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## Taylor County 4-H

**Taylor County Plat Books: Helpers needed to put together Plat Books** The Taylor County Plat Book is ready for groups to come in and put them together. The Plat Book is one of Taylor County 4-H's largest fundraisers, so your help is needed! Each Plat Book made makes \$3 for your group. Please contact the UW-Extension office at 715-748-3327 x 4 or 9 to let Sasha or Cathy know your group will be coming in so they can set up the materials for you. Leaders can now pick up books to distribute to businesses.

**Medford and Gilman Cloverbud Day Camp! July 7** A fun camp is being planned for 4-H Cloverbuds (those who just graduated grades K-2) on July 7! The first session will be at the UW-Extension Office from 9-11 am and the second session will be held at the Gilman Senior Center from 2-4 pm. Youth and adult leaders will be needed to help make both camps successful! Registration: Interested youth/adult leaders please register at the following sign up form AND parents/guardians can register their children or a group at the form also: [Cloverbud Day Camp Registration](#) or call Sasha at 715-748-1981.

**Diamond Lake 4-H Potluck** Join the Diamond Lakers 4-H Club on Thursday, July 13 at 5 pm at the Diamond Lake County Park for a 4-H potluck, there will be games for the kids! Please bring a dish to pass and RSVP for planning purposes at [4-H Potluck RSVP](#) by July 6.

**Record Books** Start keeping your records now! You can [learn more](#) and/or request your record book [here](#). Once record books are requested they will be available within one week, unless contacted by the UW-Extension Office. Books that are not collected by members from the UW-Extension office will be distributed to club leaders or representatives. **Record Book Work Day** Please RSVP by July 6 at 715-748-1981 if you plan to attend the **Record Book Work Day** on July 13 from 12-1 at the UW-Extension office and/or at Diamond Lake Park from 3:30-4:30 before the 4-H Potluck.

**Taylor County Fair Work Days** Summer is here and the Taylor County Fair Board would love to see volunteers to help in preparation for the fair that everyone is looking forward to. Please call or text Tim Hobl at 715-965-0200 with any questions. The Fair Board has established the following dates as work days:

- Friday, July 28th 1-4 pm - fair set up.
- Saturday, July 29 8-11 am - fair set up.
- Monday, August 7 8 - 11 am fair clean up.

**1 Adult/Youth Volunteers Needed for Commodity Carnival at Fair** The Commodity Carnival increases public understanding of the enormous value of agriculture commodities, highlights what it takes to manage business risks when taking commodities to market, and improves agriculture literacy across the nation. Commodity Carnival participants produce a commodity (i.e., steers) and sell it with a fun and educational game. A booth is set up at the county fair that gives fairgoers the opportunity to play the game and learn about agriculture. We will need one older youth and one adult advisor to man the booth (6-8 hours) on Saturday during the fair. It is a great leadership opportunity and fun for everyone. If you are interested in seeing how the activity works, there are videos that show Commodity Carnival in action. One was shot at Wisconsin State Fair and another at Dane County Fair. The link is: <http://www.cmegroup.com/education/4-h.html>. Please contact Sasha at 715-748-1981 or [sasha.busjahn@ces.uwex.edu](mailto:sasha.busjahn@ces.uwex.edu) if you would be interested in helping.

**Are you planning to show one or more of your animals at the fair this year?** Make sure you are aware of all of the requirements for the animals you plan to bring to the fair with DATCP's [Animal Health Regulations for Fairs and Shows in Wisconsin: 2017 Season](#).

**Taylor County Fair Manager** The Taylor County Fair is still looking for a Fair Manager! Do you or someone you know have a passion for our mission accompanied with great business sense? If so, consider this opportunity!

Mission of the Fair Board: Making the Taylor County Fair the destination/event where youth and families want to be! To create life-long memories and to learn leadership and life skills.

View job duties at <https://goo.gl/MU8jLd> To apply: email [witaylorcountyfair@gmail.com](mailto:witaylorcountyfair@gmail.com) and attach a resume and letter of application or call 715-965-2533 for more details. Applicants must be 18 years old and above. Salary will be negotiated during hiring process based on experience. See more information at the Taylor County Fair Facebook Page at

<https://www.facebook.com/TaylorCountyFair/>.

**Growing Entrepreneurial Skills Summer Program** Youth in grades 6-8 are invited to participate in a summer long class that will involve learning how to become an entrepreneur by growing a garden and working with local businesses, the Food Pantry and the Farmers Market. View the calendar for this course at [Growing Entrepreneurship Skills Calendar](#). Please let the UW-Extension Office know if you will be attending for planning purposes at 715-748-1981.

**4-H Charter Renewal Forms Available** Club Leaders, want to get your charter done now and not have to worry about it later? Clubs can start working on their charters now, and starting July 1 could have them complete with the financial piece. Reminder that charters are due October 6 this year. If you have any questions, let Sasha know. Find all of the forms at <http://fyi.uwex.edu/wi4hvolunteers/clubs-and-groups/charters/>.

**Taylor County 4-H Seeking Shooting Sports Project Leaders** Currently the Taylor County 4-H program is seeking more 4-H Shooting Sports Leaders to be able to hold project meetings again. Please contact Sasha at 715-748-1981 or Kami at 715-560-0868 to learn about the requirements if you are interested!  
<http://fyi.uwex.edu/wi4hshootingssp.../certification-workshops/>

## Taylor County 4-H Resources

Taylor County UW-Extension Website: <http://taylor.uwex.edu/>

Taylor County 4-H Newsletters: <http://taylor.uwex.edu/4-h/newsletters/>

4HOnline: <https://www.4honline.com/>

Taylor County 4-H Facebook Page: <https://www.facebook.com/4h.taylorcounty/>

Taylor County 4-H information Google folder: [https://drive.google.com/folderview?id=0B3JY2K\\_4CFh8U0ZvWUI1SWVXVXc&usp=sharing](https://drive.google.com/folderview?id=0B3JY2K_4CFh8U0ZvWUI1SWVXVXc&usp=sharing)

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## Wisconsin State 4-H

**Cedar Crest Ice Cream Flavor Contest 2017** Cedar Crest Ice Cream and the Wisconsin 4-H Foundation have teamed up to present a Create an Ice Cream Flavor Contest. The contest is open to all Wisconsin 4-H members. Entries are due to Cedar Crest Ice Cream no later than October 1, 2017.

**Who:** All 4-H members in the State of Wisconsin

**What:** Develop and name an ice cream flavor

**When:** Entries must be submitted to Cedar Crest Ice Cream no later than October 1, 2017, via the [online entry form](#) or email.

**How:** Submit entries using the [online form](#). Or you can [click here](#) to download the [entry form](#). Forms can be emailed to [kay.schmit@cedarcresticecream.com](mailto:kay.schmit@cedarcresticecream.com).

### Entries must include:

- Entry Name
- Entry Description (see descriptions below for examples)
- Club Name
- Club County
- Club Leader Name
- Club Leader Address
- Club Leader Phone Number
- Club Leader Email Address
- Photos, drawings or stories about the development of the flavor may be included with the entry, but are not required. These items may be used by Cedar Crest and the 4-H Foundation for promotional purposes.

The winning club will receive a Cedar Crest Ice Cream Party and a \$300 prize. In addition, the winning flavor will be produced in 2018 and featured on all materials announcing the 2018 Feature Flavor line-up for the year.

Some past feature flavors include:

**Big Muddy** – Dark Chocolate flavored Ice Cream with a Caramel Swirl and Brownie pieces  
**Udder Delight** – Vanilla ice cream with chocolate-covered waffle cone pieces, fudge

ribbon and peanut butter cups

**Shipwreck** – Vanilla ice cream with a sea salt caramel ribbon and candied almond splinters

**Jumping Jersey Cow** – Peanut butter flavored ice cream blended with chocolate-coated caramel mini cows and swirled with chocolate fudge

**Elephant Tracks** – Pieces of peanut butter cups and chocolate swirled in chocolate ice cream

*When creating your entry, remember that winning entries make use of ingredients that are readily available.*

\*All entries into the Cedar Crest Ice Cream Flavor contest become the sole property of Cedar Crest Ice Cream. Any images, descriptions, photos or other material submitted as part of the contest may be used at the discretion of Cedar Crest Ice Cream and the 4-H Foundation for promotional purposes.

### **Wisconsin 4-H Resources**

Wisconsin 4-H Youth Development UW-Extension Website: <http://4h.uwex.edu/>

Wisconsin State 4-H Trips: <https://fyi.uwex.edu/wi4hedopp/>

4HOnline: <https://www.4honline.com/> or <https://wi.4honline.com/Login.aspx?403D4045547A474E6832424D4A6F3D>

Wisconsin 4-H Youth Development 4-H Facebook Page: <https://www.facebook.com/wisconsin4h/?fref=ts>

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## **United States National 4-H**

### **National 4-H Resources**

National 4-H Council Website: <http://4-h.org/>

National 4-H Council 4-H Facebook Page: <https://www.facebook.com/4-h>

Sincerely,

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