How can YOU join??



Contact a 4-H Leader listed on the inside of this flyer, call the University of Illinois Extension-Stephenson County Office at 815-235-4125, or see our website at:

go.illinois.edu/jsw

The 4-H program encourages independent awareness and responsibility by emphasizing the importance of "learning by doing." 4-H projects and activities are designed to provide hands-on learning with an emphasis on science, leadership, communication, and citizenship skills.

4-H members may choose projects on more than 200 topics ranging from aerospace to gardening and child development to vet science! Club activities are designed from a "see it, do it, teach it" model.

4-H is open to everyone regardless of where you live, race, religion, color, gender, marital status, national origin, disability, or political belief.







For questions and/or more information, please contact the following 4-H Youth Development Staff:

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Extension 4-H Youth
Development Educator
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Stephenson County 4-H
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4-H is a community of young people across America who are learning leadership, citizenship, and life skills. 4-H builds the leaders of tomorrow.

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Learn new skills & have FUN with 4-H!

If you're looking for a group to join, 4-H is for YOU! from every corner of Stephenson County, youth from ages 5-18 are active in 10 local 4-H clubs. Visit a 4-H meeting and find out what the program is all about. This just might be the perfect

group for YOU!

What Exactly is 4-H?

- Real -life Experiences
- Decision-making
- Believes in "learning by doing"
- Being a part of your community



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My HEAD to clearer thinking.
My HEART to greater loyalty,
My HANDS to larger service,
And
My HEALTH to better living,
for my Club,
my Community,
my Country,
and my World.

4-H Clubs in Stephenson County

COUNTRY CUZINS — Meets 1st Monday of the month at 7:00 pm at Dakota Methodist Church, 120 S. Church St, Dakota, IL. Contact leaders Stephanie Mitchell at 815-821-5143, email msjmmitchell4@gmail.com OR Jen Busker at 815-275-4574, email jjbholstein@yahoo.com

<u>DAVIS ROCKETS</u> — Meets 2nd Monday of the month at 6 pm at Davis Community Hall, 412 Stanton St, Davis, IL, or at other places for special activities. Please call to ask. Contact leader Bonnie Campbell at 815-789-3197.

FLORENCE CRICKETS — Meets 1st Monday of the month, at 6:15 pm at Freeport Rural Fire Dept, 3039 S. Baileyville Rd. Freeport, IL. Contact leader Dean Kuper at 815-297-3226, email dlkuper4@gmail.com

FREEPORT FANTASTICS — Meets 1st Monday of the month at 6 pm at Farm Bureau Office, 210 W Spring St, Freeport, IL, or in the Summer at the park. Please call to ask.

Contact leader Denise Hayunga at 815-232-7226, email dhayunga79@gmail.com

GERMAN VALLEY GOLDEN EAGLES — Meets 2nd Monday of the month at 6:30 pm, in the Winter at Silver Creek Church, 326 Bunker Hill Rd, in the Summer at GV Park, German Valley, IL. Contact leaders Josh & Stacey Bolen at 815-738-2230, email yecats1222@yahoo.com OR Ann Johnson at 815-543-5264, email rdvm09er@gmail.com

HARLEM HELPERS — Meets 1st Monday of the month at 7 pm at Harlem Townhouse, 1498 Harlem Ctr. Rd, Freeport, IL. Contact leader Rose DeVries at 815-990-2285, email rose.devries@compeer.com

<u>LENA LUCKY CLOVERS</u> — Meets 1st Tuesday of the month at 6:30 pm at Winslow Community Building, 501 School St. Winslow, IL. Contact leaders Kristi Krahmer at 815-541-3537, email <u>kristikrahmer@hotmail.com</u> OR Jamie Stabenow at 815-238-4154, email jamie.stabenow@gmail.com

<u>PEARL CITY HORNETS</u> — Meets 1st Monday of the month at 7 pm at St. Johns Church, 229 S 1st St, Pearl City, IL. Contact leaders Nikki Keltner at 815-821-4209, email <u>nkeltner12@gmail.com</u> OR Carlee Tessendorf at 815-440-3648, email <u>carlee.tessendorf@gmail.com</u>

PEARL VALLEY RANGERS — Meets 2nd Sunday of the month at 6 pm at St. Johns Church, 229 S 1st St, Pearl City, IL. Contact leaders Curt & Pennie Miller at 815-291-9051, email pennie.miller.com@gmail.com OR Brenda Forth at 815-443-2784, email bummerfamily2005@gmail.com.

SNAPPY SNAZZERS — Meets 1st Monday of the month at 6:30 pm at Orangeville Methodist Church, 111 S East St, Orangeville, IL. Contact leader Pat Yeagle at 815-291-4581, email patyeagle@gmail.com



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