

**EXTENSION** 

INSTITUTE OF AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES

Lancaster County

October 2023

Dear 4-H Organizational Leader or Independent Member,

October signals the beginning of a new 4-H project year. It is time to reorganize your 4-H club with new officers and projects. Now is a good time to recruit parents and friends of 4-H as project and activity leaders. You are encouraged to involve as many adults as you need in leadership roles to meet the goals of your club.

## The following items are enclosed in this packet:

- ✓ Fall Club Enrollment postcard (clubs only)
- ✓ Club Member Roster (clubs only) Rosters from 2022–2023 year. Members need to re-enroll for 2023–2024.
- ✓ Club Treasurer's Report (clubs only)
- ✓ 2022–2023 4-H Project List
- ✓ 4-H Award & Scholarship Information
- ✓ Community Service Award Record Form
- ✓ Nebraska 4-H Club of Excellence Summary Form (clubs only)

## **Dates to remember:**

- November 15 Fall Club Enrollment postcard due
- November 30 Nebraska Associate of Fair Managers Martha & Don Romeo scholarship application due
- January 3
- Club Treasurer's Report due to the Extension office
- January 3
- Deadline for many 4-H award applications, including: Club of Excellence, Community Service, Diamond Clover, Annual Achievement Application, 4-H Council Leadership Award and Outstanding 4-H Member
- January 3
- Deadline for many 4-H college scholarship applications, including: 4-H Council, 4-H Teen Council, Lincoln Center Kiwanis, Dick Fleming Leadership & Communication, and Lane Community
- February 13 4-H Achievement Celebration

ALL 4-H MEMBERS AND LEADERS MUST RE-ENROLL FOR THE 2023–2024 4-H YEAR by going online to *https://v2.4honline.com*. See the enclosed bright green sheet IT'S TIME FOR MEMBERS AND LEADERS TO RE-ENROLL IN 4-H for more information.

Club Treasurer's Report — Please complete and return the enclosed Club Treasurer's Report form even if your club does not have a bank account (if your club holds money, it must have a bank account). Contact the Extension office for more information. Extension is required to obtain your treasurer's report to keep in your club's permanent file.

**Insurance** — Accident insurance is available to 4-H clubs for a nominal fee for special activities such as workshops and clinics for youth not enrolled in 4-H. Contact our office for a flyer with additional information.

Sincerely,

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