

3/1– Sioux County 4-H Scholarship Applications due

5/15– All Animals MUST be identified in [4-H Online](#)

6/15– All Animals MUST be entered into [Fair Entry](#)

7/1– ALL Static exhibits, communications, clothing event, and working exhibits must be entered

in [Fair Entry](#)

Stay tuned for a YQCA In-Person Training Date, STEAM Fest Date, and more!

Sioux County Important Links:

There are several websites and social media pages that can help you stay informed!

Sioux County 4-H website:

<https://www.extension.iastate.edu/sioux/4h>

Iowa 4-H website:

<https://www.extension.iastate.edu/4h/>

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Clay County Fair Results

The Clay County Fair was September 9th– 17th.

For Results check the links below!

https://claycountyfair.com/get-involved/competition_info/results/

<https://fairentry.com/Fair/Results/17741>



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Don't forget to enroll in 4-H!

