



Green Lake County 4-H Leaders' Association

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Dear Friends of Green Lake County 4-H:

4-H empowers young people with the skills to lead for a lifetime. It's a research-based experience that includes a mentor, a hands-on project, and a meaningful leadership opportunity. Based on their interests and guided by adult mentors, youth develop their own pathway in 4-H. There are hands-on, learn-by-doing, opportunities for everyone.

Recently a Green Lake County 4-H'er shared how 4-H has taught him important college and career skills such as communications, critical thinking, and career exploration. This 4-H'er shared "I have gained leadership skills, confidence, and a passion for agriculture. 4-H has played an important role in my life and shown me the many career opportunities that are available in agriculture". Another 4-H'er shared how she learned the importance of serving others, building connections to her community, and practicing citizenship to be actively engaged in her community through her 4-H membership.

These values remind me of the kind gestures and incredible support we receive from our friends, like you. With your help the Green Lake County 4-H Leaders' Association is able to provide funding for a variety of 4-H leadership programs. Your contribution helps give Green Lake County 4-H youth the chance to do with purpose through hands-on learning where they learn by doing, grow from failure and develop the skills they need for 4-H and beyond.

Please take a moment to look over the enclosed brochure where you can learn more about the impact your contribution has and where you can indicate your wish to participate. If you wish to participate, we kindly ask that you please respond by March 31, 2021 to be assured of getting your name on all materials.

Thank you in advance for your consideration and support of Green Lake County 4-H. Your contribution will provide young people the support and encouragement they need to thrive. Let's watch them make the best better!

For questions or more information, please contact Morgan Martinez, Green Lake County Extension 4-H Program Educator, at (920) 294-4032 or morgan.martinez@wisc.edu.

Warm Regards,

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What is 4-H?

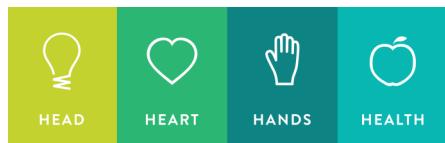
From hands-on exploration to project-based skill building, young people thrive in 4-H clubs, finding their way to success in life and career. We do that by teaching the four H's:

Head—make sound decisions, stick with your goals and develop practical skills.

Heart— act with integrity and accountability.

Hands— put the needs of the community first and commit to serving others.

Health— actively take care of your mind and body.



Our partners help Green Lake County 4-H create engaging, relevant, and hands-on programs for young people to learn important life skills:

- ⇒ Leadership
- ⇒ Teamwork
- ⇒ Critical thinking
- ⇒ Communication

According to the 4-H Study of Positive Youth Development by Tufts University, 4-H Youth are:

- 4x more likely to **make contributions to their communities**
- 2x more likely to be **civically active**
- 2x more likely to make **healthier choices**
- 2x more likely to participate in **STEM programs** during out of school time

Your Support

The Green Lake County 4-H Leaders' Association provides financial resources for youth development through 4-H. Your contribution helps make this dream possible!

Your contribution supports numerous 4-H youth development programs, helps Green Lake County 4-H'ers participate in county, state and national educational experiences, and provides college scholarships to support 4-H youth continuing on to post-secondary education.

If you'd prefer more hands-on giving, consider donating time and talents as a 4-H volunteer. Volunteers help youth learn and practice crucial skills for their success in school, careers, and communities.

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Friends of Green Lake County 4-H Partnership Program



Impact

Your contribution will support 4-H youth participation in a variety of educational experiences.

American Spirit Experience where youth learn about America's heritage and build awareness of the steps taken to gain U.S. independence and freedom.



"I traveled with 4-H'ers from around the state on the American Spirit Trip Experience. I visited Niagara Falls, New York, and Philadelphia. Thanks to the scholarship from the GLC 4-H Leaders' Association I was able

to learn history about our country, see new places, and meet so many people!" - Alexa F.

2019 overnight 4-H Camp for young people grades 3 through 8 with older youth serving leadership roles of camp counselor. 4-H'ers explore hands-on outdoor education, team building challenges, and creative learning opportunities!

"I was granted the opportunity to be a 4-H camp counselor. It was something that I wanted to do because I enjoy working with kids, especially in settings where they may be outside of their normal comfort zone, and camp always provides a unique experience for all... I would encourage others to go to 4-H camp at least once even if you don't have a comfort zone to conquer, there will always be a way you can challenge yourself to be a better person, as a camper, counselor, activity leader, or chaperone."- Alexis D.



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Friends of Green Lake County 4-H

4-H youth are today's greatest resource and tomorrow's future leaders.

Won't you be the one to support growing true leaders for Green Lake County 4-H youth and make a contribution to become a **Friend of Green Lake County 4-H?**

Your support will help to make a positive difference in the lives of our young people.

| | Printed recognition annually in 4-H newsletter <small>(received by all 4-H families; published on 4-H website; shared on GLC 4-H Facebook)</small> | Printed acknowledgment at annual 4-H Awards Ceremony and Leaders Banquet | Name on Green Lake County 4-H website | Name/logo on Green Lake County website with link to corporate website | Announcement on Green Lake County 4-H Facebook and acknowledgement at 4-H graduation ceremony held at County Fair <small>(public event)</small> | Acknowledged as a Platinum friend for National 4-H Week in October |
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| Platinum \$250+ | | | | | | |
| Gold \$200 | | | | | | |
| Silver \$150 | | | | | | |
| Bronze \$100 | | | | | | |
| Green \$50 | | | | | | |

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Join Friends of Green Lake County 4-H

If you would like to become a **Friend of Green Lake County 4-H**, please complete this form and **enclose your gift.**

Make check payable to GLC 4-H Leaders' Association.

_____ **Platinum...** \$250+
 _____ **Gold ...** \$200
 _____ **Silver...** \$150
 _____ **Bronze...** \$100
 _____ **Green...** \$50

Name(s) as you would like it to appear in printed recognition:

Contact person:

Address:

City, State, Zip:

Telephone:

E-mail:

____ Check if you wish for you contribution to be anonymous.

Mail to:

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