

Milwaukee County 4-H Leaders Council Newsletter

November 2016



The Milwaukee County 4-H Fair was held the last weekend of September at Makers Faire in the Expo Building at State Fair Park. Several clubs held workshops, like making plaster animal tracks and doing various nature-related crafts. The award winners are shown below, **Great Job Everyone!**

ART EXHIBIT AWARDS

Kayla Kessler – Colored Pencil Drawing
Lucia Martinez – Acrylic Painting

PHOTO EXHIBIT AWARDS

Krystal Schille – Photo of Young Girl with Glasses
Leena Meyers – Photo of Violin Player

STATE FAIR AWARDS

Dominique Mauhar – Model Horse Harness Driving
Ethan Schille – Lego Creation
George Schille – Lego Creation
Krystal Schille – Family Activity Photo Collage
Maya Theune-Baillargeon – Day of the Dead Metal Relief
Maya Theune-Baillargeon – Dream Catcher
Maya Theune-Baillargeon – “Smile” Watercolor
Megan Theune-Baillargeon
– Ms. Brooks Dream House Architectural Drawings
Rebecca Jeske – Ceramic Vase
Zachery Mueller – Glass Butterfly

GRAND CHAMPION AWARDS

Danielle Mauhar – Floral Arrangement
Leena Meyers – Photo of Violin Player
Maya Theune-Baillargeon – Day of the Dead Metal Relief
Megan Theune-Baillargeon – Pumpkin
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– Ms. Brooks Dream House Architectural Drawings
Team Award: Lucy Bogenschneider, Kayla Kessler
and Travis Kessler – Archery Diorama

SPECIAL MERIT AWARDS

Lucia Martinez – Painting
Rebecca Jeske – Ceramic Vase
Rebecca Jeske – Sailboat done with Quilling
Rebecca Jeske – Squirrels
Talia Bartosch – Homemade Book
Zachery Mueller – Collection of Animal Furs

CINDY O. MEMORIAL AWARD

George Schille – Christmas Photo



Upcoming Events:

Holiday Party and Awards Program

Sunday, December 11, 2016
2:00 to 6:30 pm — UWEX Office
9501 West Watertown Plank Road
featuring: craft making, award presentations to 4-H members, leaders and supporters, live Birds of Prey show from the Schlitz Audubon Center, dinner, silent auction, 50/50 raffle, cookie sale and door prizes. Everyone is invited to come and enjoy this fun and educational event!

Art Day

Saturday, January 21, 2017
We are looking for instructors to do an activity with 4-H members. Please let us know if you would be interested.

Model Horse Show

Saturday, January 28, 2017
Gonzaga Hall—St. Aloysius Parish
We are looking for volunteers to help out with this event.

Elvis Fundraiser

Saturday, February 18, 2017
Gonzaga Hall—St. Aloysius Parish

Communication Arts Festival

Saturday, February 25, 2017
UWEX Office

County Rummage Sale

March 25-26, 2017—UWEX Office

Music and Drama Festival

April 8, 2017—UWEX Office

4-H Exploring Saturdays Schedule

October 1 — Tie Pillows

November 19 — Making Holiday Appetizers
(Rescheduled from Nov 5)

December 3 — Creating Your Own Holiday Cards

January 7 — Learning about Archery and Wildlife

February 4 — Valentine Craft

March 4 — A Rock Study

April 10 — Cake Decorating

May 6 — Planting Flowers

Held at the UWEX Office
10:00 am to 12:00 pm

The 4-H Leaders Council Board Meetings are held the second Monday of each month at the UWEX office from 6:30 to 8:30 pm. We welcome any suggestions that you may have. You are invited to attend a meeting or email us at Milwaukee4H@yahoo.com.

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4-H Open House

The Open House was held on Saturday, October 23, 2016. Youth members and adult volunteers were available to show visitors how to make tie pillows, decorate clover-shaped cookies and challenged them to try and float as many pennies as possible on a boat they created from aluminum foil.



The afternoon was a lot of fun and a few new families may be interested in joining a 4-H Club.



Thank you to everyone who helped out at the 4-H fair held the last weekend of September at Maker Faire in the Expo Building at State Fair Park. We very much appreciate your time and talents with setup, judging, workshops, community outreach, take down and everything else. Our event was a success due to the commitment of our volunteers — THANK YOU!!!