



# 4-H NEWS

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## It's 4-H Poinsettia Sale Time!

Poinsettia sales start up this month. Envelopes and order forms will be handed out at 4-H school clubs. Any youth selling 5 or more poinsettias will receive a prize out of the 4-H Prize Vault (pen, headphones or flashlight). Any youth selling 10 or more poinsettias will receive a 4-H water bottle or belt bag. Any youth selling 20 or more will receive a t-shirt and the other prizes. The top 3 sellers in the county will receive cash prizes of \$75, \$50 and \$25 for 1st, 2nd, 3rd place. Please do your best at selling these beautiful flowers to your teachers, family, friends, local churches and businesses as the profits go toward the Todd County 4-H program and the 4-H members!

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## 4-H Poinsettia Sale Prize Vault

**Sell 5**

**Sell 10**

**Sell 20 or more!**

### Sale Guidelines...

- All youth enrolled in Todd County 4-H should try to sell at least 5 poinsettias.
- Money should be collected at the time of sale.
- All money and forms are due to the 4-H office by **Wed., Nov. 13th by 4:15 p.m.**
- Poinsettias sell for **\$12.00 each or buy 2 for \$20.00!**
- Poinsettias must be picked up and delivered on **Thurs. Nov. 21st between 1 p.m.-5 pm** from the 4-H office.

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# 4-H Teen Council News - Join Now!

The next big upcoming teen event is the **Area 4-H Teen Leadership Retreat at 4-H Camp**. This is a weekend trip that will take place on **Oct. 25- 27 at 4-H Camp**. The cost to attend is \$90.00. Any youth between the 8th—12th grade may attend. Forms are available from the Todd County Extension Office and are **due by Friday, Oct. 4th**.

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The next **4-H Teen Council Meeting** is set for **Tues. Oct. 22 at 4-H office from 3:15—4 p.m.** Come on out for a fun mtg!

The **4-H Teen Club at school will meet on Oct. 4th** during 6th period. The newly elected 4-H officers will preside:

### 4-H Teen Club Officers

**Pres. Ryan Oden,**  
**V.P. Ez Whitaker,**  
**Sec. —Meredith Carter,**  
**Treas.—Lizzy Langley.**

**Winter 4-H Ski Trip** - the annual 4-H ski trip is coming in January or February. Be sure to attend any 4-H Teen Council meeting this fall, sell 5 poinsettias and get involved in a 4-H club or activity!



## 4-H Middle School Club



The 4-H Middle School Club is meeting at school during last period on every fourth Friday in the cafeteria. The next meeting will be on **October 25th**. If you haven't turned in your enrollment form, do so by Friday to Ms. Ellie's office in the YSC room. There are so many opportunities for middle schoolers in the Todd County 4-H program!



### 4-H Elementary School Clubs

North & South Todd 4-H School Clubs will meet in October on the following days:

South Todd 4th & 5th - Oct. 23rd  
1:15 - 2:15 p.m.

North Todd 4th & 5th - Oct. 4th  
8:40—10:15 a.m.

The newly elected officers will preside over the meeting with the 4-H Poinsettia Fundraiser kick off and we'll end with a fun leadership activity.

## 4-H Shooting Sports—State Champs

The Todd County 4-H Shooting Sports team traveled to the State 4-H Shoot in September and brought home 47+ trophies from the state: one individual state champ, 2 reserve champs, 1 3rd place individual, and 11 state champ teams.

The 4-H shooting sports awards banquet is set for **November 7th** at the Todd County Extension Office at 5:30 p.m., meal at 6 p.m.. (awards to follow). Everyone who attended the state shoot will receive a 1/4 zip pullover. If you didn't attend state, but shot with the team all season, plan to attend the banquet celebration!

Congratulations to Will Tabor, 4-H Shooting Sports member for making the National 4-H Shooting Sports team. He will be traveling to Nebraska next June to shoot in the national archery event! Congratulations Will!





# Horse Club Meeting this Month! Monday, Oct. 14th



The **4-H Horse Club** will meet on **Monday, October 14th from 6-8 p.m.** at the home/barn of Matt & Elin Pitts (Melmsgard Performance Horses (near Allensville) at 4591 James Rose Road, Olmstead. Todd County 4-H Horse Club is joining with Logan County 4-H Horse club for this meeting. You don't have to own a horse to attend, but if you have a horse be sure to bring it for horse games and a lesson on horse training. Any 4th - 12th grader is welcome! Chili will be served! If you are not currently on the remind list, text 81010 and put @mchors in the text to join. Officer elections will take place at the November meeting.



## 4-H Outdoor Cooking Day Camp



Todd County 4-H is offering an outdoor cooking day camp for 4th - 12th graders on **Monday, November 4th** at the Todd County Extension Office from 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. 4-H'ers will prepare and cook their own snacks and lunch for the day. The cost to participate is \$10, so come by the 4-H office to sign up no later than Oct. 25th. Spots are limited so don't delay! Call the office at 270-265-5659 to sign up! Come by to fill out paperwork and pay the class fee!



# 4-H After School Creative Arts Clubs!



The Todd County 4-H After School Creative Arts clubs will meet this month at **South Todd and North Todd**. Creative arts clubs are for 3rd - 5th at the Elementary Schools. Todd County 4-H partners with the Family Resource Center so be sure to sign up with your FRC in your school if you plan

to attend. All the supplies will be provided. Any 4-H projects made through out the year can be entered in the 4-H fair and sent on to represent Todd County 4-H at the KY State Fair ! North Todd will be doing no sew pillows this month, while South Todd will be doing a leather craft!

### 4-H Creative Arts Club Schedule:

Tues. Oct. 23rd	South Todd 3-4:15 p.m.
Thurs. Oct. 24th	North Todd 3-4:15 p.m.

It's time to apply for 4-H camp staff this summer. Go to this link to apply:

<https://4-h.ca.uky.edu/4-h-camp-jobs>

You can make a difference in the lives of youth and get paid, all while making memories of a lifetime!

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County Extension Agent for  
4-H Youth Development



# Important 4-H Dates to Remember

Oct. 7-11	National 4-H Week
Oct. 2	4-H Cloverbud Meeting—4-H office 3-5 p.m.
Oct. 4	4-H Teen Club Mtg. at the High School
Oct. 4	4-H Teen Retreat Forms Due to the 4-H office
Oct. 4	North Todd 4-H School Clubs
Oct. 7-11	Fall Break
Oct. 14	4-H Horse Club Mtg. - Pitt's Barn—6:00—8:00 p.m.
Oct. 22	4-H Teen Council Meeting - 3:15 - 4 p.m. 4-H office
Oct. 23	South Todd 4-H School Clubs—1:15 - 2:15 p.m.
Oct. 23	South Todd 4-H Creative Arts Club, 3:15- 4:15 p.m.
Oct. 24	North Todd 4-H Creative Arts Club, 3:15 - 4:15 p.m.
Oct. 25	TCMS 4-H School Club - 2:15 p.m. Cafeteria
Oct. 25-27	Area 4-H Teen Retreat—West KY 4-H Camp
Oct. 28	Trunk or Treat at TCCHS
Oct. 29	4-H/FCS Homeschool Club Mtg. 9-11 a.m. 4-H office
Nov. 4	4-H Outdoor Cooking Day Camp (Call to register)
Nov. 4-5	No School—Election Day Holidays
Nov. 7	4-H Shooting Sports Banquet - 4-H Office - 5:30 p.m.
Nov. 12	4-H Livestock Club Banquet - 4-H Office - 6 p.m.

## It's National 4-H Week - Oct. 7-11!

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