

eClover: Darke County 4-H News**December 7, 2018**

Enrollment packets for 2019 are available to be picked up at your convenience. During 2019 we will be transitioning to online 4-H enrollment, but will still be using paper forms. Several clubs attended a training and have volunteered to pilot online enrollment during 2019 to help us identify glitches and ways to improve the process.

Here's what's happening:

1. **2019 Darke County 4-H Youth Development Calendar** has been posted to the web. Mark your calendars now so you don't miss out on the excitement! <https://darke.osu.edu/program-areas/4-h-youth-development/2019-darke-county-4-h-youth-development-calendar>
2. **Volunteer/Club Updates:** ALL Darke County 4-H Volunteers must attend one of the upcoming update meetings in order to be approved to serve as a 4-H volunteer in 2019. These dates are available on the 2019 calendar. Spots are filled on a first-come, first-served basis. For now, contact our office to preregister (required). An alternative method to preregister may be coming soon.
3. **Volunteer Fingerprint Rescreening:** Letters have gone out to volunteers who are scheduled to be fingerprinted for 2019. **You have until December 31, 2018 to complete the process.** Thank you to those who have already complied!
4. **Give the gift of 4-H Camp:** Looking for a gift for the 4-Her who has everything? Why not give them the gift of 4-H Camp?!? Check out the website for details: <https://darke.osu.edu/program-areas/4-h-youth-development/2019-darke-county-4-h-camp> (scroll down to the last paragraph on the page)
5. **Darke County 4-H has a blog!** Check it out at <https://u.osu.edu/darke4h/> You can also subscribe to receive email updates once a week. Simply enter your email address in the *Subscribe by Email* block on the left hand side of the page.
6. **New officer books** will be posted to the website on February 1. If that's too late for your club, continue to use the current books that are available on the officer book website. <https://ohio4h.org/families/members/officer-resources>
7. **2019 Family Guides** are now available from our office. Or, you can view the Family Guide online: <https://ohio4h.org/familyguide>

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8. **County Medal Forms** are now available. Completed applications are due to the Extension Office by 4:30pm on Friday, January 18, 2019. See the website for details.
<https://darke.osu.edu/program-areas/4-h-youth-development/darke-county-4-h-county-medal-application-0>
9. **Darke County 4-H Volunteer Application packet:** can be obtained in hard copy from our office or via the website: <https://darke.osu.edu/program-areas/4-h-youth-development/2019-darke-county-4-h-volunteer-application-information> Completed applications are due to the Extension Office by February 15, 2019.

Have a safe and joyous holiday season!