



NEWS FROM EXTENSION

UW-MADISON EXTENSION
MARATHON COUNTY 4-H



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Marathon County Upcoming Events, Programs, and Activities

Upcoming Events!

Marathon County 4-H has some amazing upcoming opportunities! Join us!

Do you think your club would like to host Holly for a mini version of a program you see? For example, a quick cooking demo, an easy craft, or a fun game. Email [Holly](#) directly to schedule her for your next club meeting!

Click the button below and don't miss out on all the amazing programs!

- Art in the Afternoon
- Foodie
- Clover Kaboom
- Quilting Club
- AND MORE!!

Marathon County 4-H Programs

MASS Update

Important Update for MASS Families! You are going to see several updates to the Google Classroom, including assignments, events, deadlines and more. You will receive notifications, which at this point will just let you know what has been posted. More details

about how to submit information, complete assignments and more will be coming soon!
Please stay tuned. We will share much more info in the next few weeks!.

Winter Weather Reminder

All 4-H programs are to be **CANCELLED** if there is a winter weather warning or watch.
Exercise discretion with weather advisories. Most 4-H activities can be rescheduled.

Wausau Cyclones 4-H Family Night

Reserve your tickets today!

Date: Friday, March 7th

Location: Marathon Park Ice Arena, Wausau

Time: Puck drops at 7:10 PM

Cheer on the Cyclones and connect with fellow 4-H families for a night of fun and community spirit! Wear your 4-H gear to show your pride, and don't forget to bring your friends and family.

Tickets are available now—reserve yours today! <https://bit.ly/4HHockeyTix25>

We can't wait to see you there!

Club News

Nothing submitted for this month. Send your club news to Kathy at kathy.johnson@wisc.edu to be featured in our next newsletter!

Adult Volunteer - Need to Know

Free 4-H Harmony Guide

Do you ever feel like you're running out of ideas for icebreakers or ways to help youth connect? The 4-H Harmony Guide: Meet Up, Buddy Up, is a set of hundreds of cards and activities you can use with youth of all ages. Make conversations a regular part of 4-

H gatherings to help youth feel they belong and build important life skills. Get your free download today!

[Get the Guide](#)

Trainings for Enrollment

Have you enrolled yet for this year? If you have, please check your trainings required. There have been some updates (good ones!). Background checks are now required every two years so keep an eye on your emails for that as well.

Cloverbud Resources and Tipsheet

Cloverbuds (4-H members K-2nd grade) are energetic, enthusiastic, and ready to learn. Are you looking for some great ideas, resources, and tips for providing amazing activities for Cloverbuds? Several Wisconsin Positive Youth Development Educators and 4-H Educators created the perfect tool for you.

[Cloverbud Resources](#)

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Art Beat

REGISTRATION OPEN



WHAT

4-H members in grades 3-5 can explore visual arts, drama, music, and STEAM through hands-on activities

WHEN

March 15-16, 2025

WHERE

Upham Woods
Outdoor Learning
Center

COST

\$125 for Youth
Members, \$75 for
Adult Volunteers



LEARN MORE



Positive Youth Development Institute
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ArtBeat Registration is Now Open

Don't miss this chance to join 4-H ArtBeat, an introduction to Wisconsin 4-H Expressive Arts & Camp Adventures!

Who: 4-H members (grades 3-5), parents, and leaders

What: Explore visual arts, drama, music, and STEM with amazing adult volunteers

Where: Experience camp life and stay in cozy cabins with awesome high school counselors

Come create, learn, and have fun!

Register now: <https://4h.extension.wisc.edu/.../statewide.../art-beat/>

SAVE THE DATE

- **Feb 2** - Italian Foodie
- **Feb 8** - Clover Kaboom
- **Feb 8** - Art in the Afternoon
- **Feb 13** - Last day to order Cyclones tickets
- **Feb 14-16** - Teen Winter Camp
- **March 7** - Wausau Cyclones 4-H Family Night
- **March 27** - UW Science Expedition Day

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