



Huron County

# 4-H Family News

October-November 2016

## Happy Fall 4-H Families!!

4-H administrative leaders are working on their annual financial summary reports to guarantee their 4-H Club can re-enroll for the 2016-2017 year. If you are an administrative 4-H leader, be sure to stop by the MSU Extension Office to pick up your 4-H annual financial summary/enrollment before Monday, October 3, 2016. Deadline for this completed paperwork is Friday, October 28th.

## Recruiting of 4-H Leaders to Serve on the 4-H Council

The Huron County 4-H Leaders' Association is now recruiting 4-H adult leaders and teen leaders to serve on the 4-H Council. If you are interested, please contact the MSU Extension Office. Not a current adult 4-H leader, but you would like to serve on the 4-H Council? Please contact the MSU Extension Office to complete the MSUE Volunteer Select Process prior to serving as a volunteer.



The 4-H Council consists of twelve (12) 4-H adult leaders to serve a three-year term, while 4-H teen leaders serve a one-year term. There are three (3) current council members whose terms will expire this year, with at least three (3) or more vacancies to be filled.

The 4-H Council meets the second Tuesday of each month in Bad Axe at the MSU Extension Office. The business meetings deal with 4-H Scholarships, Council Policy, and annual programming such as 4-H Projects Galore, 4-H Ambassador Program, 4-H Fall Achievement Awards, and 4-H Fall Family Social to name a few.

The 4-H Council is a great board to sit on in order to make a difference for the youth in our community. You would have the power to mold the program to better serve the needs of our youth and help them gain life skills through multiple hands on avenues!

Please consider volunteering your service to the 4-H Council; and know that your time, energy and commitment to Huron County 4-H are very much valued by the Huron County 4-H Council members, other area 4-H leaders and youth members, as well as our community in general.

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### 4-H Motto

"To Make the Best Better"



# STATEWIDE CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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## 4-H Club Pledge:

**“I pledge  
My HEAD  
to clearer  
thinking,  
My HEART  
To greater  
loyalty,  
My HANDS  
To larger service,  
My HEALTH  
To better living  
For  
My Club,  
My Community  
My Country and  
My World.”**



## 4-H Workshops

October 5-6: Connecting Entrepreneurial Communities Conference

<http://msue.anr.msu.edu/program/info/cec>

Port Huron

October 8-9: 4-H Regional Shooting Sports Air Pistol Training

<http://msue.anr.msu.edu/events/4-h-regional-shooting-sports-air-pistol-training>

Demmer Center, Lansing

October 15-16: Michigan 4-H Goat Workshop

<http://msue.anr.msu.edu/events/michigan-4-h-goat-workshop>

Kettunen Center, Tustin

October 29-30: 4-H Visual Arts, Crafts, Sewing & Textiles Workshop

<http://msue.anr.msu.edu/events/4-h-visual-arts-crafts-sewing-and-textiles-workshop-1>

Kettunen Center, Tustin

November 19-20: 4-H Advisory Group Retreat

<http://msue.anr.msu.edu/events/4-h-advisory-group-retreat-1>

Kettunen Center, Tustin

November 25-29: National 4-H Congress

<https://www.facebook.com/National4HCongress>

Atlanta, Georgia

### 2017

February 4-5: 4-H Winterfest

<http://msue.anr.msu.edu/events/4-h-winterfest-2>

Kettunen Center, Tustin

February 17-18: 4-H Veterinary Science Teen & Adult Leaders Workshop

<http://msue.anr.msu.edu/events/4-h-veterinary-science-teen-and-adult-leaders-workshop>

Kettunen Center, Tustin

February 18-19: 4-H Beef, Sheep & Swine Teen & Adult Leaders Workshop

<http://bit.ly/2ceXN18>

Kettunen Center, Tustin

## Other 4-H Events

October 2-8: National 4-H Week

Nationwide

October 5: 4-H National Youth Science Day

<http://4-h.org/parents/national-youth-science-day>

Nationwide

### 2017

January 28: 4-H Rabbit & Cavy Show

<http://msue.anr.msu.edu/events/4-h-rabbit-and-cavy-show>

MSU Pavilion, Lansing

For the most up-to-date events listing, go to <http://4h.msue.msu.edu/events>

## STATEWIDE NEWS AREA

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### 4-H: Today's Big Picture and Our Proud Heritage!

#### What is 4-H?

4-H (<http://4-h.org>), the largest youth-development organization in both Michigan and the U.S., was thought up in the late 1880s. At the time, university, agricultural researchers realized farmers were often not willing to try new methods being developed on campus. However, noting that (as today) young people: (1) were open to new thinking, (2) would experiment with new ideas and (3) would then share their experiences with adults, the researchers introduced their new ideas to rural youth. *Thus began 4-H!*



#### Where can 4-H programs be found?



While 4-H continues to use the hands-on, learning-by-doing, experiential learning (<http://bit.ly/2csbWpu>) approach, its scope has expanded. Today, our 200,000-plus Michigan 4-H (<http://bit.ly/12NxjLN>) members are part of a program that reaches 7 million young people in more than 50 countries. 4-H Youth Development exists in all but one of the seven continents. As can be seen on this map (<http://bit.ly/2d0vSn9>), there are 4-H programs in North America, Mexico, much of Central America, Bolivia, many northern European and Scandinavian countries, much of the southern third of Africa, nearly all of eastern and southeast Asia, Australia and New Zealand.

Michigan 4-H welcomes youth from all parts of the state (from the Upper Peninsula to our border with Indiana, from Lake Michigan's shores to those of Lake Huron, and everywhere in between). Although Michigan 4-H still has rural programs, it now also includes youth from urban areas and the suburbs, as well. *Quite a difference from just 25 years ago!*

#### What is 4-H's focus?

Embracing our 90-year-old motto, "To make the best better," today's 4-H continues its intentional focus on making its members leaders of change. Though different times dictate changing interests and focuses, Michigan 4-H holds fast to its heritage of concentrating its educational efforts on **science** (animal [<http://bit.ly/1p0ET1o>], engineering and technology [<http://bit.ly/2ceDAcq>] and environmental and outdoor education [<http://bit.ly/1Q8SmuO>]), **healthy living** (<http://bit.ly/1QArUzL>) and empowering young people to be **good citizens** locally (<http://bit.ly/1QpCrO5>) and globally (<http://bit.ly/1VBJ4ez>). Michigan 4-H has also established a strong, intentional mentoring program (<http://bit.ly/2cBO041>), including 4-H Tech Wizards (<http://bit.ly/2cOLj2y>), as a way of allowing more young people to participate.



#### How is 4-H doing?

In 2013, Tufts University (<https://www.tufts.edu>) scholars, Drs. Richard and Jacqueline Lerner, published a first-of-its-kind research report (<http://bit.ly/2cFG0B3>) that defines and measures 4-H's positive, youth development. It demonstrates that 4-H members excel in academic achievement, civic engagement and healthy living. Each year, MSU Extension (<http://bit.ly/1sdrvYu8>) compiles and publishes data about the impact its children and youth programs have. 2015 data can be found here (<http://bit.ly/2cuAD5E>).



As you celebrate National 4-H Week (October 2 to 8), *take pride in* being part of not only the largest youth-development organization in the country, but also *being a member of a program that has remained true to its founders, while quickly responding to today's challenges!*

#### Stay in touch and connected:

At [www.facebook.com/Michigan4H](http://www.facebook.com/Michigan4H)

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By using #MI4H



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# COUNTY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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National 4-H Week .....	10/02-08/16
4-H Fall Paper Clover Campaign .....	10/05-16/16
4-H Fall Achievement Forms Due .....	10/07/16
Columbus Day - MSUE Closed .....	10/10/16
4-H Council Meeting .....	10/11/16
RSVP Deadline for 4-H Family Social.....	10/28/16
4-H Fall Family Social .....	11/06/16
4-H Council Meeting .....	11/08/16
Veterans Day - MSUE Closed .....	11/11/16
Small Livestock Association Meeting .....	11/21/16
Thanksgiving Day - MSUE Closed .....	11/24/16
Thanksgiving Holiday - MSUE Closed .....	11/25/16
Bad Axe Christmas Parade .....	11/26/16
Harbor Beach Christmas Parade .....	12/03/16
Clothe-A-Child Boxes Due .....	12/05/16
Thumb Ag Day .....	12/14/16
Christmas Holiday - MSUE Closed .....	12/23/16
Christmas Holiday - MSUE Closed .....	12/26/16
4-H Member & Adult Leader Re-Enrollment Deadline .....	12/30/16
New Year's Day Observed - MSUE Closed .....	01/02/17
4-H Camp Counselor Training .....	01/08/17
Junior Livestock Association Market Steer Tagging .....	01/14/17

## 2016-17 4-H RE-ENROLLMENT

### 4-H Youth and Adult Leader Re-Enrollment and Annual 4-H Participation Fee

It is time to start re-enrolling for the new 2016-17 4-H program year. The 4-H calendar year runs from September 1 through August 31 each year. At the end of each programming year, all counties are required to complete an ES-237 report.

On Wednesday, August 31, 2016, all 4-H enrollment member and leader files were set to "inactive." As 4-H members and adult leaders re-enroll for the 2016-17 year, this status will change to "active." 4-H members and leaders who do not re-enroll for 2016-17 will no longer be "active" in the file.

Most 4-H families already have created a "Family Profile" in 4-H Online. Parents are now required to re-enroll their youth (or adult 4-H leader) through their "Family Profile" in the 4-H Online system. Please DO NOT create another "Family Profile" if you already have created one.

Step-by-step instructions are included in this issue of the 4-H Family News or a hard copy can be picked up at the MSU Extension Office to help 4-H families re-enroll for the new 4-H program year. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact Kari VerEllen at 989-269-9949, ext. 604.

The annual \$10 4-H participation fee applies to 4-H members only and MUST be paid prior to the approval of their re-enrollment. 4-H leaders are exempt from the 4-H participation fee. For 4-H families with four or more youth, the annual 4-H participation fee cap is \$30. Checks are payable to "MSU."

Adult 4-H leaders have various responsibilities throughout the year, so please be responsible and re-enroll on time. YES, ADULT 4-H LEADERS ARE TO RE-ENROLL EVERY YEAR THE SAME AS YOUTH!!! Also be sure to volunteer with such tasks as assisting at 4-H club meetings and helping with various duties.

Deadline for previous 4-H members and adult 4-H leaders to re-enroll for the 2016-17 4-H program year is Friday, December 30, 2016. NEW 4-H members have until Thursday, June 1, 2017, to enroll in the 2016-17 4-H program year.

4-H member enrollments will not be accepted after the June 1st deadline; so any youth or adults, who want to join 4-H before fair, will need to do it prior to June 1, 2017, or wait until September 1, 2017, when the new 4-H program year begins.

## 4-H OPPORTUNITY FOR RECOGNITION!!

### 4-H Fall Achievement County Medal Awards Opportunity

DON'T FORGET!! 4-H leaders and parents, please highly encourage your 4-H members, who have done an outstanding job in their project areas to apply for county medals. 4-H Fall Achievement awards will be given out at the Huron County 4-H Fall Family Social to be held Sunday, November 6, 2016, at The Pasta House in Kinde.

A member only has to fill out one 4-H Fall Achievement Award Form, but must have a separate story for each award area. All 4-H Fall Achievement Forms and stories are

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## SAVE THE DATE!!!

4-H Day at the  
Breslin -  
Women's  
Basketball Event!

Sunday  
January 22, 2017!

MSU Spartan  
Women's  
Basketball Team  
will host Purdue  
Boilermakers  
Women's  
Basketball Team.

Time to be  
determined.

Ticket  
information  
and other  
details will follow  
as  
they become  
available.



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due to the MSU Extension Office by Friday, October 7, 2016.

4-H Fall Achievement guidelines, sample form and a blank form can be found in the September 4-H Family News or picked up at the MSU Extension Office, located within the Huron County Health Department Complex at 1142 S. Van Dyke, Suite 200, in Bad Axe. Office hours are Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and open during the noon hour. A drop box also located outside of the MSUE office entrance for after-hour convenience.

### **4-H Silent Auction Items Are Being Sought**

The 4-H Leaders' Association will be hosting their 8th annual Silent Auction at the 2016 Huron County 4-H Fall Family Social to be held Sunday, November 6, 2016, at The Pasta House in Kinde.

**NEW - The 4-H Council is asking all Huron County 4-H Clubs to participate in the 4-H Silent Auction by donating at least one item from their 4-H club.** 4-H families are also welcome and highly encouraged to donate items for this awesome event. Silent auction items can include, but are not limited to: blankets, ceramics, creative crafts, gift baskets, gift cards, gift certificates, hand-crafted items, quilts, etc.

Forty-five (45) items were donated last year with more than \$360 raised in proceeds. All proceeds raised from this event are used for 4-H programs such as scholarships to 4-H Exploration Days, Kettunen Center workshops, Citizenship Washington Focus, 4-H Capitol Experience, Thumb Area 4-H Camp, etc.



Silent auction items/donations, can be dropped off to the MSU Extension Office between now and Friday, October 28, 2016. Office hours are Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and open during the noon hour.

### **Clothe-A-Child Program**

The Clothe-A-Child Program will need our help once again this year. This will be the 16th year the 4-H program has helped with this event. Last year, 4-H families wrapped a total of 239 boxes. We are once again looking for people to help wrap boxes for the Clothe-A-Child Program.

In 2015, the Clothe-A-Child Program provided complete outfits including underwear and socks to more than 300 needy youth in Huron County at Christmas time. Boxes must be two-part with bottom and top lid. If using shirt boxes, please make sure they are a large shirt box 11 1/2" x 18" or a large boot box (shoebboxes or small shirt boxes cannot be used).

Wrapped boxes can be dropped off at the MSU Extension Office by Friday, December, 2, 2016, or they can be dropped off at the Bad Axe Free Methodist Church, 165 Pigeon Road (M-142), Bad Axe, on the morning of Monday, December 5, 2016.



This is a great community service project for our Huron County 4-H Clubs. Please start saving your large boxes to wrap for the Clothe-A-Child program. Youth will receive "Community Service" certificates for their participation in wrapping boxes for this worthwhile project.

## **Check It Out**

You can now  
find the  
4-H Family News  
and other  
4-H events flyers  
by going to  
[www.thumbnet.net](http://www.thumbnet.net)

Click on  
"Coupons/Flyers"  
and scroll down to  
"Event Flyers  
&  
Event Schedules"

## Festival of Trees Update

The Huron County 4-H Leaders' Association is planning for 4-H clubs to participate in a 4-H Club Fundraising Silent Auction at next year's Huron Community Fair with proceeds going back to each of the participating 4-H clubs. We are asking 4-H clubs to obtain, decorate with a theme of your choice, and display the decorated artificial Christmas tree at the 2017 Huron Community Fair within the 4-H Building. The silent auction will be held during fair week, with the highest bidder taking home the decorated tree and the individual 4-H club receiving the profit.

Therefore, the 4-H Council is encouraging every 4-H club to prepare ahead and participate in next year's 4-H club fundraising project. One suggestion is to make it a 4-H club project to decorate an artificial tree (any size) around the Christmas season and take advantage of the sales.

Once decorated, 4-H clubs should cover the tree with a large bag or plastic covering so when fair time arrives, the trees are ready to be displayed and placed in the 4-H Club Fundraiser Silent Auction! If you have further questions, please direct them to any 4-H Council member. In fact, please join us at the next 4-H Council Meeting – second Tuesday of each month in the MSUE Office conference room at 4:30 p.m. - and ask in person!



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## Cancellation of the 2016-17 4-H Bowling Program

Due to declining participation over the past several years, it has been decided to cancel the annual Huron County 4-H Bowling Program for the 2016-17 4-H program year.

## **LOCAL UPCOMING EVENTS!!**

### Fall 2016 4-H Paper Clover Campaign

National 4-H Council announces the fall 4-H Paper Clover Campaign in partnership with Tractor Supply Company (TSC). The nationwide, in-store fundraiser will benefit state and local 4-H programming in each of the communities where a TSC store is located.

The fall 2016 4-H Paper Clover Campaign will take place Wednesday, October 5, 2016, through Sunday, October 16, 2016. Shoppers at the Bad Axe Tractor Supply store will have the opportunity to support 4-H in Huron County by purchasing 4-H paper clovers for just \$1 at checkout.

All funds raised will be donated to 4-H, and will support 4-H youth development program activities in Huron County. So please take time to stop by the Bad Axe Tractor Supply store October 5th through October 16th and help support the Huron County 4-H Youth Development Program by purchasing a \$1 4-H paper clover. THANK YOU!! 😊

### Association Meetings

Huron County 4-H Leaders' Association (4-H Council) meets the second Tuesday of the month at the MSU Extension Office:

October 11, 2016  
November 8, 2016  
January 10, 2017

4-H Council Meeting minutes can be found online at [www.msue.msu.edu/huron](http://www.msue.msu.edu/huron). These meetings are open to anyone interested in the 4-H program.





## **SAVE THE DATE**

Sunday,  
November 6, 2016,  
for the  
Huron County 4-H  
Fall Family Social  
to be held  
at the  
Pasta House  
in Kinde.  
More details and  
registration form  
can be  
found in this  
Issue of the  
4-H Family News.



## **Small Livestock Association Meeting**

The next Small Livestock Association (SLA) Meeting will be Monday, November 21, 2016, at the Huron Expo Center in Bad Axe beginning at 6:30 p.m.

## **4-H Camp Counselor Training Scheduled for 2017**

4-H teens aged 15 to 19 years by January 1, 2017, interested in becoming 4-H Camp teen counselors, please contact Kari VerEllen at 989-269-9949, ext. 604, or verelle7@msu.edu with your contact information.

4-H Camp counselor trainings have been scheduled and **MUST** be attended in order to become a camp counselor. The first scheduled training will be held:

*Sunday, January 8 - Informational Meeting at the Expo Center in Bad Axe  
from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.*

*Friday-Sunday, April 7-9 - 4-H Camp Counselor Retreat at Camp Cavell in  
Lexington*

More details to follow as trainings are finalized. Please mark the above dates on your 2017 calendar.

## **Seeking Adult Male Chaperones for 2017 4-H Camp**

4-H Camp is scheduled for *Thursday, July 6 - Saturday, July 8, 2017*, at Camp Cavell in Lexington. We are in need of 1 to 2 adult male chaperones from Huron County to stay during 4-H Camp. Unfortunately, without adult male chaperones, 4-H Camp cannot be offered to boys.

If you are interested and can make arrangement in your schedule to help out, please mark your 2017 calendar and save the dates. It's an awesome experience with many fun, educational activities for everyone including adults!! ☺

## **RE-ENROLLING THROUGH 4-H ONLINE**

1. Go to your Michigan 4HOnline login page located at <https://mi.4honline.com>
2. If you have logged in to your 4HOnline account before and remember your password, log in to your account and skip to step #13 below.
3. If you have never logged in to your 4HOnline account before (in many cases where a county 4-H Office created the initial family profile), contact your County 4-H Office to obtain the email address that is on file for your profile. If you do not have an email address on file, contact the County 4-H Office to add the email address to your profile. (To get a temporary password issued)
4. Enter your email address and select "I forgot my password."
5. Select Family as your role.
6. Click send My Password.
7. Check your email account for your temporary password.
8. Once you receive your password, select I have a profile.
9. Enter the temporary password from the email message to the login page.
10. Click Login.
11. Once you log in, you will be prompted to create a new password. Enter a new password. (Write down your new password!)
12. Click continue to go to your Family Member List.

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13. The Member list will show you all of the youth members and adult volunteers in your family who were enrolled in the previous year.
14. Click "Edit" next to the Inactive member you would like to re-enroll.
15. To update your family information, click Edit Family.
16. Scroll to the bottom, review page and click "Enroll for \_\_\_\_\_." The current year will be displayed.
17. Update any personal information and click continue at the bottom of the page. **\*\* Be sure your email address is correct and current. This is often the counties best way to communicate with you.**
18. Read all of the additional information carefully. **\*\* Add complete first and last name. Make sure all spelling is correct. Incorrect or incomplete enrollments will be returned.**
19. Mark the check box and sign each section. This section will be locked for editing after the enrollment has been submitted.
20. Click Continue.
21. It is very important that each member's Health Form is complete, accurate and current. Review and/or enter the member's Health information.
22. Click Continue.
23. Review and edit your Clubs. Only Clubs in which the member will participate during the current program year should be listed. **\*\* If you are a Volunteer, you will also have the option of selecting the Volunteer Type.**
24. Click Continue.
25. Review and edit projects. NOTE: Only projects in which the member will participate in during the current year should be listed in the Projects tab. Projects for previous years will remain on the Member's enrollment history. Remove any projects listed in which the member will no longer participate in for the new 4-H year. **\*\* If you are a Volunteer, you will also have the option of selecting the Volunteer Type.**
26. Click Submit Enrollment.
27. Your county will receive notification of your Re-enrollment.



28. You will receive email notification when the county has reviewed and accepted your Re-enrollment. Please contact your 4-H Club leader or county office for information on how to pay participation fees.

#### TIPS:

- After your initial login, you will see the Families Home Page when you first log in.
- The Announcements and Newsletters section is where your county can post newsletters, announcements and other important documents for you to review.
- To access your member list, click "Continue to Family."
- If you would like to change your password at any time after your initial login, click "Change Password."
- If you have forgotten your password, please select "I forgot my password" from the login page. County and state offices do not have access to Family passwords.
- If, at any point, you would like to return to your start page, click on "Home."
- To return to your member list from any page, click on "My Member List."
- For quick navigation between the four member enrollment pages, simply click on the page title under the navigation bar.



## **What?**

- Thousands of young people from across America come to the **National 4-H Youth Conference Center** every summer to participate in CWF, a citizenship and leadership program held in **Washington, DC**. Through a series of speakers, committee work, field trips and social events, participants learn the importance of citizenship and social responsibility and are given the opportunity to **explore, develop, and refine skills needed to be an outstanding leader on both a local and national level**.

## **Why?**

- **Impact and action planning** – Our focus is life-long civic engagement, and delegates leave with a plan of action to tackle issues facing their own communities when they return home.
- **Living classroom of Washington, DC** – Collegiate Program Assistants, serving as facilitators, tour guides and role models immerse delegates in the culture and history of our country through onsite discussions at DC's most spectacular locations. *Destinations include: The Capitol Building, Mount Vernon, Arlington National Cemetery, presidential and war monuments and memorials, Smithsonian museums and more.*
- **More than just monuments** – CWF isn't just another sightseeing trip to Washington DC. Through hands-on educational workshops, youth learn about the history of our nation, and the leaders who shaped it.
- **Diversity, friendship and fun** – CWF is a once in a lifetime opportunity to exchange ideas, practice respect, form friendships and share experiences with those from all across the country.
- **Exclusively 4-H focused** – CWF is a 4-H tradition that dates back more than 50 years, and is the only such national citizenship and leadership program offered exclusively to 4-H members.

## **Who?**

- 45 Michigan 4-H Youth ages 14-19

## **When?**

- June 24-July 1, 2017. The Michigan delegation leaves on Saturday, June 24 and will drive the first day to Gettysburg, PA. On Sunday we tour the battlegrounds before finishing our travel to DC.

## **Where?**

- National 4-H Youth Conference Center, Chevy Chase, MD; one mile from Washington D.C.

## **How Much?**

- Total cost is \$1380 (includes transportation, lodging in both Gettysburg and Chevy Chase, conference costs, and most meals).
- Registration does not include the cost of 6 meals or spending money.
- Non-refundable deposit of \$300 is due on November 15, 2016.

## **For Questions or More Information:**

Visit the CWF website: <http://www.4hcwf.org/> or contact the Michigan coordinator: Connie Lange, [lancec@anr.msu.edu](mailto:lancec@anr.msu.edu), 517-279-4311

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# 2016 4-H FALL FAMILY SOCIAL

THE PASTA HOUSE IN KINDE



MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY | Extension

Enjoy a relaxing afternoon with fellow 4-Hers, family and friends. This is a fun & educational event for the entire family. The afternoon will be spent recognizing our wonderful 4-H members for their outstanding work in specific project areas, competitive activities and leadership roles through the 4-H Program. Our awesome 4-H adults and teen leaders will also be recognized for their countless hours of dedication and work volunteering for the development of our area youth. Many thanks will also be given to many individuals and businesses who have so generously supported the Huron County 4-H Youth Program with their amazing donations.

This event will begin at 2:00 p.m. with a pasta and salad bar dinner. Our guest speakers for the afternoon will be 4-H teen leaders giving a presentation on their involvement and experiences in various 4-H activities.

The 4-H Leaders' Association is also hosting their 8th annual "4-H SILENT AUCTION" fundraiser. Everyone is welcome and highly encouraged to donate an item for the 4-H Silent Auction. Items can be dropped off to the MSU Extension Office by 4:30 p.m. on Friday, October 28, 2016. All proceeds from this fundraiser will be used for 4-H scholarships to 4-H Exploration Days, 4-H Capitol Experience, Kettunen Center workshops, Thumb Area 4-H Camp, Citizenship Washington Focus, etc.

**RSVPs are required by Friday, October 28, 2016. Please make plans today to attend this phenomenal event!!**

Sunday,

November

6, 2016

@ 2:00 p.m.



2016 Huron County 4-H Fall Family Social  
Sunday, November 6, 2016, at 2 p.m. - The Pasta House in Kinde



\_\_\_\_\_ Yes, I/we will be attending. \_\_\_\_\_ Number attending.

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

4-H Club \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Cost for 12 yr. olds to adults is \$10/person, 5-11 yr. olds is \$5/person, 4 & under are free - Total Enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

Please make checks payable to "4-H Leaders' Association"

Mail or drop off to the MSU Extension-Huron County, 1142 S. Van Dyke, Suite 200, Bad Axe, MI 48413.