Local Club Contact Info....

1) Wright Warriors (co-ed)  
    Leaders: Phyllis Larson 515-448-3220  
              Carol Clagett 515-603-534

2) Liberty Pathfinders (co-ed)  
    Leader: Diane Kraft 515-825-3944

3) Dayton Lake (co-ed)  
    Leaders: Marcie Brodersen 515-293-2207  
              Jim Mewes 515-532-6767

4) Lake Clovers (female club)  
    Leader: Melissa Hackley 515-532-6544

5) Pleasant Progressors (co-ed)  
    Leaders: Robin Meyer 515-571-0541  
              Joni Worden 641-444-3672

6) Iowa Hawkeyes (co-ed)  
    Leader: Karla Pals 641-444-3557

7) Wright County P.I.G (co-ed, swine interest)  
    Leader: Stuart Swanson 515-532-2401

8) Wright County Shooting Sports (co-ed)  
    Leaders: Denise Halfpop 515-293-2212  
              Chris Johnson 515-293-1139  
              Jeff Kerch 515-851-8176

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Iowa 4-H Program website: https://www.extension.iastate.edu/4h/
Wright County 4-H on the web: http://www.extension.iastate.edu/wright/4h

4-H Is Based on Research

- Iowa youth credit their 4-H clubs with making them better citizens, leaders, and communicators.
- Research from Tufts University shows that 4-H youth are competent, confident, caring, and connected, and that they exhibit strong character.
- The Tufts study shows that 4-H’ers contribute more to their families and communities, achieve higher grades in school and are more likely to go to college than youth who are not in 4-H, or even youth who participate in other out-of-school programs.
- Youth involved in 4-H lead healthier, more productive lives, are less likely to suffer from depression and are less likely to participate in risky behaviors like drinking and smoking.

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You can join a 4-H club up through 12th grade. You can do all kinds of fun activities, like **build a rocket, design clothes, learn about computers, and help save the environment**. You name it, you can do it in 4-H. And better yet, you can get a lot of help from adult volunteers. They are mentors who can teach you and help you learn.

**What Is 4-H?**

4-H is a community of young people across America who are learning leadership, citizenship, and life skills as they work in partnership with caring adults.

What does that mean? In 4-H we are committed to helping young people develop skills that will help them succeed. We want to empower all youth to reach their full potential.

**4-H Is Hands-on Learning**

In 4-H youth learn by doing projects that are designed to fit their needs at different ages. Learn about the variety of projects from food to forestry, rockets and rabbits.

4-H gives kids and teens all kinds of opportunities to experience life skills, to practice them, and be able to use them throughout their lifetime.

4-H teaches young people how to meet their needs for belonging, mastery, independence, and generosity in positive ways.

In 4-H we work with young people in a variety of settings including schools, day camps, overnight camps, afterschool, clubs, and other learning environments.

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