

# **4-H NEWSFLASH** February 2017



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FEB	9	Superior Days Meeting – Superior Middle School (5:00-7:00 p.m.)
	12	Winter Fun Day-Sledding
	13	Leaders Meeting-Northwestern High School (6:30 p.m.)
	20	UW-Extension Office Closed for President's Day
	21-22	Superior Days – Madison
MAR	10	4-H Junior Camp Staff Applications Deadline
	27	Douglas County 4-H Horse Association Meeting –
		Youth Building (6:00 p.m.)
	TBD	WI Dog Agility Workshop Forms Due
	TBD 31	

# 12TH ANNUAL SPAGHETTI DINNER AND SILENT AUCTION

**Douglas County Beef Improvement Association** 





Sponsoring 4-H/FFA Youth Livestock Projects

- Saturday, February 25, 2017 **NORTHWESTERN** • LARGE Silent **HIGH SCHOOL** US Hwy 2
- Auction • (1) \$100.00
- (2) \$50.00
- Door Prizes
- Meat Tray Raffles
- Dinner 4:00 p.m.—7:00 p.m.

Silent Auction 4:00 p.m.—6:30 p.m. (Must be able to settle on items at the close of the auction)

Maple, WI

FOOD DRIVE-Support the local food shelf and bring a nonperishable food item DONATION: \$5.00 Ages 5 and under ..... FREE

## THANK YOU TO ALL SPONSORS!!!

<b>ATTENTION 4-H MEMBERS</b>
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Did you have a good time at Junior Camp as a camper?

Interested in developing your leadership skills?

Would you like to put something on college and job applications that will help you get noticed?

If you answered Yes to any of these questions, apply to be a camp counselor for Junior Camp 2017!

Applications are being mailed to all eligible members.

## No applications will be accepted after March 10, 2017.

If we do not have enough applicants we will ask Douglas County adult volunteers and 4-H youth from other counties to chaperone cabins.

Junior Camp is July 28 - 30 at Leisure Lake. See you there!







Douglas County UWEX 1313 Belknap Street Courthouse Room 107 Superior, WI 54880



Douglas County 4-H Partners with the United Way

#### Winter Family Fun Day!

The annual Winter Family Fun day will be held on February 12, 2:00—4:00 p.m. at the same sledding hill off of the Nemadji Golf Course as we went last year. We will also meet at Vintage Italian Pizza restaurant following and pizza will be provided by the Leaders Association. Last year everyone had a great time sliding down and got a good workout walking back up! Hope to see everyone there!! **Please RSVP Cheryl at 715-395-1363 by February 9th.** Date may be changed due to bad weather or icy conditions. Check email and Facebook beforehand.



**Volunteer Background Checks** are redone by UW-Extension every 4 years, and the next batch will be reviewed February 6-April 14. Volunteers whose checks were last done in 2013 will soon receive an email with instructions to go online to update their information and authorize another background check. Please be on the lookout for this email and follow through as soon as possible. Failure to do so will result in removal from our group and its insurance coverage. Thank you!!

#### State Fair Dairy Promotion Board Scholarships Available

The Wisconsin State Fair Dairy Promotion Board is offering \$1,000 scholarships, for use during the 2017-18 school year, to third and fourth-year college students pursuing dairy-related or food science degrees at one of Wisconsin's four-year universities. Additional \$1,000 scholarships will offered to high school seniors planning to pursue a dairy-related or food science degree at one of Wisconsin's four-year universities or students studying in a two-year, technical school program related to dairy or food science. Applicants will be evaluated on involvement and leadership in dairy-related activities, scholastic achievement, and career objectives. Finalists will be interviewed in mid-April, with the recipients to be recognized at the 2017 Wisconsin State Fair. The application is available at <a href="http://wistatefair.com/competitions/dairy-promo-board/">http://wistatefair.com/competitions/dairy-promo-board/</a>.