



2025-2026 Boone County 4-H YOUTH DEVELOPMENT ENROLLMENT FORM

4-H offers FREE programs and clubs that help kids find their spark, build real world skills and become resilient, adaptable, lifelong learners.

Our program provides education and life-skill development opportunities for youth to grow into confident, capable, and contributing members of their communities.

In Boone County, your 4-H enrollment includes:

- Variety of clubs and programs.
- Monthly 4-H newsletter
- Free entry into the Boone County Fair
- Discount for 4-H camp

PLEASE NOTE:

- Enrollment is from September 1, 2025 to August 31, 2026.
- To be an active member, receive monthly newsletters, and participate in 4-H events and non-school clubs, you **MUST** enroll or re-enroll by completing the 2026 enrollment form.
- Must be enrolled by May 1, 2026 for fair pass/fair participation.
- Please type or print neatly in ink. *Pencil will not be accepted.
- Return this form to the Boone County Cooperative Extension at 6028 Camp Ernst Rd, Burlington, KY 41005 or email it to boone.ext@uky.edu

PILLARS OF 4-H



CIVIC ENGAGEMENT

From speech competitions to teen conferences to club-led community service projects, 4-H strives to teach our youth how to better serve their communities.

STEM

From Aerospace to natural science to creative endeavors and more, 4-H helps our youth learn to be the makers of tomorrow.

HEALTHY LIVING

Here to help youth thrive, 4-H programs teach cooking, health & wellness, and more.

AGRICULTURE

Boone County 4-H has a robust livestock program that seeks to connect our youth with educational opportunities that will set them up for a success.



Boone County 4-H Clubs 2026

These clubs make their own decisions regarding their meetings—when they meet, how often they meet, etc. Please be aware that some clubs have restrictions on the age of participants, limits on how many can participate, and when you can join the club.

Cloverbud Clubs (ages 5-8 years old)

CLUB NAME	LEADERS	CONTACT INFO:	NOTES:
Lego Club	Jessica Leitch	lego.cloverbud@gmail.com	Build fine motor skills with Legos.
Lil' Buds	Laila El-Amin & Maria Parker	laila.el-amin@uky.edu maria.parker@uky.edu	Introduction to 4-H through crafts and educational activities.

4-H Clubs (ages 9-18 years old)

Country Ham	Cathy Fellows	cathy.fellows@uky.edu	Explore processes of curing meats and build public speaking skills.
Disc Golf	Jason Brown	js.brown@uky.edu	Learn how to play disc golf.
Elite Drill Team	April Cassedy	859-250-9281	A group of riders learning to perform choreographed maneuvers to music. Must have a horse
Equus Riders	Angel DeVroomen	859-384-7165	Rides mainly hunt seat. We have a great group of horse enthusiasts & have lots of fun together! Must have a horse
Floral Design Club	Marea West	mareawest@fuse.net	Learn how to arrange flowers, how to grow your own flower garden & gain a skill for life.
Hobby Horse	Sarah Cecil	scecil4@gmail.com	Participate in Hobby Horse related crafts and practicing riding skills.
Hops & Flops Rabbit Club	Lindsay Callahan	lcallahan09@mail.wou.edu	Discover all about rabbits. No rabbit required.
Horse Sense Club	Ashley England-Huff	859-393-7501 or ashley.englandhuff@gmail.com	We will have a horse-related education topic and craft. No horse required.
Jr. Master Naturalist	Laila El-Amin	laila.el-amin@uky.edu	We explore soil, birds, bugs, water, mammals, geology, wildflowers, and trees through fun activities.
Kreative Kids Club	Sandy Nguyen	bc4hkreativekids@gmail.com	We explore various arts and crafts.
Let's Get Cooking	Lisa Casteel	lisa.casteel@uky.edu	Cooking, food safety, knife skills, easy meals & more!
Livestock Club	Laila El-Amin	laila.el-amin@uky.edu	Teaches 4-Hers about properly exhibiting and raising various livestock species. Must have livestock
Livestock Judging	Becky Kohorst	becky.kohorst@gmail.com	Build skills to evaluate and select livestock based on breed standards and qualities.
Livestock Skillathon Team	Serenity Kearns	skearns.sk@gmail.com	Team competes to show their expertise in various aspects of livestock production and management.
Paws & Claws Cat Club	Sandy Nguyen	bc4hcatclub@gmail.com	Learn all about cats. No cat required.
Sew Unique Design Club	Debra Feitl	4hdesignclub@gmail.com	Beginner sewing and pattern making
SharpShooters	Debra Feitl	bc4hsharpshooter@gmail.com	Members can participate in Archery and/or firearms. Equipment provided. Fee for participation.
Teen Club	Cathy Fellows	cathy.fellows@uky.edu	Middle/High school aged youth learn leadership and civic engagement while having fun.
Young Guns Drill Team	Joyce Voet	859-630-4566	A group of riders performing choreographed maneuvers to music. Must have a horse



4-H Participant Information/Enrollment Form

New Enrollment - Please complete ALL sections.

Re-Enrollment - Please complete "green" sections and any updated information if needed.(Sections I, X-XV)

I. General Information

Name:		School Name:		County:	
Grade:		T-Shirt:			

II. Family Information

This is the primary information we will use to communicate with your 4-H member.

Family Name:		Family Email:	
Family Phone:		Family Address:	

III. Member Information

First Name:		Last Name:			
Preferred Name (optional):		Birthdate:		# of Previous Years in 4-H:	
Biological Sex:	M	F	Residence:	Farm Town <10,000 or Rural Non-Farm Town/City/Suburb 10,000-50,000 City/Suburb >50,000 City-Central >50,000	
Hispanic/Latino:	Yes	No	Race:	American Indian Asian Black Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander White Prefer not to say Not Listed:	

IV. Parent/Guardian 1 Information

Last Name:		First Name:	
Phone:		May we release personal information to this person?	Yes No

V. Parent/Guardian 2 Information

Last Name:		First Name:	
Phone:		May we release personal information to this person?	Yes No

VI. Other Emergency Contact

Name:		Relationship:	
Phone:		May we release personal information to this person?	Yes No

VII. Pick Up Information

In addition to the parent/guardian(s) and emergency contacts listed, please list the names of up to two additional people authorized to pick up the above referenced child. These individuals will not be contacted in case of an emergency, the parent/guardian(s) or emergency contact information will only be used. If an individual who is not listed on this form is permitted to pick up your child/children, the parent/guardian(s) will need to provide written permission (letter or email) to Extension personnel or approved volunteer responsible for the event/activity.

Name of First Person:		Relationship to 4-H Member:	
Phone:			
Name of Second Person:		Relationship to 4-H Member:	
Phone:			

VIII. Military Service (if none, skip this section)

Relationship to Member serving:		Branch of service	
Service Status:	Active Duty	National Guard	Reserves Other:



IX. Health History

Does the participant have, or at any time has had, any of the following? Check “Yes” or “No” to each item. Please explain any “Yes” answers in the space below or an additional sheet if necessary. Reporting conditions allow Extension personnel and approved volunteers to best support your young person and will be kept confidential.

Allergies

1.Serious Allergy to Insects	Yes	No
2.Serious Allergy to Dairy	Yes	No
3.Serious Allergy to Gluten	Yes	No
4.Serious Allergy to Nuts	Yes	No
5.Other Allergy(Please explain)	Yes	No

Please explain any “yes” responses, including medications for any allergies:

The following over the counter medications may be administered to my child without contacting me:

Acetaminophen:	Yes	No	Antacid:	Yes	No	Antihistamine Pill:	Yes	No
Decongestant:	Yes	No	Dramamine:	Yes	No	Hydrocortisone Cream:	Yes	No
Ibuprofen (Advil)	Yes	No	Polysporin (topical antibiotic)	Yes	No			

Conditions

1.Asthma	Yes	No	6.Fainting	Yes	No	11.Wear Glasses/Contacts?	Yes	No
2.Bronchitis	Yes	No	7.Headaches	Yes	No	Please explain any “yes” responses, including medications taken for any conditions:		
3.Convulsions	Yes	No	8.Heart Condition	Yes	No			
4.Diabetes	Yes	No	9.Hypoglycemia	Yes	No			
5.Ear Infection	Yes	No	10.Other Conditions	Yes	No			

Please explain any restrictions (dietary, physical, etc) OR social, emotional, and/or behavioral health information needed:

X. Communication

I acknowledge and agree that, although my child may participate in 4-H programs delivered in school settings, the University of Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service is a separate entity from my child's school and school district. I understand and agree that employees and approved volunteers of the Cooperative Extension Service may communicate electronically with my child outside the school's traceable communication system regarding 4-H clubs, programs, activities, and events following guidelines established by the University of Kentucky, state, and federal regulations for the Land Grant Cooperative Extension Service. (Initials)

XI. REVIEW CONFIRMATION SIGNATURE

All information provided on this form is correct and complete to the best of my knowledge. This person has permission to engage in all events and activities. I hereby give permission to the event designee to provide routine health care, administer prescription and over the counter medications as noted and seek emergency medical treatment if warranted. I agree to the release of all records necessary for medical treatment, billing, or insurance. In the event I cannot be reached in an emergency, I give permission to the attending physician to secure and administer treatment, including hospitalization.

PARENT/GUARDIAN: _____ DATE: _____

XII. SURVEY & EVALUATION RELEASE

I hereby establish my willingness to participate as an adult (i.e., 4-H leader, other volunteer, parent/ guardian, site manager, etc.) and give permission for my child (under 18 years of age) to complete surveys and evaluations that will be used to determine program effectiveness or to promote the program. I understand that participation in surveys and evaluations is voluntary and that my child and I may choose not to participate and may withdraw from surveys and evaluations without impact on my or my child's eligibility to participate in the 4-H program. I understand that my child or I may be asked for consent before completing a survey or an evaluation.

Yes No I am willing to participate or give permission for my child to participate in any program evaluation. (Initials)

XIII. PERMISSION TO PARTICIPATE

I acknowledge that my child is participating in 4-H programs for their own personal benefit and that my child will participate in recreational and other activities as part of 4-H programs. I understand that some activities may have inherent dangers and physical risks and that no amount of care, caution, instruction, or expertise can completely eliminate them. I assume responsibility for all risks, known and unknown, involving my child's participation in 4-H programs and I voluntarily authorize my child's participation in reliance upon my own judgment and knowledge of my child's experience and capabilities. I hereby agree to indemnify and hold harmless the University of Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service and all related parties from any liability, losses, costs, damages, claims or causes of action of any kind or nature arising from or related in any way to my child's participation in 4-H program. (Initials)

XIV. RELEASE

I hereby grant the 4-H program, University of Kentucky and their agents, the right to use, reproduce, assign, and/or distribute still pictures, video, and sound recordings of myself or my minor child without compensation for use in promotion, advertising, educational publications or online content.

PARENT/GUARDIAN _____ NO, I DO NOT PERMIT

XV. 6th-12th Grade Participants:

Want more information from the University of Kentucky, Martin-Gatton College of Agriculture, Food and Environment?

YES, please share my information!

4-H Youth Development Code of Conduct Form

All 4-H members and family/friends/caretakers associated with 4-H members must respect the individual rights, safety and property of others and adhere to this Code of Conduct Code of Conduct, University, state and federal guidelines. A 4-H member may be prohibited from participating in a specific event/program if the participation by the individual poses a danger to the 4-H member and/or others. Safety of all involved in 4-H programs is top priority, the following guidelines are designed to ensure all involved understand their role in participating in a safe and educational environment for all.

WHILE ENROLLED AS A 4-H MEMBER:

- To be a member in good standing it is expected that the 4-H participant attends planned sessions, workshops, field trips, and meetings associated with their enrollment. To be eligible for cumulative events in 4-H, members must complete at least six hours of education in the core program area they are participating in under the expectations laid out by the 4-H program.
- Dress codes will be specific to individual events/programs/activities.
- The possession and use of alcoholic beverages, tobacco products, vape juice and/or devices, and/or drugs (except for medications prescribed to the participant by a licensed physician, with proper paperwork and accommodations made) are prohibited.
- Possession of firearms not for educational use is prohibited.
- Setting of fire alarms and tampering with fire extinguishing and other emergency equipment are prohibited.
- Gambling of any type is prohibited.
- Respect toward others and facilities shall be demonstrated. Bullying, harassment of others or destruction of property shall not be tolerated. Bullying and harassment can include the use of social media.
- Physical violence is not tolerated.
- Obscene, discriminatory and/or inappropriate language, roughhousing, and insubordination are prohibited at all times.
- Display of overly affectionate or inappropriate attention between participants is prohibited.
- Technological equipment (including but not limited to cell phones, cameras, laptops, or mp3 players) shall not interfere with the program and may not be allowed in certain situations.
- Articles of clothing which display profanity, products, or slogans which promote tobacco, alcohol, drugs, sex, or are in any other way distracting, are prohibited.
- Additional expectations may be required based on the activity/program/event the 4-H member is participating in.

WHILE ATTENDING OVERNIGHT 4-H EXPERIENCES THE FOLLOWING WILL ALSO APPLY:

- All participants must follow the agenda and expectations that are set forth by the program planners. Chaperones/adult volunteers will actively monitor all participants.
- All participants are to be in their assigned area at curfew and comply with quiet hours, lights out, and other rules of the event. Chaperones/adult volunteers will actively monitor all participants based on Client Protection and Risk Management Standards.
- No member or volunteer may leave the event/activity/program without the permission of the event planner or adult in charge. An adult shall accompany a 4-H member at any time they leave the grounds. Adults shall notify another adult before leaving the grounds.
- At overnight events, only conference participants may be in sleeping areas. Individuals may only be in their assigned sleeping area. Lounges or common areas may be used only for working committees and social activities.

Any violations of this Code of Conduct, University, state and federal policies shall be reported promptly to the chaperone for the individual and to the person in charge of the event. The person in charge of the event shall have the final responsibility for disciplinary action with support from UK CES administration Failure to comply with the Code of Conduct, University, state and federal policies by 4-Hers and family/friends/caretakers associated with the 4-H participant may result in penalty including, but not limited to, the following:

- Sent home from the activity or event at their own expense.
- Barred from participation from future 4-H events.
- Assessed the cost of damages for destruction of property.

I, _____, have read the Code of Conduct and agree to abide by its rules.
(Print Name)

I understand that infraction of this Code of Conduct will result in any or all of the penalties listed above.

Member: _____ County: _____

Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____

