

# LOOKING FOR AN ALL-IN-ONE ACTIVITY?



## JOIN THE CLUB

[www.JoinKansas4-H.org](http://www.JoinKansas4-H.org)



- YOUR KIDS WANT A GARDEN, BUT YOU HAVE A BROWN THUMB?
- CURIOUS HOW RABBITS AIR-CONDITION THEMSELVES?
- LOVE HORSES, BUT LIVE IN TOWN?
- COOKING UP A STORM RESULTS IN A KITCHEN TORNADO?
- KIDS JUST CONVINCED YOU TO GET A PET?
- DREAM OF CLONING YOURSELF TO BE THREE PLACES AT ONCE?



### What's the point of 4-H?

Great kids are those that exemplify the four H's, and our mission is to make that happen.

**HEAD** — Make sound decisions, set goals and stick with them until they are achieved, and have practical skills needed to lead a productive and fulfilling life.

**HEART** — Act with integrity and accountability, and help others become their best.

**HANDS** — Put the needs of the community before those of themselves, and serve others.

**HEALTH** — Actively take care of their minds and bodies.



### How does 4-H work?

#### *Join a club!*

4-H clubs are group of families/volunteers who generally meet monthly. These meetings give youth opportunities to share their project work (speak), plan community service activities, and practice running meetings. They have many "sub-clubs" for individual projects, led by adults or teens within the club.

#### *Undertake projects.*

Members choose from a wide range of individual projects, based on their interests and the availability of a knowledgeable adult in the community to serve as a mentor/leader (matching facilitated through clubs). Through these projects, members set goals, learn the skills needed to achieve goals, and exhibit/demonstrate their skills at events like county fairs, speaking contests and other competitions.

### Below is a sampling of projects.

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|---------------------|-----------------------|
| Clothing & Textiles | Plant Science         |
| Dog Care & Training | Rabbits               |
| Electricity         | Reading               |
| Foods & Nutrition   | Robotics/Rocketry/GPS |
| Geology             | Shooting Sports       |
| Horse               | Small Engines         |
| Leadership          | Visual Arts & Crafts  |
| Pets                | Wildlife              |
| Photography         | Woodworking           |



# LIFE'S LITTLE QUESTIONS

Life's little questions aren't meant to be answered alone. Join 4-H – the club of families who share in teaching kids practical things like pet care, growing gardens or identifying rocks and important values like responsibility.

Whether you're in the city or boonies, join 4-H and we'll tackle life's little questions together.



## 2015-2016 Dickinson County 4-H Clubs and Organizational Leaders

### ABILENE CHALLENGERS

Jennifer Hasenbank 785- 598-2332  
Meeting Place: Emmanuel Church, Abilene

### CHAPMAN SHAMROCKS

Katie Wieters 785- 922-6423  
Kim Roberts 785- 223-3308  
Meeting Place: Chapman Elementary

### DETROIT RAMBLERS

Jennifer Elliott 785-280-2772  
Lindsey Overturf 785-200-518  
Meeting Place: Enterprise City Library

### FRAGRANT HILLTOPPERS

Sherry Reinhardt 785-761-2742  
Meeting Place: Blue Ridge School

### HOLLAND SUNFLOWERS

Laura Hoffman 785-479-5573  
Meeting Place: Rural Center School

### JOLLY JAYHAWKERS

Rebecca Dibben 785-257-3589  
Charlotte Barten 785-257-3339  
Meeting Place: United Methodist Fellowship Hall,  
Woodbine

### LYON PROSPECTORS

Angie Stika 785-983-4481  
Meeting Place: United Methodist Church, Herington

### MT. AYR GO-GETTERS

Kam Sandow 785-366-7815  
Meeting Place: Hope Methodist Church Basement

### NAVARRE BOOSTERS

Shawna Riffel 785-479-1896  
Meeting Place: Navarre Community Center

### NEWBERN WIDEAWAKES

Ashley Shively 785-949-2439  
Jennifer Dobbs 337-353-5006  
Meeting Place: Rural Center School

### SOLOMON WRANGLERS

Kurt Kohman 785-280-1043  
Meeting Place: Presbyterian or Catholic Church,  
Solomon

### WILLOWDALE

Jody Ehrich 785-263-3706  
Meeting Place: Sterl Hall, Abilene

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