



4-H Youth Development
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INSTRUCTIONS FOR ENROLLMENT IN
ST. LUCIE COUNTY 4-H

Open Enrollment is September 1st- October 31st



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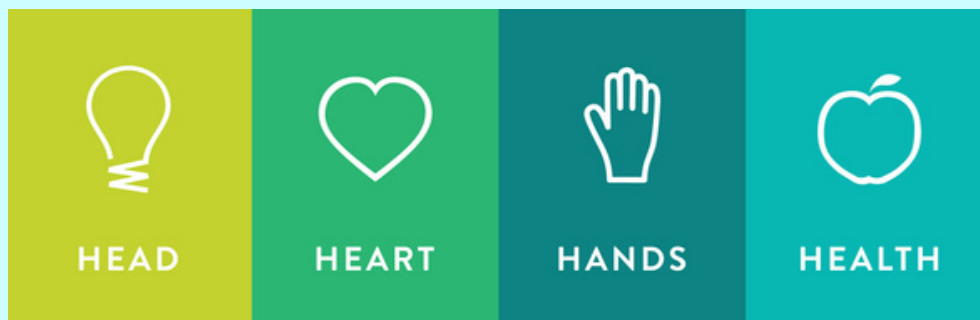


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STEPS FOR SLC 4-H ENROLLMENT



4-H ENROLLMENT IN ST. LUCIE COUNTY 4-H IS AN ANNUAL PROCESS

STEP 1: NEW FAMILIES: Contact the club leaders of the 4-H Clubs you are interested in, ask if there is still space available (see information below), and make every effort to attend meetings to find your family's best fit. If space is not available, please contact our office so we can assist. **IMPORTANT: if you are not a returning family, please do not register online until you have attended a meeting or contacted our office.**

DON'T FORGET

Online Enrollment - required by the Florida State 4-H office, enroll via <https://v2.4honline.com/> and pay the annual \$20 Membership Fee required by the state 4-H office for members 8-18 (Cloverbuds ages 5-7 are exempt from the membership fee).

Florida 4-H Online Enrollment:

NEW Members – Parent/Guardian will create a “Family Profile” then add each member individually.

Go to <https://4honline.com/> and select "Don't Have An Account?" (FIRST YEAR/NEW FAMILIES ONLY)

RETURNING Members - Login to 4-H Online via <https://4honline.com/> and re-enroll your returning members. If you have a sibling that is joining new, please simply "Add New Member" to your existing Family Profile. If you are unable to login to your 4-H Online Account to re-enroll, **do not create a new profile - it will be deleted.**

Once 4-H Online enrollment is complete it should say “Submitted” and will be changed to “Approved” once we have confirmed through the 4-H Club leader that you have reached out, visited a meeting, and there is room for your family in their club.

For questions, **please contact Terri Zuidema at tzuidema1@ufl.edu or 772-462-1285.**



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SMALL ANIMALS

Age Requirement 5-18

Blue Ribbon Wranglers: A small animal-focused club. **Meeting day/time, 1st Tues. of every month at 6:30 pm.** Contact: Emily Stewart at emilymstewart@yahoo.com

Feathers & Furs: A small animal club primarily focusing on rabbits, chickens, covies and reptiles. **Meeting day/time, 1st Sun. of each month.** Contact: Tiffany Rouleau at rouleau.tiffany@yahoo.com

Jitters N Critters: A small animal club primarily focusing on rabbits, chickens, covies, and reptiles. **Meetings are held on the 3rd Sun. of every month at 2:00pm.** Contact: Janie Spells at mjspells7@gmail.com or Jessica Gould at jessicabgould@gmail.com

Kids of a Feather: A small animal club. **Meeting day/time, 3rd Wed. of each month at 6pm.** Contact: Jessica Permann or Rachael Grunfeld at kidsofafeather@gmail.com.

Paws N Claws: A small animal-focused club with meetings held on the **3rd Sat. of every month at 10:30am.** Contact: Jessica Brewster at jbrewster0701@yahoo.com

Sunshine Poultry: A poultry-focused small animal club. Meetings are held on the **4th Sun. of every month at 5:00 p.m.** Contact: Terri McLam at tmclam1@hotmail.com

The Herd: A small animal focused club. Meetings are held the **1st Wed. every month at 5:00 p.m.** Contact: Heather Hernandez at theherd4h@gmail.com

Wingin It: A small animal focused club. Meeting day/Time, **4th Tuesday of every month @ 6pm.** Contact: Samantha Albritton at Winginit4hclub@gmail.com

Wings, Whiskers and Wags: A small animal club focusing on chickens, rabbits, ducks, guinea pigs, bearded dragons, and dogs. **Meetings will take place on select Monday evenings.** Contact: Jen Waldrop at Burlyowlegmail.com



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GOATS

Age Requirement 8-18

A few of our 4-H Youth show goats through their small animal clubs. If you or someone you know are interested in partnering with another adult to run a goat club please be sure to let us know!

EQUINE

Age Requirement 8-18

Mane Attraction: A horse club focusing on both English and Western riders. **Meetings are held on the 2nd & 4th Wednesday of each month at 6:00 p.m.** Contact: Natasha Mardi-Romano at natashamardis@gmail.com

Rocking Horse: The focus is on basic horse principles, horsemanship, and expanding equine knowledge. Meetings are held on the second Tuesday at 6:30 pm. and one Saturday per month. Contact: Char Thomas at c5pets@aol.com

Trails & Tails: A horse club focusing on speed events, community service & public speaking. Meetings take place on the **1st Wednesday of each month at 6:00 p.m.** Contact: Trailsandtails4hslc@gmail.com

Turn N Burn: A horse club focusing on speed events, also accepting small animal projects. Meetings are held on the **last Tuesday of each month at 5:30 pm.** Contact: Chrissy Long at chrissyannlong@icloud.com

The Barnyard: A horse club with a focus on horses and small animals. Meeting day/time, **3rd Fri. of each month at 6:30.** Contact: Joy Correa at shortyone79@icloud.com or LeeAnne



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GENERAL COMMUNITY CLUBS

Age Requirement 5-18

Clover: A general community club for homeschooled students focusing on environmental studies and more. Meetings are held on the **2nd Friday of each month at 9:30 am**. Contact: Lydia Pilch or Dena Russell at stlucieclover4h@gmail.com

4-H Adventure Seekers: A new general community club. This club manages a Ft. Pierce Community Garden plot and in addition to regular meetings they plan to meet monthly at designated locations throughout the county. Several members will also be engaged in the FL 4-H Food Challenge Competition. **Meetings will be held the 2nd Tuesday and 4th Thursday at 6:00 p.m. plus one weekend community outing each month.** Contact: Amanda Sojka at slc4hadventureseekers@gmail.com

SMORE 4-H: A general community club focusing on earth-saving modalities and sustainability. This club meets **the second Friday of every month at 5:30**. Contact: Jenny-Lynn McClain at jlmccclain@mail.com

Treasure Coast Sunschoolers: A general community club for homeschooled students. Meetings are held on the **4th Friday of each month at 10:00 a.m.** Contact: treasurecoastsunschoolers4h@gmail.com.



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COUNTY, DISTRICT AND/OR STATE SPECIALTY CLUBS

Age Requirement 8-18

FL 4-H Food Challenge Club: We are seeking youth who are interested in joining the 4-H Food Challenge Club. The 4-H Food Challenge is a contest that provides a fun, yet challenging, food-focused learning opportunity. Youth work in teams of 3-4 youth, of the same age division, to create a dish using a predetermined set of ingredients and cooking utensil/equipment. First, each team plans and prepares one of the randomly assigned dish while being judged on their food safety skills, teamwork, and ability to manage time and resources. Then youth present their finished dish, deliver a five-minute presentation, and answer questions about their dish to a panel of judges. Youth can enroll for this competition and have it be their primary focus and club or this could be a secondary club for youth who are currently enrolled in a primary club but would also like to be part of the Food Challenge Team. [Click Here](#) to learn more. Contact: John Ferguson at john.ferguso@ufl.edu or tzuidema1@ufl.edu.

Treasure Coast Triggers: We are actively seeking adult volunteers who are willing to go through a background clearance and to participate in 4-H Shooting Sports trainings to assist with this club. A Shooting Sports Club. Space is limited and the meeting day/time is TBD. Contact: John Ferguson at john.ferguso@ufl.edu or James Payne at manateefishing@yahoo.com

Age Requirement 11-18

County Council: We are seeking youth officers or leaders from every St. Lucie County 4-H Club to serve on our County Council. Meetings are held on the **3rd Tuesday of every month at 6:00 p.m.** This group actively represents at SLC 4-H Association Events, and community events throughout the program year. Contact: Terri Zuidema at tzuidema1@ufl.edu or John Ferguson at john.ferguso@ufl.edu

UBMS Stemvivors: This is a 4-H Club for students in the Upward Bound Math and Science program through IRSC. Contact: skeese@irsc.edu

MARKET ANIMAL PROJECTS



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SWINE

Age Requirements 8-18

Happy Hams: Club leaders Vanessa Langel, Rhonda Drawdy, and Jennifer Russakis

Hog Huggers: Club leaders Rebecca Percy, Cheri Rhodes, & Kelly Curl

Porkers: Club leaders Christy Tindall and Brianne Hutchinson

Rooters: Club leaders Kelley Charles and Jill Arnold

Southern Swine: Club leader LeAnne Harriman and Rebekah McFarland

Treasure Coast Swine: Club leaders Stephanie Drawdy and Elaine Albritton

STEER

Age Requirements 8-18

Beef Builders: Club leaders Carly Hamrick, LeeAnn Black. Currently not accepting any new Beef Breeding members.

Show Stoppers: Club leaders Danielle King and Jackie Adams. Currently not accepting any new Beef Breeding members.



***Market Steer & Swine Clubs use a Waiting List and Lottery to determine enrollment. For more information on the Waiting List and when it will be archived or how to register for the Lottery contact Terri Zuidema at tzuidema1@ufl.edu**

Beef Breeding may be available in a Steer Club if space allows.

Clubs meet monthly at a minimum in Fort Pierce or at the SLC Fairgrounds

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