

Montgomery County 4-H

June 2, 2025



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If you need to reserve a room or need a special accommodation at the MoCo Fairgrounds in Gaithersburg, MD for a 4-H program, please contact the Event and Sponsorship Coordinator, Ms. Monica Monroe at Monica@mcagfair.com.

The next issue of The Montgomery County 4-H News & Notes will be published the first week of June 2025. Please submit your articles to Anna Hamann, ahamann@umd.edu by June 23, 2025.

A PDF copy of this newsletter can be found, one week after publication, on the Montgomery County 4-H page.

https://extension.umd.edu/locations/montgomery-county/4-h-youth-development/news-notes/

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Question: Do you know what it is, and where was the picture taken? Check out the answer at the end of the Newsletter.

Fair Chairpersons Meeting

Montgomery County 4-H will have a pre-fair, 4-H Indoor Building Chairpersons meeting on Tuesday, June 24 at the 4-H Office at 7:00 p.m. This <u>in-person</u> meeting will include judging updates, <u>new</u> Indoor Building floorplan, review guidelines, supply needs, etc.

DIY Duels: Kit Pick-Up! Updated Dates and Times

Montgomery County 4-H will have DIY Duels that will be just like the show "Chopped." Youth will each get a free kit of surprise arts and crafts materials to make something to enter into the fair! Pick-up your kit and make your fair entry at home with this awesome DIY Duel Challenge! You can add any materials you want to make your arts and crafts entry, but you must use all of the items in the kit for an exciting challenge.

In-person challenge! June 5, 2025 from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

In-person DIY Duels Challenge! During this challenge, you will have your surprise materials revealed to you, and you will have a set amount of time to make your craft with a whole "craft store" of other items you can use to make your craft special. Then, we will have judges for who was the most creative! The competition will be held at the Montgomery County 4-H Office (18410 Muncaster Road, Derwood, MD, 20855). Sign-up for this in-person event on 4-H Online.

Diamond Clover Level 6 Application Workshops

UPDATED REGISTRATION LINK!

The Central Cluster is proud to present a series of Diamond Clover Level 6 Proposal Workshops! These four (4) workshops will prepare you to write a strong proposal and walk you through each component of the Diamond Clover Level 6 proposal. All workshops will be conducted virtually. You are welcome to register and attend one session, a few sessions, or all of them! These sessions

are meant to help you know what a strong project proposal is for a Diamond Clover Level 6 Project or any other large-scale project!

Deadline to register is May 16, 2025. If you need a reasonable accommodation to participate in any event or activity, please complete this registration form before May 7, 2025 and specify that you are requesting a reasonable accommodation. An educator will contact you afterwards to discuss your reasonable accommodation request.

A brief description of each workshop and their date/time are as follows:

Workshop 2: June 11, 2025, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. via ZOOM

Description: During this workshop, we will explore the major detailed components of your proposal by going over letters of support, approvals/permits, action plan, resources, and fundraising.

Workshop 3: July 9, 2025, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. via ZOOM

Description: During this workshop, we are now ready to complete the proposal by going over how to write overview and background summaries, creating sustainability in your project, and how to promote your project/educate others about your project. Lastly, we will talk about photo documentation and its' importance.

Workshop 4: July 30, 2025, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. via ZOOM Description: During this workshop, we will complete the series by having each participant present about their proposal and receive feedback from educators and their peers on their project proposal.

Please register

here: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAlpQLSdj8rlxsitJYb4DIPBgkMeRmB2axQ2Zp_Gwthh9L-rHs7kjTg/viewform

Fair Workshop

June 9 at 7:00 p.m. at the 4-H Building at the Fairgrounds

Interested in getting more involved in the Fair? Do not know where to start on your entries? Want to learn more about all the things you can do at Fair? There are going to be two informational sessions this Spring, all about the Fair. The following topics will be covered:

Volunteer Opportunities (SSL and Fair hours)

- All about the indoor building: what you can enter, how to enter, things to do
- Club opportunities: parade, booth, demonstrations, banners
- Special contests to participate in
- And much more!

Robotics Workshop



Have you ever wanted to learn more about 4-H's very own robotics competition? Maybe you just want to learn more about robotics? This workshop is for you!

On June 7, 2025 in the afternoon, strting at 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. Maryland 4-H will be hosting a robotics workshop at the Montgomery County 4-H Office (18410 Muncaster Road, Derwood, MD, 20855). This practical, hands-on experience will allow you to test if the robotics competition is right for you!

UME certified volunteers who are serving as coaches are welcome to register as well.

Central Maryland 4-H Livestock Show

Registration is open for the Central Maryland 4-H Livestock Show. Registration for the event closes TUESDAY June10. The show will be on June 14-15 at the Montgomery County Fairgrounds.

The Central Maryland Spring Show is open to ALL 4-H and FFA members in Maryland to learn and practice exhibiting their livestock projects. The two-day event will be held June 14 and 15, 2025 at the Montgomery County Fairgrounds.

Registration: https://fairentry.com/Fair/SignIn/21711

Full schedule, classes and rules can be found online at: https://drive.google.com/.../1qRzWdKBhfWA544tPaXep94vqx9B...

For more information you can contact the Show Chairs, Santana Mays at smays1@umd.edu, or Donielle Axline at deeaxline@gmail.com

2025 Maryland 4-H Horse Judging/Hippology Contests

We are still actively recruiting volunteers for the 2025 Horse Judging/Hippology contest to be held on **June 14**, **2025**, at the **Howard County Fairgrounds**.

If you or someone you know would like to provide horses for classes or time and energy in coordinating the contests for the day, please reach out to Jim Barey, at irbarey@umd.edu with contact information and questions.

More information at chrome-

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The Maryland 4-H Foundation Scholarship

The Maryland 4-H Foundation is proud to offer the opportunity for academic scholarships to Maryland 4-H members and Maryland 4-H alum pursuing post-secondary education at a college, university or post-secondary technical training program. The Maryland 4-H Foundation awards an average of \$50,000 in scholarships annually.

The Maryland 4-H Foundation Scholarship Application for the academic year 2025-2026 is open. The deadline to apply is June 15, 2025, by 11:59 p.m.

Applicants must be a currently enrolled Maryland 4-H member or a Maryland 4-H Alumni in good standing who has completed at least two (2) years of membership in Maryland 4-H. They must be planning to enroll in an accredited college, university, or post-secondary technical training program for both the fall and spring semesters of the 2025-2026 academic year.

*Students completing their post-secondary education in December of 2025 are ineligible to apply.

For more information, including a complete list of scholarships, eligibility requirements, the application, and instructions, visit https://www.mymaryland4hfoundation.com/how-we-give/scholarships

Camp Tawasentha Parent Orientation

If your child is signed up for 4-H Camp Tawasentha this year, we will have a parent orientation on June 18 at 7:00 p.m. at the 4-H Office.

Montgomery County 4-H Fair Challenges

New to the 4-H Indoor Building this year! Are you up to the Challenge?

The Montgomery County 4-H Team invites our 4-H members to develop new skills and knowledge through participation in any, all, or a combination of Indoor Challenges. Each Challenge category is unique. Youth who complete any of these challenges will receive an extra premium, and tailor made Challenge Rosette.

You do not need to do anything extra to participate. Make sure you enter your entries into ShoWorks with the Montgomery County Ag Fair by July 20. Our chairpersons, superintendents, and educators will work to determine who has completed the challenges. Same as last year, you are not required to pre-enter your flower specimens and veggies. More information to come in this year's Fair Book.

Challenge Requirements

ARTS & CRAFTS CHALLENGE

1 entry in Oil/Acrylic (Div 1)

1 entry in miscellaneous (Div 3)

1 entry in design (Div4)

1 entry in creative (Div. 5)

1 entry in handicrafts (Div. 6)

STEM CHALLENGE

1 entry in education/collections (Div. 7)

1 entry in aerospace/robotics (Div. 8)

1 entry in electricity/small engine (Div. 9)

1entry in computer tech (Div. 11)

HORTICULTURE CHALLENGE

3 entries in Veggies (Div. 13)

3 entries in flower specimens (Div. 14)

MINI BAKER'S DOZEN CHALLENGE

1 entry in Cake (Div.16)

1 entry in Decorated Delights (Div. 16A)

1 entry in Cookies (Div.17)

1 entry in Pie (Div. 18)

1 entry in Quick Breads (Div. 19)

1 entry in Yeast Bread (Div. 20)

MEAL CHALLENGE

2 entries in Main Dish (Div. 21)

2 entries in Salad (Div. 22)

CANDY CHALLENGE

4 entries in Candies (Div. 23)

FOOD PRESERVATION CHALLENGE

5 entries in Food Preservation (Div. 26)

HOME LIFE CHALLENGE

1 entry in Clothing (Div. 27)

1 entry in Family Life (Div. 28)

1 entry in Table Settings (Div. 31)

1 entry in Room Accessory (Div. 32)

FLOWER CHALLENGE

3 entries in Arrangements (Div. 29)

- 1 from classes 1-8
- 1 from classes 9-14
- 1 from classes 15-20

1 entry in houseplants (Div. 30)

PHOTOGRAPHY CHALLENGE

6 entries in Black and White Photography (Div. 33)

OR

6 entries in Color Photography (Division 34)

2025 UMD Summer Camps

By Karen Shih '09 Feb 13, 2025

The University of Maryland offers a summer bounty of camps for children of all ages, ranging from six weeks of campus adventures for your youngest tots to research-based programs for aspiring scientists and engineers. Whether your kid loves playing music, creating code or challenging a massive climbing wall and ropes course, you will find great options at UMD.

Some popular camps fill up fast, so mark them down for next year. You can find more information at

https://today.umd.edu/2025-umd-summer-camps

<u>Advanced Physics Summer Program</u>. Students entering grades 9-12. July 28-Aug. 8

Amazing Science Discovery Camp. Students entering grades 3-5. July14-18

Brin Maryland Mathematics Camp. Students entering grades 10-12. June 16-27

Bug Camp: Insects, Science & Society. Ages 7-1.

Session 1: June 23-27 Session 2: July7-11

<u>Camp Shule (Nyumburu Cultural Center)</u>. Registration information forthcoming. Students entering grades pre-K-12. June 16-Aug. 8

Center for Young Children. Ages 3 through kindergarten. June 23-Aug.1

<u>Cyber-Physical Systems Engineering Summer Program</u>. Students in high school and community college. July 14-Aug. 15 (based in Rockville, Md.), Monday-Thursday

Data Detectives Camp. Students entering grades 6 or 7.

Session 1: July 7-11 in person in Atlanta, Ga. (at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention headquarters).

Session 2: Aug. 4-8 in person in College Park, Md.

<u>Digital Story telling Camp</u>. Students entering grades 9-12. July 28 - Aug. 1

Discovering Engineering Summer Program. Students entering grades11-12.

Session 1: July 27-Aug.1

Session 2: Aug. 3-8. Residential

<u>ESTEEM/SER-Quest Summer Program</u>. Students entering grade 12. July 7-Aug. 1.

<u>Fire Protection Engineering Design Challenge</u>. Students entering grades 11-12. July 7-11 (based at Mount St. Joseph's Catholic High School Monday-Thursday; students bussed to UMD on Friday)

Girls Talk Math. Students entering grades 9-12. July 7-18

Gymkana. Ages 5-15. June 23-Aug. 1

iDTech Camps. Ages 7-17. June 23-Aug. 8

<u>Innovative Materials for Technologies</u>. Students entering grades 10-12. July 28-30

LiFE Sports Summer Camp. Ages 9-14. June 23-July 17, weekdays

The Physics of Quidditch. Students entering grades 6-8. July 7-11

<u>Pre-College Scholars Program</u>. Students entering grades 11-12. July 7-25, weekdays

<u>Promoting Meaningful Interaction and Social Engagement (PROMISE) summer program</u>. Children ages 5-15. July 12-Aug.16 (in Rockville, Md.)

<u>Science and Math Innovators MaSTErMinds Camps: Math Mania and Rocket Science</u>. Students entering grades K-3. June 23-27

<u>Science and Math Innovators MaSTErMind Camps: LEGO Robotics</u>. Students entering grades 4-9. June 30-July 3

Secure IT Summer Academy. Students entering grades 6-8

Session 1: July 7-11 (beginner/intermediate)

Session2: July 14-18 (intermediate/advanced)

<u>Shirley Povich Sports Journalism Summer Camp</u>. Students entering grades 9-12. July 7-11

Summer Reading Camp. Students in grades K-8. July 7-24

Terp Quest. Ages 6-12. June 23-Aug. 8

Terp Quest Adventure Camp .Ages 10-12. Aug. 4-8

<u>Terp Young Scholars</u>. Students entering grades 10-12 (including graduating seniors). July 14-Aug. 1, weekdays

Terrapin Music Camp. Students entering grades 5-12

Band: July 13-18

Orchestra: July 20-25

Choir: July 20-25

<u>Volcano Camp</u>. Students entering grades 10-12 and UMD Terrapin Teachers. Dates TBA. Free, Prince George's County high school students and future STEM teachers from UMD's Terrapin Teachers program get to do hands-on volcanology research. Students learn how to identify and analyze crystals in volcanic ash, and visit the Smithsonian National Museum of Natural History.

WIE Change the World! An Introduction to Maryland Engineering. Students entering grades 11-12. July 6-11

<u>WIE Aspire! Explore Engineering</u>. Students entering grades 9-10. July 14-18. For women but open to all.

WIE em Power! Students entering grades 7-8. June 23-27

<u>WIE RISE! A Summer Research Program</u>. Students entering grades 9-12. July 28-Aug. 1

SPORTS CAMPS

Field Hockey. Ages 12-18

Session1: July 27-29

Session2: Aug. 3-5

Nike Elite Golf Camps. Ages 12-17 (advanced skill levels). June 8-9, Aug. 3-4

Nike Junior Golf Camps. Ages 10-18 (all skill levels). June 15-18

Gymnastics. Girls ages 7-18. Two-day sessions from June 28-Aug. 5

Soccer Day Camp (boys). Ages 6-12. June 23-26

<u>Soccer Elite Camp (boys)</u>. Students entering grades 6-12 (separate camps for middle and high schoolers). June 28-July 1; July 11-14

<u>Soccer Day Camp (girls)</u>. Students entering grades K-8. June 16-19; June 23-26; July21-24

Soccer Residential Camp (girls). Students entering grades 6-12. July 21-23

The Volleyball Academy (girls). Students entering grades 7-12. July 11-13

Wrestling. Ages 7-18. June 23-27; July 7-9 and July 7-11

CLOVER BY 4-H

Whether you are new to 4-H or you are a 3rd generation 4-H'er, you may not have heard of CLOVER by 4-H. This is different from a cloverbud or a clover program. Instead, CLOVER by 4-H is the National 4-H Council's catalog of interactive online classes! There are classes for ages 5-18 and on any topic you can imagine, from financial literacy, to agriculture, to cooking.

If your child is under 13 years old, a "parent account" is required to assist with monitoring your child's online activities.

Club Leaders can also sign up for CLOVER by 4-H and can view all of the content to find potential club activities and even manage multiple learner accounts for their clubs.

In addition, the very best part is that CLOVER by 4-H is free!

Enhance your 4-H experience by trying CLOVER by 4-H. You may just find your new passion!

To learn more about CLOVER by 4-H, and to create your free account, visit:

https://4-h.org/clover/about/

Are you interested in Teaching a Workshop?

The Montgomery County (MoCo) 4-H is looking for volunteers and people to spread their knowledge and passion in anything from sewing, to baking, to cake decorating, to computer technology. Contact any of the MoCo 4-H Team if you are interested in teaching in a workshop and passing on your passions to our 4-H Youth!

Volunteer Appreciation Celebration



Come join us to celebrate YOU! We appreciate all that you do for us as volunteers, and we want to give you a fun and relaxing afternoon to eat lunch together and play some games! We will be hosting the Volunteer Appreciation

Celebration on June 22, 2025 from noon to 2:00 p.m. at the Montgomery County Office: Montgomery County 4-HOffice (18410 Muncaster Road, Derwood, MD, 20855). Please register on 4-HOnline for this event.

2025 Maryland 4-H Visual Equine Art Contest

The 2025 Visual Equine Art Contest will be held by virtual submission beginning on July 1, 2025. More details and information to follow.

Animal Husbandry and Quality Assurance (AHQA)

Animal Husbandry and Quality Assurance (AHQA) is now open! Registration is due on **July15.** You can access the AHQA through https://ahqa.umd.edu/

You will need to complete the program if:

- You are new to 4-H (any age) OR
- You are 11 as of January 1 (moving from junior to intermediate) OR
- You are 14 as of January 1 (moving from intermediate to senior) OR
- Are an intermediate or senior with a new project animal

The 2025 program must be completed using Firefox, Chrome, Edge, or Safari web browsers. Internet Explorer does not support the program. The narrated program contains two levels, a Junior-aged Level and an Intermediate/Senior-aged Level. The program automatically directs members to the correct level based on their birthdate. 4-H'ers are required to complete the on-line training program when they reach each 4-H age division, juniors (8-10), intermediates (11-13), seniors (14-18) – all as of January 1 of the current year). OR when an Intermediate or Senior 4-H member chooses to show a new species since last completing the program within their age division - they must return to the program and complete it for the new species area. The Junior program does not have species-specific sections like the Intermediate/Senior program does. Passcodes issued to members between 2015-2024 should still be viable for returning members.

All 4-H members enrolled in alpacas, beef, dairy, goats, horse and pony, llamas, poultry, sheep, swine, and rabbits are required to have completed the on-line training prior to August 10 to be eligible to exhibit their project animals in 2025 Maryland County 4-H and State 4-H Shows. Counties may set earlier deadlines to accommodate their local program.

If you do not see the red "forgot your password" or "register new user" at the top of the page, then you may have to zoom out from your browser.

Montgomery County Fair Livestock Exhibitors

Be sure to attend one of the three orientations to exhibit at Fairs. The orientations are held before the fair workdays on July 19, 26, and August 2. The orientations begin promptly at 8:30 a.m. and you MUST be accompanied by a parent/guardian.

Camp Tawasentha

Registration is now open at https://forms.gle/93ijC9WRQZbC6AWM7

SAVE THE DATES! Camp Tawasentha will be July 20-25, 2025. The camp is ACA certified, and all adult volunteers are certified through the University of Maryland's Extension program.

Camp is open to all children ages 8-13 as of January 1, 2025. Those that are 14-18 years old as of January 1 must hold a teen leadership position. Youth ages 8-13 are welcome to register NOW for this year's camp. We have fun workshops and classes for all, including archery, rifle, arts and crafts, campfire cooking, and more! Youth can enjoy fun challenges, compete for the best kingdom, swim in the lake, and enjoy time with friends!

2026 Tentative date: July 12 -17

Alumni Survey

The Indoor Committee is looking to feature the amazing things that 4-H can do for you through a feature display on alumni of 4-H. 4-H Alumni are welcomed to fill out a survey about their experiences and how 4-H got them to where they are today.

https://forms.gle/y2ZzFTHxkyMPk5NY6

4-H Fair Indoor Building Chairpersons Needed

Montgomery County 4-H is in search of enthusiastic volunteers to fill vacant Chairperson positions at the fair on entry day. If you are new to 4-H or never have volunteered at the fair, here is your opportunity to meet other 4-H members and make the Best Better! Do not worry; you will receive "on-the-job" training. What are the responsibilities of a 4-H Indoor Building Chairperson?

A Chairperson in the 4-H Indoor Building ensures entries are registered into the appropriate class, and displays entries after judging for a pleasing display.

Specifically:

- A Chairperson must be available during registration on Wednesday for Non-Perishable Entries, or on Saturday for Perishable Entries, as appropriate, prior to the fair.
- A Chairperson ensure all entries are registered in the proper classes and ready for judging, reclassifying entries as needed.
- Communicate to the judges our judging philosophy and criteria and ensure that materials for the Division are complete.
- During the judging process, be available to resolve problems and address concerns, mediating and making decisions as needed, and consulting with the Superintendent when required.
- Ensure entry class changes are properly noted for updating in ShoWorks.
- Ensure all entries' awards are properly noted, ribbons are distributed, and special awards decided.

For more information, please email Sheila Ford at Sheilaf@umd.edu.

Montgomery County Agricultural Fair Entry Deadline

We encourage all our 4-H members to participate and enter many exhibits at the 76th Montgomery County Agricultural Fair, August 8–16, 2025.

All 4-H Indoor Bldg and animal registrations must be entered online by July 20.

Montgomery County Agricultural Fair Information

Fair Ticket Pricing

As a 4-H'er 12 and older, if you enter exhibits at the fair, you will get a free weekly pass!

As in the past, free and reduced-price entry tickets will be made available to 4-H members and their families. Purchasing can occur when you enter exhibits on line or weekdays at the Fair Office between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. after July

15, or between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. on one of the Volunteer Workdays on Saturday, July 19, 26, or August 2. After these dates, tickets are only available at the advertised price.

The following free tickets for Fair admission will be provided to 4-H'ers 12 and older who enter exhibits:

- 4-H indoor exhibitors and those with poultry, rabbits, pet show, and dog show will be provided with 1 season pass that includes free parking at Perry Pkwy.
- 4-H exhibitors with horses, beef, dairy, swine, goats, and sheep will be provided with 1 season pass including free parking at all entrances.
- 4-H exhibitors with horses, beef, dairy, swine, goats, and sheep, whose parents are not Associate or Life Members, will be provided with an additional season pass including free parking at all entrances.

The following tickets are available for purchase by 4-H member families until 12:30 p.m. on the final Volunteer Saturday Workday.

- Season Pass that includes Free Parking at Perry Pkwy. only -\$50.00
- Season Pass special pass for non-exhibitor sibling of a 4-H member (age 12-18) Perry Pkwy only - \$18.00
- 1-Day ticket 4-H Family, Free Parking at Perry Pkwy. only -\$10.00
- 1-Day ticket 4-H Family, entrance only, no parking \$5.00

FREE shuttle service to the Fairgrounds, check mcagfair.com for more information. Free Shuttle Buses will be available from August 8-16, starting at 10:00 a.m. everyday.

 The last bus leaves for the Fairgrounds at 9:00 p.m. during the week.

The last bus leaves for the Fairgrounds at 10:00 p.m. on weekends.

Fair Volunteers Needed!

Please remember to sign-up to volunteer at the Fair. Every single 4-H volunteer is very important and very much appreciated!

Youth volunteers: This is a great opportunity to earn Student Service Learning (SSL) hours towards graduation.

You also have the opportunity to become a Life Member of the Montgomery County Agricultural Fairgrounds and get a free Life Member pass to the fair (visit the fairgrounds website for information on this program:

https://www.mcagfair.com/general-information/volunteer-information/ and click on the Volunteer Information tab.

Each Fair workday you will need to find the unique QR code for clocking in and out that day only. These codes will be at the Gazebo, the Heritage building and each Department. You MUST clock in and out to get credit for your SSL hours. You are eligible to earn SSL hours the summer before you enter 6th grade.

- Only people who are 12 and up can receive hours towards a Life Membership.
 - You must choose one. You cannot receive SSL hours and hours towards a Life Membership at the same time.

For General Questions or Volunteer Opportunities, please contact: 301-926-3100 ext. 205 or info@mcagfair.com

Do Not Forget to Sign in and out When You Get to the Fair!

If you intend to work towards a Fair Life Membership, you must sign in and sign out on the workdays at the Fair Office Gazebo, at the Heritage Building, or the book that is in your Department.

If you are volunteering during the fair, you need to sign in at that location.

If you leave the fairgrounds, do not forget to get your hand stamped for reentry. Otherwise, you will have to pay to get back on the grounds.

Fair Workdays

Saturdays July 19, 26, and August 2.

You do not need to register for Fair Workdays in advance—just show up. Sign in on the computer at the Fair Office Gazebo off Chestnut Street, or at the Heritage Building.

Workdays begin at 8:00 a.m., department superintendents will determine when the workday ends, usually between Noon and 2:00 p.m. If you arrive and sign in by 9:00 a.m., you will receive one free lunch ticket. Do not forget to ask for it. Tickets will not be handed out after 9:00 a.m.

We need to clean and set up the 4-H Building and animal pavilions, set up tables and chairs, paint fences, and more. Remember, you must be 12 years or older to earn hours for your fair Life Membership or entering 6th grade or older to earn SSL hours.

Tram Spotters Needed

If you will be 18 years old or older at the time of the Fair (calendar age, not 4-H age), we need you as a spotter on the tram that ferries visitors around the Fair. You will assist those who need on and off the tram and hand out fair brochures to riders. If you are interested in volunteering, contact Leslie Swartzwelder at Leslie@mcagfair.com, 301-926-3100 ext. 205.

Indoor Building Volunteer Sign-up for MoCo Agricultural Fair

The volunteer sign-up for the 4-H Indoor building at the MoCo County fair is up. There are many opportunities to practice "helping hands".

To volunteer for 4-H positions you will sign up using the SignUpGenius at https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0B44A8A622A4FFC70-56931298-2025#/

4-H Youth and Adult Volunteer Opportunities

Everyone enjoys all the events at the Fair and it takes a community to make it successful. If you are new to 4-H or have never volunteered at the fair, here is your opportunity to meet other 4-H members and make the Best Better! Remember, the 4-H Building belongs to all 4-H members and we must all take care of it. Even volunteering a few hours makes a big difference.

For volunteer positions other than 4-H, please contact the appropriate person/office appearing in this Newsletter.

Available 4-H volunteer positions are:

Agricultural Fair 4-H Adult & Youth Volunteer

Agricultural Fair 4-H Adult Information Desk Volunteer Agricultural Fair 4-H Youth Information Desk Volunteer (14 - 18 yrs.) Agricultural Fair 4-H Youth Vision Screening (12 -18 yrs.)

If you have any questions, write "Fair Volunteer" on the subject line, and contact Catherine Savage at csavage9 <u>@umd.edu</u>.

4-H Building Set-up (must be 12–18 years old. Adults are welcomed).

You can also help in the following ways:

Agricultural Fair 4-H Adult & Youth Volunteer, Thursday August 7, 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Finish arranging non-perishable items, and help arrange and set up for the perishable entries on Saturday. 2-hour time slots.

Saturday, August 9, 6:00 to 9:00 p.m. Help arrange baked good items on the shelves. Parents must be present.

Senior4-H Building Chairman of the Day-Available to 4-H'ers 14 and up. The Senior Chairman of the Day assists the 4-H Building Superintendent by:

Straightening out exhibits and exhibits' covers. Disposing of dead flowers, and rotten vegetables. Straightening 4-H information area. Watering plants as needed. Answer Fairgoers questions. Needed one 4-H'er for each time slot:

Monday, August 11 through Saturday August 16, 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. You may sign up for fulldays or half days.

Vision Screening-Work with optometrists as they perform simple vision screening testsfor fair visitors. Monday, August 11, Tuesday12, and Wednesdday 13, different time slots from 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Project Show and Tell—This is a greatopportunity for a club to show their projects! Individuals or groups workingtogether can show and tell the projects they have worked on throughout the year—demonstrations are encouraged! Bring whatever supplies you need for yourexhibit with you. Available times are:

o Monday, August 11, and Tuesday August 12 between11:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m.

o Friday, August 15, between 11:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m.

Contact Sheila Ford at sheilaf@umd.edu if you need any special help or accommodations for your exhibit.

Adult Volunteer Opportunities

4-H Building Information Desk Volunteer-We need at least two 4-H parents or UME Certified Volunteers to work at the Information Desk in the 4-H Building. We need adult volunteers during every hour that the building is open to the public 11:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Responsibilities include interacting with visitors, directing them to informational literature, showing them where the different exhibit areas are, and answering general questions about 4-H and the fair. We askt hat you please work two consecutive hours at a time.

Information Desk dates and times (available in 2-hour shifts):

Sunday August 10, Noon to 9:00 p.m.

Monday August 11 through Saturday August 16, 11:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Bake Sale Volunteers-We need 4-H parents, UME Certified Volunteers, and youth volunteers aged 12 and older for the bake sale. You can sign up to help at the bake table outside the 4-H Building for 4-hour intervals on Sunday August 10, from noon to 9:00 p.m. You can sign up for as many 4-hour time slots as you like.

Building Take Down-Sunday August 17, starting at 10:00 a.m. We encourage 4-H members and their families to volunteer and increase their participation especially during take down day. We need your help placing exhibits in alphabetical order, folding down tables and tablecloths, taking down signs and buntings, and storing all the 4-H Fair equipment in the trailer.

Want to be a member of the 4-H Honor Guard?

Be the leader of the 4-H Parade! We are looking for an adult leader/guide for the 4-H Honor Guard. The 4-H Honor Guard is also seeking eight youth to carry flags to lead the parade route. You need to be at least 13 years old and strong enough to carry a flag in a harness for the entire length of the parade route. Remember, it could be hot!

The parade is Sunday, August 10 at 5:00 p.m. We will have a short mandatory 30-minute training session on Monday, August 4 at 6:00 p.m. at the fair office at 16 Chestnut Street. You will receive a free 4-H T-shirt and fair hours for your service on the honor guard.

If you are interested, please register by July 3 bycontacting Catherine Savage at csavage9@umd.edu.

VIP Day at the Fair

All 4-H'ers ages 12 and up can perform a very worthwhile community service and earn fair hours or SSL hours. Volunteer hosts on VIP Day escort children with disabilities or who are chronically ill around the fairgrounds on Monday, August 11 from 10:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Remember the 4-H Pledge '...My heart to greater loyalty, My hands to larger service...' Give some of your time to helping these children enjoy their day at the fair.

There will be a training session for all interested volunteers on Monday, August 4 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. at the Heritage Building at the fairgrounds. PIZZA dinner will be provided.

If you have any questions, call Dennis and Besilica Castaneda at 301-379-1169 or e-mail at dennisandbesilica@gmail.com.

Volunteerat the Big Cheese Booth

The Montgomery County Agricultural Fair is just around the corner! This year the Fair will be August 8 through16, 2025. Volunteers are needed during the Fair workdays and the Fair days for the Cheese Booth. This is a fun and easy way to earn Student Service Learning hours or Agricultural Center Membership hours.

Training sessions are scheduled so everyone becomes familiar with the responsibilities. The Cheese Booth also needs help before and after each training session to help prepare the booth for the Fair. To register for preferred work shifts, you MUST attend ONE of the below sessions. This requirement is for everyone, new volunteers and prior year volunteers.

July 19, 9:00 to 10:00 a.m. July 26, 11:00 a.m. to noon Aug 2, 9:00 to 10:00 a.m.

Sessions will meet at the Cheese Booth. The above Saturdays are Fair workdays and the Cheese Booth will need help preparing the building for the Fair. Fair workday sign-in begins at 8:00 a.m. each Saturday. Volunteers who sign in before 9:00 a.m. will get a free lunch ticket. Your help is always welcome. Volunteering is more enjoyable with friends and family, so bring them along too!

Direct questions regarding the Cheese Booth to, Sue Sullivan, 301-325-4384 email at Suesownline@aol.com

Volunteer at the Information Booths

The Information booth is a great way for 4-H'ers,12 years old and up, to volunteer and start working toward their fair memberships or SSL hours. IN ADDITION, we need parents and other adults to help supervise.

We have four booths throughout the fair grounds. Teams of two to three people work each booth for a minimum of four-hour shifts. Shifts are 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., 2:00 to 6:00 p.m., and 6:00 to 10:00 p.m.

Friends and families can work together and entire clubs can sign up together if they want. We would like 4-H'ers to be in the booths while adults help by monitoring each booth and by visiting the booths at intervals and dropping off any needed information materials. Good public speaking is great, but an enthusiasm for the fair is all that is needed. In order to volunteer, you must attend one of the orientation meetings. Clubs that want to sign up together may request to receive a training at one of their meetings.

The info booth orientations take place on the fair workdays (Saturdays) at the following times:

July 19, 11:00 a.m. to Noon July 26, 9:00 to 10:00 a.m. August 2, 11:00 a.m. to Noon

To register, and for more information contact Sue Sullivan at suesownline@aol.com

Animal Exhibitor Orientation Required To Show!

All 4-H animal exhibitors (this includes ALL animals, even the pet show) at this year's Montgomery County Agricultural Fair will be required to attend an exhibitor orientation meeting.

Topics will update you on new rule and procedural changes for animals, public health, 4-H rules, fair policies, and other helpful tips to make sure you have a positive fair experience. The session will be held at 8:30 a.m. sharp on all three workdays, July 19, 26, and August 2, in the Heritage Building at the fairgrounds. Doors will be closed promptly at 8:30 a.m. and no late entry will be allowed once the program begins.

A parent must be present to sign the attendance form. If you have any questions, please contact Catherine Savage at csavage9@umd.edu or (301) 590-2813.

Pet Show Requirement

The Pet Show is a super fun casual dress contest. Pets entered should be friendly and have no history of aggression.

ALL PET SHOW EXHIBITORS: The 4-H'er and a parent or guardian must attend one of the quality assurance meetings held in the Heritage building at 8:30 a.m.sharp on one of the workdays, July 19, 26, or August 2.

Please check the fair catalog for all requirements of pets entered in the pet show. All required identification and testing requirements/certificates for all species will be enforced the same as any other livestock event at the fair. This could be tattoos, RFD tags, etc.

Dogs and Cats MUST have a current rabies certificate at check in. Rabies tags will NOT be accepted as proof of current vaccine.

Please read the rules carefully for everything, including promotion. Pets shown in the pet show cannot be shown in any other fair event.

We want 4-H'ers to have the most positive, fun experience possible. Feel free to contact Lisa Righter, LocustSprings@aol.com, 301-538-0004 with any questions. Email is best.

Rabbit Exhibitors

As per Maryland Department of Agriculture, all rabbits must be tattooed in the left ear for positive identification. This is a rule that must be enforced as animals in the pet show are subject to inspection and held to the same standards as all other livestock.

The Montgomery County Rabbit Club has generously offered free tattoo(s) for any rabbit(s) entered in the pet show on the last workday, August 2 in the morning. Please look for the Fair Veterinarian if your rabbit needs a tattoo.

The Pet Show is about having lots of FUN! Please join us!

Share at the Fair

Exhibiting your projects is one requirement for completing 4-H projects, and the fair is a great place to do just that! If you are enrolled in Montgomery County 4-H, or a 4-H afterschool program you are eligible to enter your exhibits in the 4-H Building or in any of the 4-H outdoor activities. The 2025 Fair Catalogue is available online at the fair website.

Parade Floats

The 2025 4-H Parade Theme for the Montgomery County Agricultural fair is "Bee-lieve in yourself with 4-H".

The 4-H Parade theme complements this year's Agricultural Fair theme of "Make a Bee-line to the Fair".

For comprehensive parade rules, please check the printed and online catalog when available. In the meantime, please use the following guidelines for brainstorming and constructing your float.

Each float or special unit must send a float entry form and narrative script to the 4-H Office by June 30. The narrative should not exceed 40 words. The float theme should not need to be explained by a script.

For more information, please contact Chuck Schuster, <u>cfs@umd.edu</u>, 410-596-2159.

Entering Your Work at The Fair

4-H Indoor and demonstration entry registrations must be entered online by July 20. Each exhibit must have a pre-printed tag firmly attached to it on entry night.

An exhibitor may enter only one exhibit per class.

Exhibitors are responsible for verifying the accuracy of their entries. If you have a problem or correction, you MUST contact the Fair Office in person or by phone at 301-926-3100. It is highly recommended that all exhibitors bring their On-Line Entry Receipt with them to entry night.

Monitor the Montgomery County Agricultural fair website for information on when you can start entering exhibits online.

When entering online, please make sure you are entering in the desired 4- H Division or Open. Please print a receipt for your records.

If you are not able to enter your exhibits using the online system, paper entry forms are available in the back of the fair catalog. Please mail all paper entry forms, by July 20, 2025, to the Fair Office (NOT THE 4-H OFFICE): Montgomery Co. Agricultural Fair, 16 Chestnut St., Gaithersburg, MD 20877.

Once the fairground receives all 4-H entry registrations, they generate the display tags for each entry. Leaders will be notified when tags are ready to pick up.

Display tags must accompany each indoor entry at the fair. You must make an appointment to pick up your tags at the 4-H office. Alternatively, you can pick up your tags at the Fairground on entry day. If you wish to volunteer to help sort tags, contact Jeannine Shriver at jshriver@umd.edu.

Exception to the July 20 pre-entries deadline. ONLY for Divisions13-Vegetables and Fruits, 14-Flowers, and 15 – Agricultural Products. Pre-entry will not be a requirement for Divisions 13, 14, and 15 but are encouraged, before 20 July. This includes all vegetables, fruits, flower specimens, and agricultural products. We understand that the weather and other environmental factors play a vital role in these entries and their success. Because these factors make it difficult to know what your entries might be a month ahead of time, we encourage you to enter as many classes in these Divisions online. However, we will accept on-site entries in Divisions 13, 14, and 15 only.

Blank entry tags will be provided at check-in for divisions 13, 14, and 15. These items will be received on Saturday, August 10, from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m. as usual. Remember to arrive early to give our youth enough time to fill out their tags. Poster boards will be placed with a "how-to" fill out your tag, and volunteers will be stationed at the check-in table to help our youth fill these out.

How to bring your indoor entries to the 4-H Building at the Fair Monday, August 4 – only day to enter club booths and banners, 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Club books are optional on Monday.

Wednesday, August 6, 4-H non-perishable entry drop-off, <u>4:30</u> to 7:30 p.m. DOORS WILL BE CLOSED AT 7:30 PM. NO LATE DROP-OFFS WILL BE ACCEPTED!

Saturday, August 9, 4-H Perishable entry drop-off, 3:00 to 6:00 p.m. NO LATE DROP-OFFS WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER 6:00 P.M.

Pick up day—Sunday, August 17 from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

All exhibits unclaimed by Sunday, August 17 at 2:00 p.m. will become the property of the fair. EXHIBITS WILL NOT BE TAKEN BACK TO THE 4-H OFFICE.

In addition, the Fair or the 4-H Office will NOT be responsible for any damage to an exhibit while at the fair.

Booths and Banners State Guidelines

Please remember, the <u>State Fair guidelines</u> for entering booths and banners are different from the Montgomery County Fair.

Banners: ALL clubs may enter their banners in the State Fair. However, Clubs must enter them themselves using the online State Fair entry system.

Booths: ONLY County Fair champion "State Fair Themed Booths" can be entered at the State Fair.

If you wish to enter your banner or booth, make sure it complies with the State Fair Catalog rules.

You are responsible for getting your booth or banner to and from the State Fair.

The 2025 State Fair Booth/Banner Theme can be found under "Department T - 4-H/FAA Promotion".

Banner dimensions: 50" wide X 38" tall. The opening for the pole should to be a minimum of 3", and is included in the overall size of 38" long. Do not bring your own pole. You MUST use these dimensions or you will be disqualified.

4-H Cake Auction Sunday, August 10

You are cordially invited, along with all of your friends and family, to join in the annual 4-H Cake Auction. The Cake Auction will take place in the Cattle Pavilion on Sunday, August 10 at 6:30 p.m.

Cakes that won blue ribbons at the fair will be auctioned off to the highest bidder—this is the main fundraiser for the Montgomery County 4-H Program. All money raised from the auction goes to Montgomery County 4-H to provide programs and opportunities for our 4-H youth and volunteers. Some of the things the funds are used for include resource materials, ribbons and awards, registration fees, and scholarships.

We need your support for the cake auction. Even if your child's cake is not in the auction, please join with friends and family to form a group to bid on a cake. If you know a business that would be interested in participating in this charity event, please encourage them to attend the auction on Sunday.

If you know someone, or a group of people, who want to bid on a cake and need fair passes, please contact Jeannine Shriver at jshriver@umd.edu. We have a limited number of passes to use for this purpose.

Get In Line for the Parade

Help to get the 2025 Fair off to a great start by participating in the 4-H Parade on Sunday, August 10 at 5:00 p.m. Clubs may enter walking units or floats. If a club wishes to enter a float, the club must arrange for the wagon/trailer itself. The fair will provide a tractor and driver to pull the float.

The theme of this year's 4-H Parade is "Bee-lieve in yourself with 4-H".

Grab your club members together and start working on your parade unit! Please send a narrative script, not to exceed 35 - 40 words, and the float entry form to Jeannine Shriver at ishriver@umd.edu by June 30. No late entries will be accepted

Promote Your Club at the 4-H Club Showcase

Are you looking to promote your club? Do you want to share all the exciting activities your club members do at the fair, and all year long? Do you just think your club is the very best and want to show it off? Then come out and join us for the 4-H Club Showcase! Clubs will be setting up their tables along Maple Avenue on Saturday, August 16 from Noon to 4:00 p.m. If your club is interested, club leaders should register no later than July 28. To register, please contact the Extension Office at 301-590-2823

Table space is limited and given on a first come, first served basis.

Ag EducationDisplay Contest

The Ag Education Display Contest (Department 86) is designed to educate or promote agriculture. Each club can create a display. Displays will be shown either in your barn, or in the area designated by the Ag Education Committee. Displays from previous years may be brought up to the Fair but will not be judged for premiums.

Please contact the Fair Office at 301-926-3100 ext. 205 if you need space.

Inventors Club Science Demonstration

The Inventors Club is looking forward to showing several of the projects they have designed and built at the Montgomery County Fair. Stop by and see them Wednesday August 13 from Noon to 4:00 p.m. There will be hands on projects. The club will be demonstrating its most complicated Rube Goldberg machine yet. This year they have a catapult and zip line! They build a new one each year. Come and try your hand at the Giant Robot Operation Game and pick your color for the HarmonoGraph, you can take the paper graph design with you. The Inventors have also built a 9-foot Giant LED display built on a Raspberry Pi and Tinsy 4.0, and will be on display showing messages in the Rabbit Barn.

Project G Street

August 9, 2025

1-Day Fashion Design Competition Sponsored by G Street Fabrics

Calling all fashionistas... come one, come all, to embrace your inner designer at this year's Project G Street at the MoCo fair! No fashion school needed. All skill levels, all ages are invited to show what you can do!

Chairpersons Kit Noonan at kmndakota@gmail.com, Maureen Levy at mlafl@comcast.net

Project G Street Details & Information

1. Il teams win gift cards to G Street Fabrics!

$$1^{st}$$
 place = \$300 3^{rd} place = \$100 5^{th} place = \$50

$$2^{\text{nd}}$$
 place = \$200 4^{th} place = \$75 6^{th} - 8^{th} places = \$25

Win or lose, you'll take away amazing memories and fantastic social media content!

- 2. Teams must register by email to kmndakota@gmail.com by Tuesday, July 29. The first 8 teams to register will participate.
- 3. Teams are comprised of 2 or 3 team members, your choice.
- 4. The chairpersons will host a video meeting using Google Meet to announce this year's theme and answer questions at 6:00 p.m. on Friday, August 1. Contestants will be sent a link to join. At least one member of each team **must** attend the meeting.
- 5. Teams will select their materials at G Street Fabrics during store hours August 2 to the 8th. You will receive 10 yards of fabric plus a \$25 G Street Fabrics gift card to purchase notions. NO OTHER FABRIC CAN BE USED. The \$25 gift card can be used for any items you need for your outfit (thread, closures, etc.) You may make or use your own patterns. You do not need to purchase patterns with the gift card.
- 6. Your model must be an adult woman. A team member may model, or you may choose someone else to be your model. Models bring their own shoes. Any other elements such as purses, hats or scarves must be created using yourt eam's materials.
- 7. Contestants provide the tools and machines to create their outfits. You may choose to bring sewing machines, serger, dress form, irons, mirror, steamer, etc. Items can be dropped off at Heritage Hall starting at 8:00 a.m.Directions and parking will be discussed at the video meeting.

- 8. Teams create their ensembles in the Heritage Hall from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Outfits will be judged on the following: interpretation of the theme; design (selection of style, color & material combinations); creativity (use of fabric, trim, closures); fit; construction; styling(accessories, hairstyle, the way you put together the whole look). The judges' decision is final.
- 9. The runway and judging will be at 6:00 p.m. Invite all your friends, family, neighbors and colleagues to come cheer you on!
- 10. All outfits will be on display in the Home Arts building during fair week. See entry form at the end of the Newsletter.

Maryland State Fair Entry Deadlines

The Maryland State Fair entry deadline for 4-H Indoor Exhibits and 4-H Livestock registrations is July 15 using the Blue Ribbon Fair Online system.

CLUB & MEMBER CORNER

Diamond Clover Level 6 Birdboxes

By Joseph M.

On Saturday May 24, six (6) attendees made nine (9) birdhouses in support of "Joseph M.'s" Diamond Clover Level 6 project.

In total, 20 birdhouses are going to be donated to the Damascus Community Recreation Center to be placed on their outdoor trail around the Recreation center.

The Damascus Community Recreation Center is located on Oak Drive near the intersection with Ridge Road (Route 27), and it is close to John T. Baker Middle School in Damascus, MD.



Claksburg Helping Hands

By Vincent and Matthew M.,

The Clarksburg Helping Hands 4-H club was recognized by the Damascus Lions Club at their annual Youth Recognition Night. The Lions club mission is to help the community in specific vision, and they support youth organizations.

Special thanks to the Damascus Lions Club for their support which the club uses to support the club member's Diamond Clover Level 6 as well as the club's program.

Diamond Clover Level 6 - Horse Jumps

By Hannah W.

Hannah W. is pleased to announce the winners of her art contest held for the benefit of Days End Farm Horse Rescue (DEFHR). Hannah's project was to

enlist help to design the mini horse jump standards at DEHR by participating in an art contest.

After reviewing the 18 entries, the judges decided on the following winners in each category.

Congratulations to Hannah P. for winning the 5-11 age category,

Lailah S. for winning the 12-17 age category, and

Maya L. for winning the 18+-age category

The winning designs will be incorporated onto the jumps that Hannah will build and paint this summer. Hanna wants to thank everyone who participated in the art contest!

Horse 'N' Around

By Hannah W.

On May 10, a group from the Horse 'N' Around club went to Days End Farm Horse Rescue (DEFHR) to volunteer. This was part of Hannah W's Diamond Clover Level 6 project "Jumping Towards Awareness: Building Knowledge on Rescue Horses", where she has partnered with DEHR.

One part of her project was to create a stronger relationship with DEFHR, and that volunteer day was one way to do that. While the group was at DEFHR, there was "no horse 'n' around" as they rolled up their sleeve to wash feed pans and buckets, and clean stall doors, chores that are often overlooked but are needed to maintain a clean and healthy environment for these horses. Once the chores were finished, the group ended the visit with what many participants described as their favorite part: grooming some of the horses.



Damascus Community Club

By Chace B.

During the May business meeting, the club recited the 4-H pledge and discussed what each project group was working on. Members went over old business as well as new business.

The members discussed going to a petting zoo in June orJuly. After the business part of the meeting ended, the club members painted and decorated pots to give out as prizes for the Senior Citizen Birthday Party. The Senior Citizen Birthday Party is going to be held over the summer. Afterwards, the member ate snacks and enjoyed sometime outside.



Photo by Addy B. Back row: Brent K, Renee H., Evelyn B. Anvita D.

Front row: Addy B., Isabel L., Allie K., Lydia W.

4-H Calendar **Due dates and Events**

JUNE

- 4 Diamond Clover Lv 6 Application Workshop
- 7 Robotics Workshop
- 9 Fair Workshop
- 11 Soil Conservation District Contest registration due date
- 14 State Horse Judging and Hippology Contests
- 15 Maryland 4-H Foundation Scholarship due date
- 22 Volunteer Appreciation Celebration
- 25 Diamond Clover Lv 6 Application Workshop

July

- 1 4-H Equine Visual Arts Contest
- 1 Start of the new 4-H Club/Unit Fiscal Year
- 15 Maryland State Fair Entry deadline
- 18 Volunteer Survey due date
- 19 4-H Building Workday
- 20 MoCo Agricultural Fair Entry deadline
- 24 MoCo 4-H fair Chairpersons meeting
- 26 4-H Building Workday
- 31 Maryland State Fair General Entry deadline

August

- 2 4-H Building Workdays
- 4 Mandatory Entries Club Booths and Banners. 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Optional: Club Books.
- 4-H Indoor Non-Perishable entries, 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. Doors close promptly at 7:30 p.m.
- 9 4-H Perishable Entries, 3:00 to 6:00 p.m.
- 8-16 MoCo Ag. Fair
- 10 MoCo 4-H Cake Auction
- 17 4-H Indoor entries relased, 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Project G Street Entry Form

Project G Street Entry Form

Email entry forms to kmndakota@gmail.com_ (please put **Project G Street** in subject line)

See complete rules for details.

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1 st contestant's name:
Cell phone number:
Email:
2 nd contestant's name:
Cell phone number:
Email:
3 rd contestant's name:

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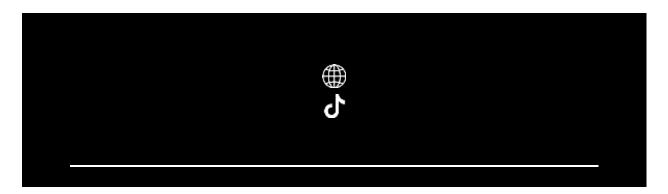
Question: Do you know what it is, and where was the picture taken? Answer: This is the roof of the Elevator Silo at the 4-H Bldg. in Derwood, MD.

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