

# Clover Chatter

*Iberia Parish 4-H*



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## 4-H Is for EVERYONE!

4-H is fun! 4-H is learning! 4-H offers a whole new world of opportunities for youth to learn new things, go new places and meet new friends. After all, 4-H is the largest youth development organization in the United States!

**WHO?** Any youth who is between 9-19 years of age by January 1 of the current school year, in 4<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade, and willing to follow the 4-H ideals and standards is eligible to join.

### **HOW DO I JOIN? It is easy!**

1. Fill out a 4-H enrollment card using a paper form or through the 4-H Online Enrollment System. Here is the link: [www.lsuagcenter.com/4henroll](http://www.lsuagcenter.com/4henroll).

2. Choose one project area of interest. The project book related to your selection will be provided.

3. Pay your dues before your club leader's deadline. Each individual club sets the amount of their dues and due date. Check with your 4-H Leader for dues amount and the due date.

**THINK 4-H MIGHT  
BE FOR YOU?**



**JOIN THE CLUB**

## Pumpkin Decorating Contest

We are excited that our first contest day of the year will be a virtual Pumpkin Decorating Contest! 4-H members can decorate pumpkins to fit 3 categories: Scientific, Animal and 4-H Spirit.

New this year is a fourth category for Spooky Carved Pumpkins!

Pumpkin picture submissions will be due by midnight on **Sunday,**

**October 31<sup>st</sup>**. You can email your pictures to

[iberiaparish4h@gmail.com](mailto:iberiaparish4h@gmail.com).

\*Detailed contest rules will be discussed at the October Club meetings.



## National 4-H Week: "4-H Builds"

National 4-H Week is October 3-9, 2021. In honor of 4-H Week, we challenge our clubs to celebrate this week by building:

\*Leaders    \*Role Models    \*Healthy Habits    \*Communities



All 4-H'ers are encouraged to come up with ideas and help your leaders by thinking of ways to publicize your club, take part in activities, and set a good example for others. Check out the Iberia 4-H Facebook page for more information and activities!

## 2021-2022 Club Meeting Program

This year's club meeting focus will be a continuation of the lessons based upon SCIENCE LABS. The lessons will be presented to all clubs in Iberia Parish and are going to be a BLAST!



*Membership and participation in activities and events are open to all citizens without regard to race, color, national origin, gender, religion, age, veteran status, or disability. If you have a disability that requires special accommodation for your participation in an activity, please contact us at 337-369-4440.*



## RESULTS

### 4-H University

Iberia 4-H members participated in the Hybrid 4-H University contest in June. This event is the largest state 4-H Competition of the year and is a highlight for 8th-12th grade 4-H club members. Below are the members who participated this year. Thanks to all the leaders and 4-H members that made this event a success!

Chacelyn Peltier – Ag Demo – 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
Aubrey Menard – Ag Demo  
Malory Segura – Ag Demo  
Kaylen Daniels – Child Development  
Ja'Laysia Leonard – Fashion Revue  
Maria Parrie – Fashion Revue  
Mikayla Barletto – FCS Demo  
Hunter Gathe – Insect ID  
Jeanette Arton – Louisiana Chef  
Blake Gisclair – Photography



### State Records Winners

Completing your record book pays off! A record book is a great opportunity for 4-H'ers who want to keep records of their 4-H career, win money and trips, or fill out scholarship applications.

#### **Orlando Leadership Institute**

*State Winner* – Jeanette Arton, New Iberia Senior High



### 2021-2022 State 4-H Boards

These awesome 4-H'ers were selected to serve on Louisiana State Boards. They are the new leaders of Louisiana 4-H. Congratulations to you all!!

Mikayla Barletto – Citizenship Board  
Malory Segura – Citizenship Board  
Blake Gisclair – Science, Engineering & Technology Board



### 4-H Parent & Adult Volunteers

Over the course of the year, we need parent volunteers to help with parish activities, chaperone camps, and other overnight activities. To be considered, parents/volunteers must complete a Volunteer Enrollment card using the 4-H Online Enrollment System at [www.lsuagcenter.com/4henroll](http://www.lsuagcenter.com/4henroll)



### 2021 Sugarcane Festival Livestock Show

Iberia Parish hosted the Sugarcane Festival Livestock Show on September 24-25, 2021, at the SugArena. We would like to thank all members, parents and volunteers who helped to make the show a success. Below are the show results.

#### **HOG - MARKET SWINE**

Champion: Peyton Dore', Catholic High  
Reserve Champion: Landon Gary, Member at Large

#### **HOG - SWINE SHOWMANSHIP**

Champion Showman: Kensie Pellerin, Acadiana Christian  
Reserve Champion Showman: Juliana Delahoussaye, Loreauville High

#### **BABY BEEF – MARKET STEERS**

Champion: Grant delaHoussaye, Catholic High  
Reserve Champion: Kylan Romero, JIRES

#### **BABY BEEF - SHOWMANSHIP**

Champion Showman: Trey delaHoussaye, Catholic High  
Reserve Champion Showman: Grant delaHoussaye, Catholic High

#### **SHEEP - MARKET LAMBS**

Champion: Kinsey Buteaux, Loreauville High  
Reserve Champion: Hollie Metz, Member at Large

#### **SHEEP - SHOWMANSHIP**

Champion Showman: Hollie Metz, Member at Large  
Reserve Champion Showman: Malory Segura, Loreauville High

#### **GOAT – MARKET GOATS**

Champion: Kinsey Buteaux, Loreauville High  
Reserve Champion: Morgan Boutte, Loreauville High

#### **GOAT - SHOWMANSHIP**

Champion Showman: Hollie Metz, Member at Large  
Reserve Champion Showman: Kinsey Buteaux, Loreauville High

## UPCOMING OPPORTUNITIES

### 4-H Broiler Project

Raising young meat-type chickens (broilers) is one of the most interesting and fun-filled activities a 4-H'er can experience. The project lasts approximately 40 days. Space and investment requirements for broilers are relatively small, so the project is suitable for all 4-H'ers, including those that live within city limits. If you are interested in participating in the 4-H Broiler Project, you must order your broilers from the 4-H office by **Wednesday, November 17, 2021.**



### Challenge Camp

WHO: 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> grade members  
WHEN: Tuesday, November 30<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 – 5:00pm  
WHERE: Rock 'n Bowl in downtown Lafayette, LA  
Prepare for a day of fun filled activities where you will learn decision making and team building skills with other 4-H'ers from our region! Please email Ms. Patrice at [pcahee@agcenter.lsu.edu](mailto:pcahee@agcenter.lsu.edu) if you are interested in participating.



## PROJECT CLUBS & PROGRAMS

Iberia Parish 4-H is offering many of the same project clubs as in the past, but we are adjusting the structures of each project club to be compliant with all LSU AgCenter and governmental health guidelines. Some of our project clubs may be held virtually, while others may be allowed to meet in small groups. Please use the Qualtrics survey to express interest in any of the clubs. Once details are finalized, all interested members will be contacted with ways to join. Please submit your survey by **November 1<sup>st</sup>**! You can access the survey using the link or QR Code below:



[http://lsu.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_2mWx4FTtoOAiVjyl](http://lsu.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_2mWx4FTtoOAiVjyl)

### Cooking 101 Club

Do you like to experiment with new recipes? Do you like to cook or would like to learn how to cook? Do you like having fun with friends and learning new things? If you said YES to any of these questions, then this club is for you! Members in 4th through 6th grade will be able to take part in this project club where we will complete activities from the "Cooking 101" project book.

### SET Club

Get Ready, Get SET!! Everyone who wants to learn more about Science, Engineering and Technology are invited to join the Iberia 4-H SET Club. We will meet several times throughout the year to do hands-on activities and science experiments. Registration forms and meeting dates will be sent out to interested members. The SET Club is for 4-H members in 4<sup>th</sup>- 6<sup>th</sup> grade.

### Painting & Popcorn Workshop

WHO: Open to all 4-H members

WHEN: Tuesday, November 23<sup>rd</sup>

Join us during the Thanksgiving break to paint a holiday-themed design and enjoy some delicious popcorn with other 4-H'ers! Please complete the survey above to express interest in participating. Registration information will be sent out closer to the event.

## LYFE Program

Iberia 4-H Club is introducing a new project club called Living Your Financial Experience (LYFE). The lessons will challenge members to identify and set goals and practice budgeting through challenges. LYFE is open to members in 9<sup>th</sup>- 12<sup>th</sup> grade.

### Iberia Parish 4-H Junior Leader Club

Junior Leaders exemplify the Four H's through their commitment to community service, learning, healthy living, and having FUN! The Introductory Junior Leader Meeting is scheduled for **Wednesday, October 20th at 5:30 PM** at Camp Knighton, located at 114 Camp Knighton Rd in New Iberia. All 4-H members in 7th to 12th grade are invited to join in the fun and learn what it is to be a 4-H Junior Leader!

### Iberia 4-H Shooting Sports Program

The 4-H Outdoor Skills/Shooting Sports program will soon begin its 8<sup>th</sup> year in Iberia Parish. The program offers youth 9-19 years old the opportunity to learn about firearm safety, marksmanship, hunting and wildlife conservation. The Iberia Parish program is currently offering the archery discipline. Shooting sports offers 4-H'ers the opportunity to learn at their own pace and compete in parish, regional, state, and national contests.

The Shooting Sports program is taught by certified volunteer instructors who have completed intense training. To become a participant in the shooting sports program, youth must be enrolled in 4-H. Participants must complete 8 hours of instruction under a certified instructor per year and members 10 and up must be Hunter Safety Certified.

If you are interested in joining the Iberia 4-H Outdoor Skills/Shooting Sports Project, return the Shooting Sports Packet by the registration deadline as noted in the packet.

**\*Contact the 4-H Office for more info.**

### Dates to Remember

#### October 2021

1-15: October Club Meetings

**20: First Junior Leader Meeting @ 5:30PM**

**31: Pumpkin Decorating Contest Entries Due**

#### November 2021

1: Deadline to submit Project Club Interest Survey

3-16: November Club Meetings

17: Junior Leader Meeting @ 5:30PM

23: Painting & Popcorn Workshop

25-26: Thanksgiving Holiday – 4-H Office Closed

30: Challenge Camp @ Rock N' Bowl