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Area Focus: <u>Positive Youth Development</u>

UW Extension offers many great resources for you, your family, and your community in many helpful ways! Check out these great opportunities and tips from the area of 4-H and Youth Development:



Beep Bop Boop.... Let's Build Circuits!

Are you ready to accept the challenge of creating a low-voltage electronic circuit? We're going to use conductive tape, a battery, LEDs, and paper to learn about electrical circuits! Get ready to learn and have fun through this hands-on introduction to electric circuits. This distance learning program will allow participants, grades 4-9, an opportunity to explore, problemsolve, think critically and be creative. Registration will be open January 2 - 24. All participants will receive program supply kits from their county offices prior to the start of the program. This program will begin on March 1 with guided lessons and tutorials. Registration is open until January 24th. Registration: https://4h.extension.wisc.edu/wi-distance-learning/

Kikiwaka, Kikiwaka.....I mean – Camp Lakota, Camp Lakota!!

Are you in 3rd through 8th Grade? Want to try something new and create fun memories this summer? Imagine spending your summer days at 4-H camp June 11-14, 2025, at Camp Lakota!!

Camp is where adventure and learning go hand in hand! From swimming and canoeing on crystal-clear lakes to hiking through lush forests, every day is packed with excitement. Campers in grades 3-6 get to enjoy the base camp, trying their hand at archery, arts and crafts, and many more program to explore. For those in grades 7 and 8, there's the outpost camp, offering a more rustic experience that brings you even closer to nature. The evenings are filled with campfire songs, s'mores, and stargazing, creating memories that last a lifetime. With new friends around every corner and enthusiastic counselors leading the way, 4-H camp in Wisconsin is the perfect place to explore, grow, and have a blast!



All children are welcome to Tri-County 4-H Camp! Membership in 4-H is not required. Give your child a great experience with memories to last a lifetime. Registration opens February 1st!! Learn More & Register: https://dodge.extension.wisc.edu/4-h-youth-development/camps/

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Try It All At Dodge County Family Learning Days

Looking for a family activity but not sure what to do? Let everyone pick! Want to try something new? Learn more about a skill you already enjoy? Pick 1-4 activities for the day!

Dodge County Family Learning Day offers ALL youth the chance to explore new and existing projects that may ignite their interests and encourage them to try something new. This event promises a day filled with engaging, hands-on learning experiences in a safe environment. UW Extension ensures that learning is enjoyable through interactive activities, educational opportunities, and more! <u>Membership in 4-H is not required to attend.</u>

Mark your calendars for February 15, 2025, at Horicon High School and March 29, 2025, at Dodgeland School District for these exciting events.

Registration & Class Information: https://dodge.extension.wisc.edu/4-h-youth-development/4-h-activities/

Hey Cloverbuds! Let's Hatch Some Fun in 4-H!

ALL youth are welcome to join us for some awesome hands-on activities designed just for you (K-2nd graders)!

When's the fun happening? Tuesdays, April 1st – 20th – 6 PM What you need: Most of the supplies are on us! Pick up your activity kit at your local County Extension Office from March 12th–March 31st.

Where's the party? On Zoom! We'll send you the link after you sign up (and yes, sessions will be recorded).

Don't miss out! Registration closes March 1st. Let's get cracking on some 4-H fun!

Want to be the first to sign up? Follow our Facebook page and check out our website for updates and registration info coming soon!



Have Questions? Extension is here to help.

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