

## Events and Activities Examples 2024-2025 St. Johns County 4-H Clover Awards



The following list includes some examples of the events and activities that 4-H'ers can participate in throughout the 4-H year and should not be considered a comprehensive list. These are just examples. The 4-H agent makes the final decision on events and activities. Check News & Notes for additional activities to be announced. Activities must be sponsored by 4-H, or you are representing 4-H at the activity. Attendance as a spectator does not count as participation in any activity, event, or contest.

### Competitions/Exhibitions

**Share-the-Fun:** Perform a dance, song, or dramatic piece in the county contest.

**Fashion Revue:** Show a garment or quilt at the contest or have the garment or quilt judged. Can only be counted once.

**Public Speaking:** deliver a speech at the county contest.

**Demonstrations & Illustrated Talks:** Give a demonstration or illustrated talk at the county contest.

**Graphic Design Contest:** Submit a piece to the county contest.

**Arts & Crafts Exhibit/Contest:** Can only be counted once, regardless of how many entries are submitted.

**Animal Shows:** Show an animal for judging.

**Judging Teams:** Judge items and be rated on accuracy.

**Gingerbread House Contest:** Create and submit a house to the contest.

**Baking Contest:** Bake the item and submit it to the contest.

**Photo Contests:** Submit photos taken. Only counts once, regardless of how many photos entered.

**Club-sponsored contests** must be open to 4-H members outside of the sponsoring club.

**Emcee** at a county contest or event. Must sign up by October 31, 2024.

**Pumpkin Decorating Contest:** Enter a decorated pumpkin in a photo.

### Activities

**4-H Barn Dance:** Attend, decorate, or help set up/clean up. Can only be counted once.

**4-H Kickoff:** Attend or promote club. Can only be counted once.

**Parades** where you are in the parade representing 4-H

**Workshops offered by the 4-H Office** (i.e., Baking, Public Speaking, Demonstrations)

**Community Festivals** where you are attending on behalf of the **St. Johns County 4-H Office** such as working a 4-H information booth. Club fundraisers do not count as an activity for Clover Awards. Can only count once.

Walking around in a 4-H shirt does not count.

**Club Officer Training:** Attending or teaching an officer position. Can only be counted once.

**Teen Leadership Council Officer Retreat:** May count each time a retreat is attended.

**Summer Day Camps.** Each camp counts once, either as a camper or an assistant.

**Spud Run:** Only counts if member volunteers. No credit given for running the race.

**Cottonmouth Run:** Only counts if member volunteers. No credit given for running the race.

**Cracker Day:** Participating on behalf of the **St. Johns County 4-H Office** such as working a 4-H information booth. Club fundraisers do not count as an activity for Clover Awards. Can only count once. Walking around in a 4-H shirt does not count.

**Awards Banquet:** Attend, sign in, decorate, clean up. Can only count once.

**Decorating for county-sponsored events** including 4-H Barn Dance, Share the Fun/Fashion Revue, and Awards Banquet. If you also participate in the activity, you can still only count it once.

### District or Higher-Level Events

**District Events:** compete in public speaking, demonstrations/illustrated talks, or Share the Fun. Each event is counted individually.

**Area Horse Show:** Participate as a contestant.

**State Horse Show:** Participate as a contestant.

**Florida 4-H University:** Participate or compete. Can only count once.

**Florida 4-H Legislature:** Attend.

**Florida 4-H iLead:** Attend.

**State Fair in Tampa:** enter a contest. Each contest counts individually if they are unrelated.

**State Judging Contests:** Compete.

**State Archery Contests:** Compete.

**National Events or Contests:** Compete.

**State 4-H Council/Executive Board:** Each Council meeting or Executive Board weekend counts once.

**Third Executive Board:** Attend.

**4-H Residential Camps:** Participate as a camper or a counselor. Can only count once.

**Clinics** such as forestry and horse clinics

**Club supported competitions** not sponsored by 4-H must be approved by the 4-H office.

### Community Groups

**Civic organizations** such as Rotary, Pilot Club, Kiwanis, etc.

**Church Groups**

**Garden Club**

**County Commission**

**Homeowners' Association**

**PTA/PTO**

**School class:** if the topic is 4-H.