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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
- AND MORE!!

Marathon County 4-H Programs

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!

Marathon and Wood County Summer Camp Staff

Are you ready to make a difference while having fun this summer? Marathon and Wood County 4-H are seeking older youth (grades 8-13) and adults to join our dynamic Summer Camp staff team!

As a camp staff member, you'll:

Inspire Growth: Help youth build confidence, leadership skills, and connections in an unforgettable camp experience.

Enhance Your Skills: Gain hands-on experience in teamwork, communication, and mentorship—skills that will benefit you in school, work, and life.

Make memories, share your talents, and create a lasting impact on campers' lives while strengthening our vibrant 4-H community.

Apply now and be a part of something incredible!

For More Information: <https://bit.ly/4-HCampStaffInfo25>

To Apply: <https://bit.ly/4-Hcampstaff2025>

Applications are open NOW and due by January 24, 2025!

Let's make this summer one to remember!

Club News

Nothing submitted for this month. Send your club news to Kathy at

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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CWF Registration

Registration for 2025 Citizenship Washington Focus (CWF) opens on December 20th. CWF is a premier 4-H citizenship and leadership educational experience where high-school aged youth travel to Washington D.C. to learn all about how they can stay involved. Learn more about CWF and register soon!

SAVE THE DATE

- **Jan 20** - Quilting Club
- **Jan 24** - Camp Staff Applications Due
- **Feb 2** - Italian Foodie
- **Feb 8** - Clover Kaboom
- **Feb 8** - Art in the Afternoon
- **Feb 14-16** - Teen Winter Camp
- **March 7** - Wausau Cyclones 4-H Family Night
- **March 27** - UW Science Expedition Day

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