

Finding a Club for Your Family

1. Look for a club that meets in a place you're comfortable with.
2. Select a club that meets during the times which work with your family's schedule.
3. Find a club that accepts members within your child's age range. Cloverbuds: Must be at least age 5 and in Kindergarten as of Jan 1st. Project Members: Must be at least age 8 and in 3rd Grade as of Jan 1st.
4. Decide what kind of projects (non-animal, animal, sewing, shooting sports) your child plans to take and find a club that accepts those kinds of projects.
5. Contact the advisor for more detailed club information. Ask about: participation/attendance requirements, club dues and fundraising, meeting schedule, location, club size, and any other questions you may have.
6. Ask what kind of involvement or participation the club expects from parents.
7. Set up a visit to a club meeting or jump right in. Have fun and enjoy your 4-H Club experience!

4-H Club Name Meeting location	Contact	Grades K-2 (Cloverbud)	Grades 3 & Up	Non- Animal Projects	Sewing	Livestock	Dogs	Horses	Shooting Sports
24 Carrots Eastside 2 Sunday Afternoons a month	Advisor - Lyn 24carrots4hclub@gmail.com	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
4-H Dream Achievers Stonybrook UMC in Gahanna 2 nd & 4 th Thursdays, Jan -June	Advisor - Jennifer 4hdreamachievers@gmail.com	X	X	X	X				
4-H Explorers Franklin County Fair Grounds 2 nd Friday of every month	Advisor - Penelope dpmishne6506@gmail.com	X	X	X	X	X			X
Barn Busters Brown Township Hall 3 rd Monday Jan-June	Advisor - Carolyn thebattles@sbcglobal.net	X	X	X	X	X			
Bit of Luck Hilliard 2 nd Monday of every month	Advisor - Veronica veronica.boysel@sbcglobal.net *NOT CURRENTLY ACCEPTING NEW MEMBERS		X	X		X		X	
Blue Ribbon Connection St. John's Lutheran Church, Grove City 2 nd Tuesday of every month	Advisor - Lori Lmattox1108@gmail.com	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Buckeye Clover Express Reynoldsburg 4 th Wednesday of every month	Advisor - Kerry kerryriggs@wideopenwest.com	X	X	X	X		X		
Busy Bees Grove City 1 st Tuesday of every month	Advisor - Melissa bsy_bees@yahoo.com	X	X	X	X				
Carousel Riders Franklin County Fairgrounds 2 nd & 4 th Wednesday of every month	Advisor - Becky bapplege@columbus.rr.com		X	X	X	X		X	
Change the World Grandview Heights Every Other Monday	Advisor - Tessa tlcarrelphd@gmail.com	X	X	X	X				
City Slickers	Advisor - Chrissy cshyrigh@gmail.com		X	X	X	X			
Clever Clovers Hilliard Library 1 Sunday a month	Advisor - Michelle Michelle_toothman@yahoo.com	X	X						
Clover Grove SW Columbus 2 nd Sunday every month	Advisor - Alexis clovergrove4h@gmail.com	X	X	X	X	X			
Clovers Forever 10 Meetings per year	Advisor - Sam Samantha_brill@hotmail.com	X	X	X	X				
Fantastic Futures West Broad Street Area 3 rd Thursday every month	Advisor - Amy Amy1peter3.4@gmail.com	X	X	X	X	X	X		X



When is the best time to join?

The best time to join 4-H really depends of the club's meeting schedule. You should try to contact the club in the fall or winter so you can formally enroll by the county deadline. The Franklin County 4-H enrollment deadline is April 1st. Any 4-H'er that wishes to take their project to the fair in the summer must be enrolled in a club by the first of April, so it's best to get started in a club before this deadline.

Can't Find the Club for You?

If you can't find a club that will work with your family's needs, maybe you should consider starting a club of your own. Contact us for more information on how to become a 4-H volunteer club advisor. It's an extremely rewarding experience!

Contact the Franklin County Extension office for help finding a club.

Ohio 4-H Family Guide

The entire list of Ohio 4-H projects can be found at: <http://www.ohio4h.org/4-h-parents-volunteers/family-guide>. Copies can also be picked up in the Franklin County Extension Office.

4-H Club Name	Contact	Grades K-2 (Cloverbud)	Grades 3 & Up	Non-Animal Projects	Sewing	Livestock	Dogs	Horses	Shooting Sports
Far East Far East Rec Center 1 st Saturday of every month	Advisor – Candace Cw70@aol.com		X	X	X				
Fearless Farmer Groveport	Advisor – Katherine harrisonfarm13@gmail.com								
Foal of Surprises Violet Meadow Stables 1 st Tuesday of the month	Advisor – Debbie ddunlap@live.com		X					X	
Franklin County Shooting Sports Ohio 4-H Center 2 nd Thursday of every month	Advisor – Sharla 614-354-5686	X Must have sibling in club	X	X	X	X			X Must take a shooting sports project
Golden Explorers Ohio 4-H Center 1 to 2 Sundays per month Jan-June	Advisor – Rona goldenexplorers4h@gmail.com	X	X	X	X	X			
Great Expectations Franklin County Fair Grounds 2 nd Monday Aug-Mar., 2 nd and 4 th Mon Apr. - June	Advisor – Kathy Greatexpectations4hclub@gmail.com	X	X	X	X	X		X	
Green Machine Brown Township Hall 3 rd Saturday Jan-July	Advisor – Ronda rcas57@sbcglobal.net	X	X	X	X	X			
Grove City Clover Crew First Presbyterian Church, Grove City 2 nd & 4 th Thursday of the month	Advisor – Kathy Bohanan.kathy@gmail.com	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Groveport Buttoneers Canal Winchester 2 nd & 4 th Mondays every month	Advisor - Gaynell gaynell@wideopenwest.com	X	X	X	X	X			
Hellbranch Grove City/Galloway 3 rd Sunday of every month Jan-June, Sept, Oct	Advisor – Rachel Rachel.bausch@yahoo.com <small>*NOT CURRENTLY ACCEPTING NEW MEMBERS</small>		X	X		X	X	X	
Highbluffs Helping Hands Worthington Christian Church 2 nd & 4 th Monday of every month	Advisor – Jenny jenny@defrancesco.com	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Hilliard 4-H'ers Franklin County Fair Grounds 2 nd Monday of every month	Advisor – Lisa LisaW127@att.net	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Hilliard Lucky Live Wires Advisor's home - Hybrid One Sunday every month	Advisor – Pam 614-589-6817	X	X	X	X				
K-9 Wonder Dogs Gahanna Every other Friday evening	Advisor – Jennifer 4h.wonderdogs@gmail.com		X				X		
Let's Get Better Together Urban 4-H Club Columbus Area 1 st and 2 nd Wednesday of every month	Advisor – Christina christine.davidson@outlook.com	X	X	X	X		X		



Ohio State University Extension 4-H Youth Development Staff

Extension Educators

Beth Boomershine, 4-H

Phone: 614-292-6098

e-mail: boomershine.10@osu.edu

Sue Hogan, 4-H

Phone: 614-292-7746

e-mail: hogan.239@osu.edu

Program Coordinator

Rachel Stoneburner, 4-H

Phone: 614-292-9777

e-mail: stoneburner.31@osu.edu

Support Staff

Kim Arrasmith

Phone: 614-866-6900

e-mail: arrasmith.16@osu.edu

Christina Byrd

Phone: 614-866-6900

e-mail: byrd.282@osu.edu

Office Address

OSU Extension, Franklin County

2548 Carmack Road

Columbus, Ohio 43210

Phone: 614-866-6900

Website: franklin.osu.edu

Facebook:

Ohio State- Franklin County 4-H

Office Hours

Monday– Friday 8:00a.m.-4:30p.m.

4-H Club Name	Contact	Grades K-2 (Cloverbud)	Grades 3 & Up	Non- Animal Projects	Sewing	Livestock	Dogs	Horses	Shooting Sports
Liberty Bells Worthington United Methodist Church 1-2 Thursday per month	Advisor – Julia jabber91@wowway.com	X	X	X	X		X		
Lucky Clovers Gahanna 1 st Monday of every month	Advisor –Bill or Kristina luckyclovers.4hcluboh@gmail.com	X	X	X	X				
Morris Road Mavericks Hilliard 1 to 2 Wednesdays per month	Advisor – Melissa 419-778-9117 *NOT CURRENTLY ACCEPTING NEW MEMBERS	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Muttering Mutts Hilliard Weekly; Jan/Feb-Aug	Advisor – Abby Shoben.1@osu.edu		X				X		
Saddles-N-Such Grove City 4 th Sunday of every month	Advisor – Kathy kathymyers@columbus.rr.com	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Serendipity Scioto Ridge United Methodist Church 1 st Thursday Nov-March; 1 st & 3 rd Thursday April-June	Advisor – Barb barbrushley@yahoo.com	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Shooting Stars Hilliard 1 st & 3 rd Thursday	Advisor – Tammie hullsoh@gmail.com	v	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Tri-Village Upper Arlington 6-8 times per year	Advisor – Brian briannathanielwilson@gmail.com	X	X	X	X	X			
Whestone 4-H'ers Ohio 4-H Center 4th Wednesday of every month	Advisor – Joy voorhees3@ameritech.net	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Young Riders Brown Township Hall 2 meetings per month	Advisor – Heather haforeman@gmail.com	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	

Older Youth Opportunities

Teen Leaders Council (13 yrs and up)

- Develop leadership skills
- Improve the community through service projects
- Develop skills and attitudes that will better prepare you for the responsibilities as productive citizens
- Attend monthly meetings

4-H Camp Counselor (14 yrs and up)

- Must attend training sessions as outlined in application
- Develop knowledge, skills, attitudes and aspirations needed for adult success
- Applications are due in October of each year

Junior Fair Board (7th grade and up)

- Assist with fair planning and events
- Must attend activities and monthly meetings
- Develop skills and knowledge to prepare you for future success
- Applications for members are due in August of each year

