

4-H Saskatchewan

Annual Report

2019



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Our Mission

Saskatchewan 4-H is a project-based community youth organization. We are dedicated to the growth and development of our members, leaders, volunteers and staff through our motto: “Learn To Do By Doing.”

Vision

We take pride and ownership in being an organization based on our pledge, our values and our belief that the power of the 4-H experience has a positive impact on individuals, families, communities and our country.

With a focus on fun and learning we provide opportunities that will develop skills needed in an ever-changing future. Using the talents and energies of our members, volunteers and staff, we create innovative ideas and programs as well as maintain our successful traditional ones. We work to spread the impact of 4-H, to help the youth of today become the leaders of tomorrow.

Core Values

We respect the importance of family and our 4-H traditions by upholding all of these core values:

- **Honour and Integrity:** Treating one another respectfully and fairly
- **Responsibility:** Being dependable and accountable for our actions
- **Cooperation:** Working as a team to achieve our goals
- **Fun:** Creating positive and enjoyable experiences

We do this within a safe and caring environment.

4-H Pledge

I Pledge...

My **Head** to clearer thinking,
My **Heart** to greater loyalty,
My **Hands** to larger service,
My **Health** to better living,
for my Club, my Community, my Country and my World.

About 4-H in Saskatchewan

In Saskatchewan, the 4-H program is administered by the Saskatchewan 4-H Council. The entire council meets once per year at the Annual General Meeting (AGM), where a board of directors and advisory council are elected. The council, through its board of directors, advisory council and committees, determines policies and programs at the provincial level. The Saskatchewan 4-H Council employs and, by way of the executive directors, directs a 4-H staff team.

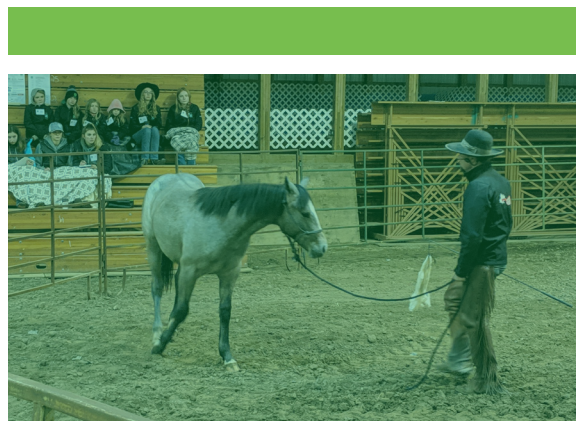
Yearly Themes

Each membership year, 4-H Saskatchewan picks a theme around one of the 4-H Canada Leadership Development pillars. The programming planned throughout the year will reflect this theme, from contest and challenges, to activities members participate in at provincial events.

The 2018/19 theme was For My Club, My Community and My Country, based around the Communication & Community Engagement pillar. The 2019/20 theme is 4-H, Food and Me, which is based around the Agriculture & Food Security pillar.

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Special Greetings

Government of Saskatchewan Greetings

On behalf of the Government of Saskatchewan and the Ministry of Agriculture, it is an honour to congratulate 4-H on another successful year of providing development opportunities to youth in our province.

For over a century, 4-H has been a strong presence in rural Saskatchewan. Many leaders in our communities took part in 4-H, either as members or mentors through the program. Your core values of leadership, responsibility, and giving back are essential to keeping our communities strong.

Developing young leaders is critical to maintaining a thriving agriculture industry and having these leaders recognize the role they play in maintaining the public's trust is key. Our food has a story and your organization's presence across the province helps tell it.

Your passion for helping youth realize their potential is a big part of our industry's success. We commend your commitment to this work.

I look forward to seeing what you have in store across the province in this new decade and many years to come. Best wishes for a successful 2020.



A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Dave Marit".

Dave Marit
Minister of Agriculture



Board of Directors' President Greetings

I have enjoyed my first year of my second term as president. It was a very busy year in the 4-H world, both provincially and nationally, and I am grateful to be surrounded by supportive people on all levels of the organization.

I have embraced the rewards and challenges faced by the Board of Directors and have great respect for the procedures, which keep the organization running smoothly. I have met fantastic 4-H members, leaders, parents and sponsors and I am proud of all the work they do for the 4-H program.

I have attended many events this year. I went to Provincial Public Speaking, which was hosted in Lancer in the South West region. They did an excellent job organizing the event and the speakers were awesome. We sent the senior and intermediate winners to the Canadian Young Speakers for Agriculture again this year.

Provincial Curling was held in Tisdale in the North East region. They also did an excellent job hosting. The members had a great weekend and there was a lot of terrific curling. I also attended the Provincial Judging Competition held in the South East region in Moosomin. They hosted an excellent weekend for the members. In addition, the provincial camps were a great hit again and the 4-H members and counsellors who attended had a fantastic time.

We, as a Board of Directors, took on many projects this year. With the new changes from 4-H Canada, we had to change some policies and take some training for all leaders to protect the youth and the future of 4-H. The board worked tirelessly on these and I would like to give them a big thank you for their hard work and dedication to the 4-H program.

The 4-H Canada Leadership Summit was held in Ottawa in 2020 and we sent a few to representatives from Saskatchewan. At the summit, leaders and board members from all across Canada went to great workshops and listened to guest speakers to help keep 4-H strong and relevant across Canada.

I would like to thank the staff, board members, Advisory Council, Ambassadors and the executive director, Cera Youngson, for all the hard work they have done this past year. I would like to commend our sponsors for their generosity to the 4-H program. I am overwhelmed by the continued support from these sponsors and I cannot express how fortunate we are to work with people who see the great value of our program. Thank you to the Saskatchewan 4-H Foundation, which keeps 4-H alive by spreading funds all across our province. This is a balancing act, which is hard to manage, but is such an asset to us all.

I would like to recognize the dedication and the endless work of our many leaders and parents across this great province. With all the changes from year to year, your determination and dedication always impresses me and encourages me to be a better leader and board member. It is impossible to continue the program without the commitment of all the volunteers, so thank you!

Finally, I want to applaud our members. Without you, the 4-H program would not go on. The skills you acquire, the knowledge you obtain and the friendships you develop will be with you for the rest of your lives. Congratulations to all members who represented 4-H Saskatchewan at competitions this year.

As 4-H continues, we want to remember to keep traditions alive, but embrace new adventures in our program as 4-H continues to grow in Saskatchewan, Canada, and the world. I would like to thank you all for the incredible year and cannot wait for the upcoming year.



A handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to read "Glenn Gress".

Glenn Gress
President, 4-H Saskatchewan

Saskatchewan 4-H Council

Board of Directors

The Board of Directors consists of three leader representatives from each of the four regions, two 18-yr-old member representatives, the Executive Director, and a representative from the Saskatchewan Ministry of Agriculture. The role of the Board of Directors is to set the direction and policy of the 4-H program. They contribute to defining the organization's Mission, Vision and Core Values and governing their fulfillment.



Back row: Cera Youngson, Brittany Stepp, Clint Panter, Tammy Rumpel, Mike Kirzinger, Nora Schock, Alvin Pawlitza, Glenn Gress, Annaleigh LeBruno, Leah Clark. Front row: Tara Malinowski, Kati Culbertson, Emily Letendre, Cameron Choquette, Leslie Penner.

2019 Board of Directors

Leader Delegates:

North West:

- Cameron Choquette
- Annaleigh LeBruno
- Clint Panter

North East:

- Mike Kirzinger
- Tara Malinowski
- Leslie Penner

South West:

- Stan Figley
- Nora Schock
- Alvin Pawlitza

South East:

- Glenn Gress
- Tammy Rumpel
- Brittany Stepp

18-plus Year Old Delegates:

- Kati Culbertson
- Emily Letendre

Ministry of Agriculture:

- Leah Clark

Executive Director:

- Cera Youngson

Board of Director Committees

Executive Officers

- **Glenn Gress**, President
- **Tammy Rumpel**, Vice President
- **Cameron Choquette**, Secretary



Governance Committee

Responsible for insuring the board fulfils its responsibility to govern, oversee policy and direction and assist with the leadership of the Council.

Tammy Rumpel (chair), Glenn Gress (EO), Cera Youngson (EO), Cameron Choquette, Leah Clark, Stan Figley, Mike Kirzinger, Tara Malinowski,

Program Policy Committee

Advise and recommend policy development and review to the board in all matters relating to provincial 4-H policy and procedure development, implementation and enforcement, as well as to educate through communication and interpretation of policies.

Annaleigh LeBruno (chair), Glenn Gress (EO), Cera Youngson (EO), Emily Letendre, Mike Kirzinger, Tara Malinowski, Tammy Rumpel, Nora Schock, Brittany Stepp

Selections

Reviews and coordinates the selection process for scholarships, leader travel, adult chaperones and member travel.

Nora Schock (chair), Glenn Gress (EO), Cera Youngson (EO), Alvin Pawlitza, Annaleigh LeBruno, Emily Letendre, Clint Panter, Kati Culbertson, Leslie Penner, Brittany Stepp

Finance

Assists the Board in fulfilling its financial responsibilities by ensuring sound financial procedures are in place.

Alvin Pawlitza (chair), Glenn Gress (EO), Cera Youngson (EO), Leah Clark, Cameron Choquette, Stan Figley, Clint Panter, Leslie Penner, Kati Culbertson

4-H Canada Youth Advisory Committee

The Youth Advisory Committee (YAC) is made up of one senior 4-H representative from each 4-H organization across Canada, allowing a youth voice to be part of program development and the decision-making processes of 4-H at the national level through 4-H Canada.

Brett Rumpel of the Longlaketon Multiple 4-H Club in the South East Region is serving her second year as the Saskatchewan Member Representative on the YAC.



Member Advisory Council

Youth Advisors bring the opinions and ideas of 4-H Saskatchewan members to the 4-H Saskatchewan Council.

The Member Advisory Council is made up of one leader representative and the two member delegates from the Board of Directors, the 4-H Canada Youth Advisory Committee delegate from Saskatchewan, and one Member Advisor from each of the four regions:



North West

Summer Norman

North East

Rebecca Fitzsimmons

South West

Adrianna Simpson

South East

Grace Christensen

Board Member Delegates

Emily Letendre

Kati Culbertson

Leader Representative

Tara Malinowski

4-H Saskatchewan YAC

Brett Rumpel

Staff Coordinators

Melodi Hawkesford-Lee

Jodi Schellenberg.

Provincial Office Staff

The provincial office is made up of a dynamic staff team ready to serve our new and existing members, leaders and clubs throughout the province.



Shelby Corey, Development Officer

Melodi Hawkesford-Lee, South East Regional Specialist

Kaitlyn Keller, South West Regional Specialist

Shelby Longworth, North East Regional Specialist

Kalynne Martin, North West Regional Specialist

Jodi Schellenberg, Program and Communications Specialist

Sandi Sirois, Accounting Officer

Karrie Watson, Executive Admin Assistant

Shirley Wensley, Administrative Assistant

Cera Youngson, Executive Director

Saskatchewan 4-H Foundation

The Saskatchewan 4-H Foundation has played a significant role in the success of 4-H Saskatchewan since its incorporation in 1960 for the purpose of receiving and administering funds donated to the 4-H program. It became a charitable organization in 1967. The Foundation receives donations from a wide variety of sources, and invests the funds under the direction of a volunteer Board of Trustees and Financial Advisors.

The Trustees

Dr. Mary Buhr, Dean, College of Agriculture and Bioresources, U of S and Chairperson of the Foundation

Les Ferguson, Treasurer, Donor: Partner Category

William Cooper, Donor: Circle of Friends Category

Duane Bristow, Trustee, Donor: Partner Category

Shelley Jones, Representative, Saskatchewan Ministry of Agriculture; Donor

Alvin Pawlitz, Representative, Saskatchewan 4-H Council and donor: Friend of 4-H Category

The Advisors

Glenn Gress, President, Saskatchewan 4-H Council

Tammy Rumpel Vice President, Saskatchewan 4-H Council

Cera Youngson, Executive Director, Saskatchewan 4-H Council

Corporate Donors

January 1 to December 31, 2019

The generous donations received from a variety of businesses and other interested organizations form the bulk of the Foundation's annual contributions. Corporate donors are honoured for achieving established recognition categories.

Bronze Clover Club

\$5,000 to \$9,999



**RBC
Foundation™**

Blue Clover Club

\$3,000 to \$4,999

Co-operative Hail Insurance Company
Monsanto

Green Clover Club

\$1,000 to \$2,999

Federated Co-operatives Ltd.
Gibson Livestock 2017 Ltd.
Moose Mountain 4-H Club

R.M. Of Corman Park No. 344
R.M. Of Enniskillen No. 3
R.M. Of Sherwood No. 159

White Clover Club

\$50 to \$999

AGI Ag Growth International Inc.
Browning 4-H Light Horse Club
Buckler Ag Ltd.
City Of Prince Albert
District #1 4-H Council
District #3/4 4-H Council
District #5 4-H Council
District #8 4-H Council
District #10 4-H Council
District #20 4-H Council
District #21 4-H Council
District #31 4-H Council
District #33 4-H Council
District #34 4-H Council
District #35 4-H Council
District #36 4-H Council
District #40 4-H Council
District #41 4-H Council
Lane Realty Corp.
Lashburn & District Combined Appeal
Longlaketon Multiple 4-H Club
Makwa 4-H Beef Club
Marshall Farms
R.M. Of Beaver River No. 622
R.M. Of Big Stick No. 141
R.M. Of Browning No. 34
R.M. Of Cupar No. 218
R.M. Of Fish Creek No. 402
R.M. Of Fox Valley No. 171
R.M. Of Hazel Dell No. 335

R.M. Of Hillsdale No. 440
R.M. Of Laird No. 404
R.M. Of Lumsden No. 189
R.M. Of Mariposa No. 350
R.M. Of Marquis No. 191
R.M. Of Meeting Lake No. 466
R.M. Of Montrose No. 315
R.M. Of Moosomin No. 121
R.M. Of Pleasant Valley No. 288
R.M. Of Sasman No. 336
R.M. Of St. Philips No. 301
R.M. Of Terrell No. 101
R.M. Of Usborne No. 310
R.M. Of Walpole No. 92
R.M. Of Wawken #93
R.M. Of White Valley No. 49
R.M. Of Willowdale No. 153
R.M. Of Winslow No. 319
Ramada Emerald Park
Redhead Equipment
Rockglen Multiple 4-H Club
Rockin 'H Multiple 4-H Club
SaskEnergy Customer Solutions Team
Village Of Briercrest
Village Of Hodgeville
Village Of Meacham
Village Of Pelly
Village Of Riverhurst
Village Of Stewart Valley

In Memorium

Anne Tetoff
Barry Bangsund
Douglas Wayne Wagner
Garry Zatylny and Margaret "Pegi" Lyell
Gene Moen

June Schroeder
Mark Smith
Max Protz
Rudy Jurke

Individual Donors

January 1 to December 31, 2019

The individuals below made an investment in 4-H Saskatchewan in 2019. Individual investments are cumulative as of January 1, 1991. Therefore, investors move from category to category throughout their lifetime.

Circle of Friends

\$10,000+

Gordon & Eileen Bonnor
Bill & Gail Cooper
Betty Lang
Yvette Moore
Clark and Anne Lewis Fund

Builder

\$5,000 to \$9,999

Glenn & Cherilyn Gress
Thelma Howard
Doris Kennett
William LaClare
Clinton & Niki Panter
Valerie & Jamie Pearson
Arnold Schroeder
Marlene Tymiak

Partner

\$2,000 to \$4,999

Myrtle Baxter
Marc & Tania Bellanger
Duane & Ella Bristow
G. Ross & Jean Clark
Roger & Maureen Clay
Alice & Donald Cox
Les & Linda Ferguson
Stan & Shelly Figley
Linda Klein

Lorne & Norma McConaghy
Vi Protz
John Rosso
Alfred & Victoria Sattler
Gladys Scully
Wayne & Jean Sibley
Patti & Allen Turk
B.W. Whatley
Faye & T.D. Woodworth

Friend of 4-H

\$1,000 to \$1,999

Derald & Irene Ahner
Bert & Heather Anderson
Dennis & Elizabeth Baragar
Rosalie & John Daisley
Bert & Joy de Gooijer
David Brian & Sharon Fowler
Selina Hanley
Edgar & Ruby Harder
Calder Hawkesford
Susan & Bruce Hipkin

Ronald & Ruth Morningstar
Carol & Corey Nordal
Alvin Pawlitz
Leslie Penner
Barry & Gladys Raymond
Beatrice Rugg
Nora Schock
Brenda & Jim Stone
Cera Youngson

Patron

\$500 to \$999

Bill & Karen Aulie
Helen Bangura
Heidi Beierbach
Hazel Blake
Richard & Karen Briggs
Blair & LeeAnn Brost
Kay Chamberlin
Kati Culbertson
Brent Elmy
Tracy Fitzsimmons

Robert Girvan
Mabel Hobbs
Shawn Jaques
Bobby & Elaine Jones
Warren & Carla Kaeding
Mike & Nancy Kirzinger
Jim & Brenda Lowe
Tara Malinowski
Mel & Joan Malinowski
Marla & Dan Martin

Carol Masecar
Ryan & Desmond McKenzie
Ingeborg Medlang
Dwayne & Lynn Pearce
Tammy Rumpel
Donna & Frelan Saunders
Wayne & Paula Stefankiw
Brittany Stepp
Wayne & Sheila Thick
Susan & Daniel Usipiuk

Investor

\$250 to \$499

Terry & Penny Adamson
Hank & Gail de Winter
Sharyl Erickson
Mervin Finell
Charlene Fox

Jody Freimark
Joan Kapeller
Eulalia Klein-Rutten
Kendra Loucks
Linda Mann

Ken & Margaret McKechny
Gordon Welch
Kalvin & Maureen Werner
Darcy Yasieniuk
Brenda Zalys

Contributor

\$100 to \$249

Helen Adamko
Jim & Sharon Anderson
Whitney Boyachek
Brenda Brown
Cameron Choquette
Reid & Brenda Findlay
Janine Meyer & Dennis Glennie

Ken & Mary Ann Hamilton
Grant Devine
Sheila Foyston
Annaleigh LeBruno
Mason Nicholson
James Oberhofer
Robert & Signey Raymond

Norma Jean & Ronald Robb
Vincent and Erin Schnee
Eric & Myrna Sorenson
Curtis & Karrie Watson
Glenn Wiseman
Larry Zemlak

Supporter

\$1 to \$99

Tracey Armbruster
Jamie Attrux
Lacey Bauer
Connie Black-Sturby
Lisa Casey
Morgan Davey
Melissa Dyck
Ron Farrow
Karen Filipowich
Alma M. Froese
Laurie Glenn
Michell Heidecker
Stacey Hunt
Robyn Hunter

Jackie James
Wanda Kiefer
Dana Knihnitski
Anya Kuziw
Kelly Kuziw
Angela Letendre
Robyn MacNeil
Terry & Wendy Melvin
Lester & Agnes Millang
Gladys Moen
Shawn Murphy
Karissa Nemish
Elaine Olexson
Ellen & Murray Palmer

John & Lynne Railton
Bev Reid
Caitlin Reimer
Brett Rumpel
Iris Sawyer
Donna Schryvers
Cheryl Simpkins
Lauren Soucy
Larry Spratt
Ruth St. Germaine
Anne Tetloff
Phyllis Townsend
Dylan Watt
James & Mavis Webster

Provincial Program Sponsors

Premiere

\$100,000+



The Ministry of Agriculture supports 4-H in providing leadership development and agriculture education opportunities through the Canadian Agricultural Partnership, a cost-shared initiative between the federal and provincial governments. The Ministry of Agriculture's commitment includes an annual grant, as well as significant in-kind contributions of office space, supplies and services. They also provide a representative to sit on our Board of Directors.

Champion

\$25,000 - 100,000



The Saskatchewan Lotteries Trust provides funding through the Saskatchewan Parks and Recreation Association grant program to help fund our 4-H programs.



The Western Producer is a long-time supporter of 4-H Saskatchewan. They provide us with in-kind advertising in their publications, as well as lottery prizes and a scholarship for members.

Outstanding

\$10,000 - 24,999



Agriculture and
Agri-Food Canada

Providing youth development
programs through Agri-
Competitiveness Program.



Moving the agriculture industry and
the world forward – today and for
generations to come.



Developing and promoting the
beef industry in Sask.

Presenting

\$5,000 - 9,999



South Saskatchewan Community Foundation
G. Murray and Edna Forbes
Foundation Fund

Supporting

\$1,000 - 4,999

Affinity Credit Union
Cabela's Canada Outdoor
Fund
Canadian Association of
Farm Advisors
RBC

Ritchie Bros.
Saputo
SeCan
Saskatchewan Horse
Federation

Syngenta
SaskTel
TC Energy
WestGen

Contributing

\$250 - 999

Bridgeview Manufacturing Inc.
Northland Livestock
Tradex Commodity Group Inc.
South Saskatchewan Community
Foundation

In addition to our Provincial Program Sponsors, 4-H Saskatchewan also has many other supporters who help keep our program running. From our Lottery Sponsors, who donate items to be part of the Saskatchewan 4-H Lottery, to Scholarship Sponsors, who donate to scholarship funds to provide awards to deserving members, 4-H Saskatchewan appreciates the support of all its sponsors and donors.

2019 Lottery Sponsors



2019 Scholarship Sponsors



The 4-H Future Fund and William Cooper
Elgin Bracken Memorial Fund
Hector Loveridge Memorial Fund
Gordon and Eileen Bonnor Scholarship Fund
McConaghy Family
The Future Leaders Scholarship

National Partners



4-H Saskatchewan Fundraisers

23rd Annual Saskatchewan 4-H Lottery

The 23rd annual 4-H Saskatchewan draw was held on August 21 at 1 p.m. at the Provincial 4-H Office in Saskatoon. As of 2019, the lottery has raised \$1 million in sales since it started in 1996.

The 4-H Lottery is an annual fundraiser for the 4-H program in Saskatchewan, with all the proceeds directly supporting the 4-H movement in our province. In 2019, there were 7,638 individual tickets sold and 5,621 50/50 add-on tickets sold. The lottery raised \$50,345, with \$25,197.60 going directly back to the 28 clubs and District 4-H Councils, which participated by selling the lottery tickets.

Congratulations to the Grand Prize winners:

Shane Cadieux of Shaunavon won the Kubota Zero-Turn Mower, donated by Kubota Canada and participating Saskatchewan dealers, including Armstrong Implements (Swift Current), Redhead Equipment (Estevan), Earthworks Equipment (Saskatoon), Grain Bags Canada (Humboldt),

GlenMor Equipment (Prince Albert), Logan Stevens Construction (Yorkton), Novlan Bros. (Lloydminster), Parkland Farm Equipment (North Battleford), Wheatbelt Sales (Wadena), Young's Equipment (Regina) and Thompson Bearing (Luseland). This machine is valued at more than \$5,500.

Susan McKennit of Carnduff won the Gazebo, built by the woodworking students at A.E. Peacock Collegiate, with building supplies donated by Yara Belle Plaine Inc. Yara has been a proud supporter of 4-H Saskatchewan since the 4-H lottery was first started. Thank you to Yara for continuing to recognize the value and allowing A.E. students to "Learn to Do by Doing" while building the grand prize lottery items.

4-H Saskatchewan is grateful to have the support of all of our prize donors including: Kubota Canada and participating Saskatchewan dealers, Yara Belle Plaine Inc., A.E. Peacock Collegiate, The Western Producer, Staples, and Co-operative Hail Insurance.

Congratulations to all of our prize winners:

- iPad Pro 128 GB donated by Co-operative Hail Insurance – Val Bennet of Climax;
- iPad Pro 6th Generation 32 GB donated by Staples – Wayne Brokenshire of Estevan;
- Two - \$500 advertising certificates donated by The Western Producer – Jan Hunt of Goodsoil and Cary & Crystal Pickard of Carnduff;
- 50/50 Ticket, valued at \$5,621 – Pat Carelton.

50/50 Lottery At Ag In Motion

During Ag In Motion, July 16-18, 4-H Saskatchewan and Agriculture in the Classroom partnered together to run a 50/50 lottery.

The staff and volunteers from both organizations were out selling tickets during the three days. The final pot was \$31,115, which means one lucky winner went home with \$15,557.50.

Thank you to everyone who supported both organizations. We appreciated the support, whether it was volunteer time or buying a ticket.



2019 Annual General Meeting



The 2019 Annual General Meeting was held the weekend of March 23-24 at the Saskatoon Inn. During the weekend, member and leader voting delegates were asked to vote on a number of decisions. The theme of this year's meeting was "For My Club, My Community and My Country", under the communications and community engagement development pillar. There were 177 attendees, including a record-setting 109 youth delegates.

After welcome and introductions, the first item of business was voting for the 18-year-old delegates to the board of directors. There was one two-year term available and Kati Culbertson was elected by the membership.



Following the election, the delegates dispersed into their regional meetings, where reports were given, regional and provincial event hosts were chosen and elections for the 4-H Saskatchewan Board of Directors, Advisory Council and Ambassadors were held.

The delegates participated in a lively Parade of Regions, before joining together for lunch. They then enjoyed a Community Service Panel, with four guests who are involved in their communities – Cst. Tamara Paulsen of the Saskatoon Police Service, Judy Harwood from SARM and the R.M. of Corman Park, Brady Figley from the Kinsmen Club of Saskatoon and Eli Kearley, who is an 11-year-old philanthropist. At the end of the panel, there was time for the 4-H members to ask their own questions. There was then a short break before going back into the business meetings, where two resolutions were discussed and voted on, before recessing for the day.



The annual Recognition Banquet was held on Saturday evening, where 4-H Saskatchewan's sponsors and donors were honoured for their contributions to 4-H. Special guest, the Honourable David Marit, Minister of Agriculture, brought greetings on behalf of the Government of Saskatchewan. Provincial first place public speakers from 2018, Morgan Heidecker and Hunter Reid presented their speeches. Two individuals and one couple, Wayne and Kim Jansen, Melanie Bashutski and Richard Moellenbeck, were inducted into the Hall of Fame.



All four of them have been heavily involved in the 4-H program, dedicated their time and commitment to helping develop the youth in the province. All four shared a few words with those gathered, showcasing their 4-H spirit and continuing to inspire youth.

Following the banquet, the members headed to their 4-H dance – supervised by North East Regional 4-H Specialist Shelby Longworth. They brought donations for the Ronald McDonald House in Saskatoon. The leaders joined North West Regional 4-H Specialist Kalyne Martin for bingo and other games, with more than \$500 raised during the bingo going to STARS Air Ambulance.

Although it was a late night on Saturday, everyone was up early and ready for breakfast at 8 a.m. on Sunday. Before going into business meetings, the members and leaders participated in the Focus on 4-H Forum. This was an open discussion on topics, such as Communication of 4-H Programs, Selections Processes, 4-H Branding and the South Saskatchewan Community Foundation Vital Community Conversations.

There were many lively discussions and great suggestions were brought forward! The notes from the discussions were captured for the Board of Directors and staff to use for future meetings. After the auditor's report, two more resolutions were voted on by the delegation.



The program came to a close with a recognition program for members and leaders reaching special milestones in their 4-H careers, and thanking outgoing Board and Advisory Council members for their service. After a final loonie draw and four special announcements, the business meeting was adjourned and everyone was free to go home. Overall, it was a very successful weekend and AGM!

4-H Saskatchewan Ambassadors

During AGM, the new 4-H Saskatchewan Ambassadors were elected during the regional meetings. The Member and Leader Ambassadors will focus on strengthening 4-H Saskatchewan through public relations by recruiting new members, representing 4-H Saskatchewan at local events, and sharing their 4-H story. The Ambassadors are:

North East

Leaders

Trena Hoffus-Preston, Angela Letendre and Charlene Fox

Members

Isobel Kinash, Abby Kirzinger and Danica Kiefer

North West

Leaders

Stacey Zerebeski, Nicole Panter and Kelly Kuziw

Members

Brooklyn Trask, Ailie Thiemann and Makayla Smith

South East

Leaders

Susan Avramenko, Paula Beattie and Cherliyn Gress

Members

Jana Rumpel, Ashlyn Kormos and Jada Bjossa Brazeau

South West

Leaders

Stacey Hawkins and Chelsey Siemens

Members

Meghan Kerr, Dylan Watt and Lacey Bauer

Programs And Events

Two Weeks of Fun At 4-H Saskatchewan Summer Camp

More than 100 4-H members attended summer camp in 2019, either as campers, CITs or counsellors. The first week of camp was held at the Big River Bible Camp facility August 11-16 and the second week was held at the Lumsden Beach Camp facility August 26-31. Both camps were full, with close to 50 campers at each. The same schedule and activities were used at both locations, with some of the same counsellors attending.

Since the 2018/19 4-H year was based around Communications & Community Engagement, camp was themed “Be a 4-HERO!” All of the full days of camp were based around the four 4-H Canada Leadership Pillars – Science & Technology, Sustainable Agriculture & Food Security, Environment & Healthy Living and Communications & Community Engagement. In between 4-H programming, the campers enjoyed some traditional camp activities, from canoeing, archery and crafts, to wide games and campfires.

Science & Technology day, the 4-H’ers learned about boats and simple machines. They made cardboard boats in the morning and tested them in the afternoon, with the counsellors riding in them. Then, in the evening, they made catapults, using what they learned about simple machines into consideration, testing them to see which could shoot the furthest.

The next day was Sustainable Agriculture & Food Security Day. The 4-H activities started with learning where the ingredients for bannock, butter, jam and honey come from, before shaking cream to make butter, making jam and bannock. In the afternoon, the campers learned about the

importance of bees in agriculture and played a Bee Game. Then, in the evening, they played game based on Nutrien’s Journey 2050.

On Communications & Community Engagement Day, the campers played participating in the Great 4-H Cake Challenge, where they had to design a cake based on a theme they chose from a hat and make a presentation to the rest of the group about it. The afternoon period was prep for the evening superhero presentation and talent show, which they presented in the evening during the talent show.

Environment & Healthy Living day, the campers learned about the importance of watersheds. They created their own mock watersheds, where they had to build a model city, taking care to protect wetlands. In the afternoon, they a giant water fight on the field, getting all the campers moving, followed by a 4-H dance in the evening.

The week wouldn’t have been possible without all the intermediate and senior 4-H members, who were counsellors and counsellors-in-training.

Thank you to Jessa Fox, Tiara Thiessen, Hunter Tataryn, Emma Panter, Jessica Runn, Brooklyn Trask, Summer Norman, Cole Reid, Ethan Panter, Dylan Watt, Tucker Sunderland, Makayla Smith, Makaila Peutert, Rebecca Fitzsimmons, Danica Kiefer, Lacey Bauer, Danika Morrow, Haden Smith, Logan Schwartz, Kyle Kirzinger, Brooke Belgalke, Abby Kirzinger, Emma Olsen, Shyanne Magnus, Kadence Johnson, Zaiden Osicki, Wyatt Cragg, Scott Huber, Kaitlin Fitzsimmons, Ruby Kinash, Dexter Gusikoski, Grayson Schwartz and



Allyson Tetzlaff. You were great leaders throughout camp and we appreciate you volunteering your time to spend it with our campers.

Thank you also to our overnight chaperones, Niki Panter, Nancy Kirzinger, Tyler Thompson and Brooklyn Trask. We appreciate you taking the night shift

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4-H'ers Experience The Wonderful World of Science

Science was the passion of many 4-H members on October 11, 2019. About 40 4-H'ers from across the province came together at the Saskatchewan Science Centre in Regina for 4-H Science Day. This was the first time the program was held in Regina.

The day started with a short presentation on upcoming events and opportunities, followed by some games led by Kalynne Martin and Melodi Hawkesford-Lee. The members then broke into two groups for activities.



One activity had the 4-H members head to the basement of the Science Centre, where they learned about lasers, what they are used for and how they work. They then had the opportunity to build their own laser maze, using mirrors. The second activity was around how electricity and circuits work. The members then put together their own circuit houses to light up. The participants enjoyed a chicken finger lunch and had the opportunity to try out some of the interesting science activities in the outdoor playground.



After lunch, the members broke into four groups, to work on making jujube and toothpick towers. They learned a little about engineering and strong shapes, to help them build the tallest and strongest tower possible.

Once the towers were all tested, the 4-H members broke into four groups, based on age, and toured the science centre, with the help of the 4-H adult volunteers.

They had the opportunity to try many of the hands-on activities offered, as well as answer some science-related questions on a 4-H scavenger hunt questionnaire.

Following their tour of the science centre, the members all headed home, excited to bring their love of science to their clubs.

Leadership Conference An Exciting Two-Day Learning Event

About 40 members and leaders gathered together at the Ramada Hotel in Regina for the 4-HSaskatchewan Leadership Conference on December 7-8, 2019. The conference was a two-day version of the one-day Leaderama events, which have been held in alternating regions the past two years.

The weekend started off with a welcome by Cera Youngson, who also talked about some of the amazing 4-H opportunities for members and leaders both in the province and nationally, and a quick icebreaker. After lunch, the attendees enjoyed a plenary by John Bailey, CEO of the Regina Food Bank, who talked about food insecurity within Regina and Saskatchewan. Everyone had the chance to learn about how often the food banks are used, and how important these organizations are to the well being of our communities.

Everyone then went to their first set of workshops. The leaders enjoyed “4-H is for Everyone” by SaskAbilities, which talked about how to be inclusive and make it possible for people with disabilities to be involved. The leaders then had 4-H 101, with Shelby Longworth and Melodi Hawkesford-Lee, which discussed everything you need to know about 4-H and gave leaders the opportunity to see the new Club Resource Guide.

The leaders then had the choice between “Recruitment & Retention” with Longworth, which introduced new ways to recruit new members or volunteers, as well as best practices for club engagement, or “Managing Your Multi Club” with Hawkesford-Lee, which discussed balancing the needs of several project groups, including best practices from real clubs.

At the same time, the members had their own sessions to attend. Their first was “Personalities, Leadership & Teamwork” with Rob Chubb. He used the ColourSpectrums™ to look at personality styles and human dynamics. They also discussed the best ways to work with others in teams and leadership positions.

After learning how to work together, the members then enjoyed “Self-Awareness & Reflection” with Tami Dovell. This was a session to discuss the importance of mental health and self-awareness, giving the members some tools to take back into every day life to help them deal with stress and negative emotions. After checking into their hotel rooms, they headed to the Golden Mile Bowling Alley for supper and bowling.

The next morning, Youngson gave a quick greeting and then everyone headed to their workshop sessions. The leaders chose between “Conflict Management” with Hawkesford-Lee or “Risk Management” with Youngson and Longworth. The members attended a session called “Your Personal Brand” with Leighton Smith from RBC. They learned about how to build their brand and use it effectively.

Everyone then came back together for “Table Talks: Growing Our Leadership” where they had the opportunity to have short roundtable mentoring sessions with some special guests, including: Kathleen Rae from International Rural Exchange; Ryder Lee, CEO of Saskatchewan Cattlemen’s Association; Shelley Jones, Manager of the Ag Knowledge Centre; the Honourable David Marit, Minister of Agriculture; Ray Orb, president of SARM; Jessica Gerrits, RBC Vice President of Commercial Financial Services; Leighton Smith, RBC Lumsden Branch Manager; and Lumsden Beach Camp.

After lunch, participants enjoyed a key note address from Cherilyn Jolly-Nagel about Positively Representing Agriculture.

Following Jolly-Nagel was Share Fair, where members and leaders had the opportunity to discuss topics important to them. Some of the topics this year were: Provincial Programming, Multi-Club advice, How



to Implement the Two Leader Rule in your 4-H Club, Recruitment and Engaging Volunteers, the NEW 4-H Record Books, Strategic Planning, and more.

The weekend wrapped up with some closing remarks from the 4-H staff before everyone headed home. Thank you to our title sponsor Bayer CropScience for making this event a huge success! Also, thank you to RBC and the South Saskatchewan Community Foundation: G. Murray and Edna Forbes Foundation Fund, who also supported this event.

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4-H Members Brave Cold Weather For 2019 4-H Ski Day



We had approximately 40 people brave the cold weather and enjoy a day on the slopes at Table Mountain on March 2. Everyone enjoyed their time practicing and perfecting their skills and warming up in the Chalet. As everyone entered and exited the chalet they were talking animatedly with friends and family about their latest run.



Even with the bitter cold, around 25 brave 4-H members and leaders showed up to North East Ski Day on March 2! Everyone in attendance had a great time, and loved skiing and warming up in the chalet. Thank you to Wapiti Valley for being such gracious hosts for this event, and we hope to see everyone again next year.



Ski Day was held March 2 at Hidden Valley Ski Resort. There were more than 40 members, leaders and 4-H family in attendance. It was a cold day but very fun for all who participated. The lines were short so they were able to make many more runs than usual! We had a great time.



The 2019 SE 4-H Ski Day was held on Saturday March 2, at Mission Ridge Winter Park in Fort Qu'Appelle. 141 members, leaders, family and friends registered for this event, but due to a -47 wind chill, only 72 were able to make it. Thanks to all who registered and attended the day, and special thanks to Tammy Rumpel for assisting!

4-H'ers Donate More Than 3,000 Pounds Of Food

It was an amazing Club Week, with 4-H'ers from across the province getting involved. The Sustainability Initiative was to promote food security, where the 4-H office asked 4-H'ers to donate 3,000 pounds across the province collectively. The goal was met by December.

Club Week was created in 2017 by 4-H Saskatchewan to give the clubs a week of celebration and community involvement and a way to launch an annual Sustainability Initiative. It was held from November 4-10, 2019 across the entire province. The provincial 4-H office asked 4-H clubs

to join together to donate food to their local food banks in November. Clubs were encouraged to hold a food drive, set up a donation area or host an event where food donations would be accepted.

Thank you to all the clubs who participated: Vanscoy Multiple 4-H Club, Kelvington 4-H Beef Club, Durness 4-H Multi Club, Bar West 4-H Beef Club, Beechy Multiple 4-H Club, Longlaketon Multiple 4-H Club, Catherwood 4-H Beef and Sheep Club, McQuibe Multiple 4-H Club, Moosomin Multiple 4-H Club, Carievale Beef 4-H Club, Weyburn Community 4-H Beef Club, Paradise Hill 4-H Multi Club, Clairbank Multiple 4-H Club, Spruce Home Multiple 4-H Club, Good Spirit 4-H Club, MissouriCoteau 4-H Multiple Club and Fairmede 4-H Beef Club.

In addition to the Sustainability Initiative, 4-H clubs were encouraged to show their 4-H spirit, by putting up displays in their community and dressing up in their 4-H colours for Show Your 4-H Colours Day on November 6.



4-H'ers Learn About Beef Industry At Beef Symposium

The 2019 4-H Beef Symposium was held on February 23 in Saskatoon. The day started with greeting from Cera Youngson, executive director of 4-H Saskatchewan. She also introduced the Saskatchewan Cattlemen's Association's What's Your Beef Trivia Contest for all 4-H members, open to all 4-H members.

After greetings and a quick icebreaker game, there were two presentations by students at the University of Saskatchewan's Western College of Veterinary Medicine. Vanessa Cowan, a PhD. student, spoke first about the dangers of ergot in feed for cattle. She was followed by Kendra Elliot, a Veterinary Medicine student and former 4-H member, who spoke about the importance of vaccination.

Once the presentations were finished, Kendra played a couple rounds of bovine trivia with the 4-H members before a break for lunch.

After lunch, the 4-H members bundled up and headed out to the Livestock Forage Centre of Excellence to tour the facility and learn about the



research happening by students. The 4-H members were all thrilled to see the livestock there and learn about the research being done. After the tour ended and a group photo was taken, the 4-H members piled back into the vehicles to go back to the U of S, where they had a snack and filled out their evaluation forms.

4-H Saskatchewan would like to thank

SCA for being a title sponsor for this event. This event would not be possible without their generous support.

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First Province-wide Archery Shoot A Success

The inaugural Provincial-wide Archery Shoot, hosted by the Vanscoy Multiple 4-H Club, was held on July 27 at the Thunderhead Outdoor Archery Range. Twenty-five 4-H members registered in the five, 10 and 15 metre competitive shoot, as well as the fun shoot aspect of the event. All of the members were able to participate in 20-three arrow ends, with a lunch break after the first 10 ends.

There were prizes for the top three competitors in each distance category, as well as participant package for all members who attended. 4-H Saskatchewan sends a big thank you to the Cabela Canada's Outdoor Fund for being the title sponsor of the event. Another huge thank you goes out to the Vanscoy Multiple 4-H Club for organizing the first event of its kind in our province.

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4-H Saskatchewan Co-Hosts National Leadership Summit

4-H Saskatchewan was honoured with the opportunity to be the first province to co-host the 4-H Canada Leadership Summit. The 2019 Leadership Summit took place January 30 - February 1 in Saskatoon at the Delta Hotel where 4-H leaders, staff, and directors had the opportunity to network with other provinces, share best practices, learn about 4-H Canada programs and more!

The Leadership Summit kicked off with an icebreaker activity, dinner, and keynote presentation by millennial strategist, Michelle Schurter. Saskatchewan native Darci Lang took the stage bright and early Thursday morning with her keynote “Focus on the 90%,” which became a recurring theme throughout the conference.



Lang was followed by breakout sessions - Kids Help Phone, 4-H Canada Branding, and the 4-H Canada Science fair. Thursday afternoon consisted of more breakout sessions covering a range of topics from “Beyond Beef Jerky” to “Emerging Club Models.” All of these sessions provided useful information for leaders and staff to take back to their clubs and provinces.



The highlight of the Leadership Summit 2019 was the 4-H Canada Leadership Awards Banquet held at the Remail Modern Art Gallery on Thursday evening. Attendees had time to take in the amazing artwork at the gallery, followed by dinner and the awards presentations. The awards included Volunteer Leader of the Year – Karen Chambers (BC), the L.E.A.D. Scholarship recipients - McAuley Bellows (NFL), Emma Kaliel (AB), Audrey Morneau (QC), and Emmett Sawyer (AB) as well as the first ever 4-H Canada Distinguished Alumni Award to Elaine Froese (MB).

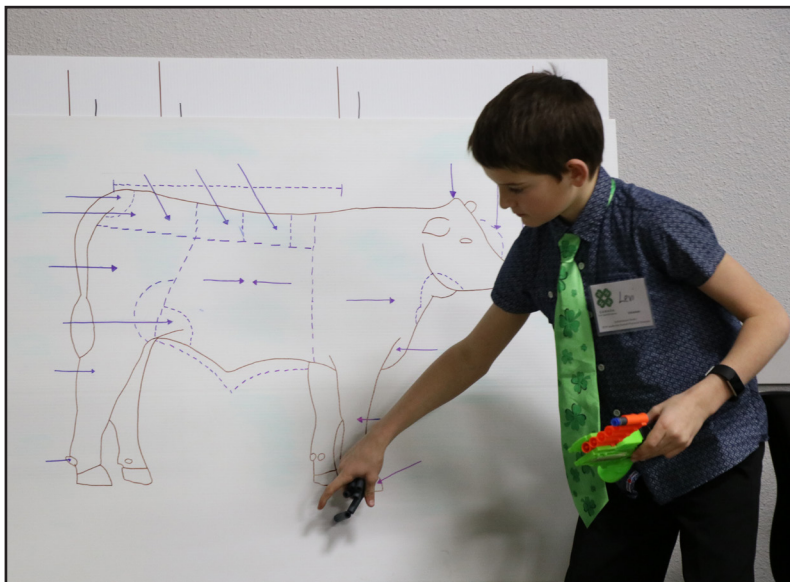


Friday morning kicked off with keynote speaker Kim McConnell speaking on “Building Public Trust” followed by more breakout sessions and then a provincial sharing session where each province had a chance to showcase their past year. Sara Kate Smith, YAC member from BC, shared in the closing remarks before delegates headed out to Dalmeny for a 4-H Saskatchewan Night In The Country Provincial Showcase to close off the 2019 Leadership Summit.

While in Dalmeny, 4-H delegates from across Canada enjoyed a meal prepared using Saskatchewan ingredients, were able to view various club displays from across the province, and had the opportunity to participate in a fun game of curling. Curling is a unique event for 4-H Saskatchewan, as we are the only province to offer competitive 4-H curling, and it was a great event to show “Saskatchewan Rocks!”

The delegates enjoyed talking to the 4-H members about their projects. The 4-H’ers did an amazing job explaining their projects and were amazing ambassadors for 4-H Saskatchewan. Many of the delegates had never been curling before and enjoyed learning the game. Once everyone had some experience on the ice, the lights were turned off for some glow curling games. Thank you to SaskMilk and Saskatchewan Egg Producers for sponsoring our evening event!

4-H Saskatchewan was proud to co-host this event and pleased to announce the 4-H Canada Leadership Summit 2019 was a great success. The Leadership Summit provided valuable information which will help grow the 4-H program throughout the country. It was an amazing opportunity for leaders, staff, and members to learn about different 4-H programs and how to incorporate new ideas into their own clubs and communities.



Equine Symposium teaches members new skills

More than 30 4-H'ers, young and old, joined together for the 4-H Saskatchewan's annual Equine Symposium in the Big Barn at the Weyburn Fair Grounds on May 4. This was a day of fun and learning for both members and leaders.

The morning started with a session where 4-H members learned about equine health through a Horse Learning Lab Kit, which comes from the Ohio State University. This kit had topics around confirmation, muscular and skeletal systems, feed and more. The members enjoyed working together during this hands-on session.

Once they worked through all the tables, the 4-H'ers gathered in the stands for the first presentation by the main presenter, Amos Abrahamson. Abrahamson is from

just west of Maple Creek, where he owns and operates his horse training business, Diamond J Performance Horses. Abrahamson's first session was a yearling demonstration, where he worked with a yearling horse to refine its responsiveness.

After lunch, the 4-H'ers were ready to learn more from Abrahamson, who gave his second presentation on a two-year-old horse. It was his first time working with the horse he brought and the 4-H members and leaders were impressed with his calm demeanor and by him getting on the horse's back for the first time. They were excited to ask him questions at the end of his session and were engaged with what he was telling them.

The last session of the day was by Miranda Wiens from Equi-Health Canada. She gave the 4-H members a basic run down of some equine first aid tips they could use in the future. She also had members try some of the skills, such as taking the horse's pulse, during her session. Wiens encouraged any of the 4-H'ers interested in learning more to take a full equine first aid course.

It was a great day, which wouldn't have been possible without the support of our sponsors. We'd like to thank Greenhawk for donating a pair of socks for all the participants. Since it was a cold day, many of the members immediately put on their socks.

Thank you to our presenters, Amos Abrahamson and Miranda Wiens. We'd also like to thank Brittany Stepp for volunteering for the day and Lisa Halberg for bringing her horse for the first aid demonstration.



Competitions

Provincial Curling

Provincial 4-H Curling was held in Tisdale on February 15-17, hosted by the clubs in District #26. The Provincial Curling Committee had been planning the event for many months, and their hard work showed in every aspect of the weekend.

The event started with practice for all the teams, a few draws, and the opening ceremonies on Friday evening. This was a chance for members and leaders to meet someone new, test out the ice, and get a group picture taken.

There was a full day of curling on Saturday, with many games taking place throughout the day. "Find Harold's Cousins" kept many members and leaders looking throughout the RecPlex for 40 of Harold's cousins, and Caitlin Fox (NE Ambassador Member) had a fun games room set up during the afternoon.

After a full day of games and curling, the day ended with a banquet program and dance. Harold even made the trip out to Tisdale to dance with the 4-H members!

On Sunday, the final draws took place and the winners were announced. The senior winners were:

1. Maidstone Gully/Manitou Lake 4-H Clubs
2. Hilltop 4-H Club
3. Alameda 4-H Beef Club.

The junior winners were:

1. Tisdale 4-H Beef Club
2. Sunset Rangers Multiple 4-H Club
3. Springside 4-H Beef Club.

Thanks to District #26 for hosting an amazing event and thanks to all their sponsors who made it possible. Congratulations to the winners and thank you to all the teams who participated. The comradery and teamwork exhibited by all the teams made sure that the 4-H spirit was felt throughout the entire weekend.



Provincial Public Speaking



Thirty-two 4-H members from across the province came together on April 13 for the 2019 Provincial 4-H Public Speaking Competition at the Lancer Community Hall. All of the youth were exemplary and poised while speaking on topics that were informative, entertaining, or close to their heart.

The competition was followed by a banquet and awards ceremony where special guests were in attendance, including the Honorable Doug Steele, MLA of Cypress Hills; Honourable Yens Peterson, MLA Regina Northeast & Opposition Critic for Agriculture; Cera Youngson, executive director of 4-H Saskatchewan; Glenn Gress, president of the 4-H Saskatchewan Board of Directors; and Stan Figley, Alvin Pawlitza, and Nora Schock, delegates to the 4-H Saskatchewan Board of Directors.

In the Cloverbud category, for members aged six to eight, Addison Pain earned first place with her speech "Winter Activities." In the Junior Category, for members nine to 12 years old, Hannah Hoberg earned first place with her speech topic "How to be a loser." Martine Bosse earned first place in the Intermediate category, for ages 13 to 15, with her speech topic "Lights, Camera, Action." In the Senior category, Makenna Heidecker earned first place with her speech "Rejection."

Thank you to the clubs of the District #11 4-H Council and those on the Public Speaking committee for their hard work preparing and hosting this event. Thank you to all our judges who donated their time, including Don Connick, Joan Jackson, Darren Smid, Sarah Anderson, Karlah Rudolf, David

Hagel, David Anderson, Tami Wall, John Wagner, Page Newton, Jessica Smith and Arthur Ward. Thank you to the sponsors and donors who made the 2019 Provincial 4-H Public Speaking Competition a very special day. Your generosity is truly appreciated.

Provincial Public Speaking Placings:

Cloverbud

1. Addison Pain – Winter Activities – Medstead Multiple 4-H Club, North West Region
2. Chase Dyrland – My First Job – Nomads 4-H Beef Club, South West Region
3. Gage Goetz – My Heart Surgery – Outram-Madigan Beef 4-H Club, South East Region

Junior

1. Hannah Hoberg – How To Be A Loser – Sheho 4-H Beef Club, North East Region
2. Hunter Allen – Why I Would Make a Great Police Officer – Northminster 4-H Beef Club, North West Region
3. Nadelle Murphy – My Week At Summer Camp – Moosomin 4-H Multiple Club, South East Region

Intermediate

1. Martine Bosse – Lights, Camera, Action – Herds of Thunder 4-H Club, North West Region
2. Georgia Pawlitza – 8 Seconds – Abbey-Lancer 4-H Beef Club, South West Region
3. Kaleigh McLaughlin – The Man, The Myth, The Legend – Moosomin 4-H Multiple Club, South East Region

Senior

1. Makenna Heidecker – Rejection – Three Lakes Beef 4-H Club, North East Region
2. Thea Valstar – I am... Are You? – Springside 4-H Beef Club, South East Region
3. Rayna Yasieniuk – Our Journey – Reigning Riders 4-H Club, North West Region

Provincial Judging

Advancing from six regional competitions held between April and July, 38 4-H members from all corners of the province met in Moosomin on August 23-24 for the Saskatchewan 4-H Provincial Judging competition, presented by title sponsor Viterra.

Participants learned a lot as they competed in seven different judging classes over the two days. The program began on Friday evening with a supper, orientation, and the first judging class: Cheddar Cheese sponsored by Saputo.

On Saturday, the majority of the competition was held at Second Wind Stables where our participants judged yearling beef bulls, market lambs, performance quarter horses, native pasture grasses, grain, and a mystery class: cut flowers. Participants also completed a quiz testing their knowledge on all of the categories.

After the judging was complete, participants attended an awards banquet held at the Moosomin Legion Hall with a meal sponsored by Plains Midstream Canada. Finally, the top place competitors were announced.

The top eight finalists formed Team 4-H Saskatchewan and competed at the Canadian National 4-H & Youth Judging Competition during Agribition in November.

The top competitors were: Kyle Kirzinger (Viscount 4-H Beef Club); Faith Stevens (Catherwood Beef & Sheep 4-H Club); Doug Sroka (Maidstone Gully Multiple 4-H Club); Justin Harcourt (Tisdale 4-H Beef Club); Leah Libke (Prime Cuts 4-H Club); Wyatt Dyck (Wymark Drylanders 4-H Club); Calvin Murphy (Whitewood 4-H Beef Club); Brock McGonigal (Rockglen Multiple 4-H Club).

There were many people who made the weekend a success. Thank you to the Whitewood Hosting Committee

and the many volunteers who helped make the day a success.

Thank you to all competitors for traveling to the event, and for our team chaperones: Louise Sroka, Charlene Fox, Christine Runn, André Mailloux, Carolyn McCormack and Kimberly Simpson.

Thank you to our judges and livestock providers. Thank you to our title sponsor Viterra and Cheddar Cheese class sponsor, Saputo.

Thank you to all of our 4-H Saskatchewan provincial program

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partners, and local sponsors. Lastly, thank you to SAASE and all the regional judging hosting committees.



National Judging

The Canadian National 4-H & Youth Judging Competition was held on November 24-26, 2019 at Canadian Western Agribition in Regina. Forty-two competitors from across Canada participated.

The competition commenced on November 24, where competitors judged three classes for the competition: Silage, Meat Cuts and Water Quality. Monday morning consisted of the remaining judging classes, including: Alpaca, Light Horse, Heavy Horse, Dairy Cows, Charolais Calves, Prospect Steers, Speckle Park Calves, Angus Heifers, and Commercial Bulls.

After lunch, the competition finished with oral reasons for eight of the previously judged classes. Tuesday morning, the Awards Banquet was held. The results were as follows: Grand Aggregate: Adam Smith, University of Guelph; 2nd Place: Justin Harcourt, 4-H Saskatchewan; 3rd Place: Brandon Fraser, Summer Synergy; 4th Place: Jayden Calvert, Summer Synergy; 5th Place: Leah Libke, 4-H Saskatchewan; **Team Award - Top 4 Scores per team (Plaque on display at Provincial 4-H Office): 4-H Saskatchewan**

Thank you to the team chaperones, Louise Sroka and Brittany Stepp. Event sponsors included TD Canada Trust and Federated Cooperatives.



Photo Contest winners showcase their talent with a camera

Thanks to everyone for entering in the 2019 4-H Photography Contest. We had a lot of entries this year, from Cloverbuds to leaders. Our judge, Carlene with Carlene Deutscher Photography spent many hours determining the top photos from all of the amazing entries. Overall, she was very impressed with the quality and the creativity the creativity of the submitted photographs. The winners in each category were:

Cloverbud/Junior

Action

1st - Laura Christensen

2nd - Kolton Yewsuk

Animals

1st - Johanna Van Der Voort

2nd - Paige Stepp

Hands To Larger Service

1st - Kolton Yewsuk

2nd - Kolton Yewsuk

Nature

1st - Jane Beierbach

2nd - Laura Christensen

People

1st - Johanna Van Der Voort

2nd - Sarah Beierbach

Intermediate/Senior

Action

1st - Cassidy Maffenbeier

2nd - Makayla Smith

Animals

1st - Hillary Sauder

2nd - Cassidy Maffenbeier

Hands To Larger Service

1st - Makayla Smith

2nd - Ida Van Der Voort

Nature

1st - Wade Yaworski

2nd - Danielle Matonovitch

People

1st - Rebecca Fitzsimmons

2nd - Rebecca Fitzsimmons

Adult/Leaders

Action

1st - Kylie Mackie

2nd - Denise Temple

Animals

1st - Brian Temple

2nd - Denise Temple

Hands To Larger Service

1st - Lorie Chambers

2nd - Marcy Yewsuk

Nature

1st - Mary Ann Carson

2nd - Brenda Zalus

People

1st - Marcy Yewsuk

2nd - Lorie Chambers

Best in Show

Herd Bull - Hillary Sauder



Best in Show
Intermediate/Senior
Hillary Sauder

Prairieland Youth Leadership Conference Builds Confidence

The Prairieland Youth Leadership Conference was held on February 2 & 3, 2019 at Prairieland Park. Forty-eight 4-H members ages 14-21 participated in this challenging two day conference for the chance to win one of five scholarships.

The weekend began with a quick icebreaker, which allowed participants to meet the each other. The first speaker of the day was Clinton Monchuk from Farm & Food Care Saskatchewan. Clinton presented the “Speak Up” workshop to the attendees, which allowed the members to gain new skills in speaking about issues in agriculture. The next workshop was presented by Jennifer Christie from 4-H Canada. Jennifer talked about the 4-H program, and then did an activity where members were able to present their ideas for an “experience” that could also be used as a 4-H fundraiser.

After working on their final presentations, members were treated to a panel of 4-H alumni comprised of Cameron Choquette, Kaitlyn Kitzan, Kendra Elliot, and Cassidy Barnert who shared some of their leadership, life, and career wisdom with the members. On Sunday morning, groups showed off their presentations that were focused on engaging consumers and building public trust in agriculture. The conference then focused on barn safety with a presentation by Equi-Health Canada.

With all the judging components over, the members were able to unwind with a few games with Shelby Longworth. Thank you to Prairieland Park, the committee, and the sponsors for making this event possible to our 4-H members!



After a long weekend, the judging was over and the results were:

1. \$4,500 Scholarship – **Brett Rumpel**, Longlaketon Multiple 4-H Club
2. \$3,000 Scholarship – **Simon Mann**, Handel Multiple 4-H Club
3. \$2,500 Scholarship – **Morgan Davey**, Vanscoy Multiple 4-H Club
4. \$1,000 Scholarship – **Ruby Kinash**, Wishart Multiple 4-H Club
5. \$1,000 Scholarship – **Dylan Watt**, Beechy Multiple 4-H Club

Provincial Record Book Competition Held This Year

This year, a Provincial Record Book Competition was held, with the top placing books from each regional competition qualifying. Congratulations to all the winners and thank you to everyone for sending in your record books! Here are the results:

Cloverbud

- 1st: **Kolton Yewsuk**, Hilltop 4-H Club
- 2nd: **Elli Vogel**, Sheho 4-H Beef Club
- 3rd: **Macyn Brecker**, Big River Multiple 4-H Club

Junior

- 1st: **Kira Wignes**, Viscount 4-H Beef Club
- 2nd: **Kamrie Kaufman**, Radville 4-H Beef Club
- 3rd: **Julia Forman**, Missouri Coteau 4-H Multiple Club

Intermediate

- 1st: **Lacey Bauer**, Maple Creek Multiple 4-H Club
- 2nd: **Cole Reid**, Crown Hill 4-H Beef Club
- 3rd: **Christena Pettyjohn**, Reno Multiple 4-H Club

Senior

- 1st: **Paige Freitag**, Alameda 4-H Beef Club
- 2nd: **Kelsey Elmy**, Kelvington 4-H Beef Club
- 3rd: **Tanesha Novak**, Pipestone Valley Light Horse 4-H Club

Scholarship Recipients

Entrepreneurial Scholarship for 4-H Members - \$3,000

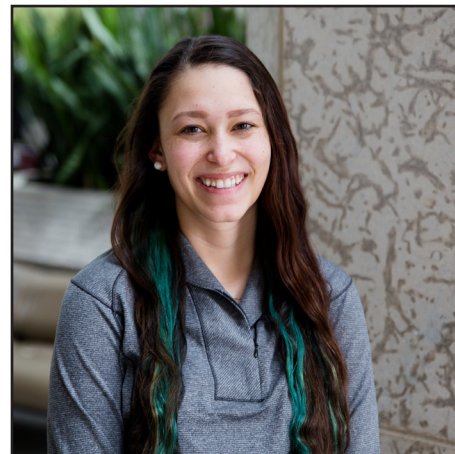
Three scholarships for students demonstrating enthusiasm and awareness of the entrepreneurial concept.



Cody Somers
University of Saskatchewan
Engineering Physics.



Emma Panter
Mount Royal University
Communications-Public Relations



Emily Letendre
University of Saskatchewan
Animal BioScience

The Morris Industries Scholarship - \$2,500

For a 4-H'er entering an agriculture-related degree, certificate or trade-based program.



Kyle Kirzinger
University of Saskatchewan
Agribusiness

Cervus Equipment Scholarship - \$1,500

For students entering their first or second year of an agriculture-related degree, diploma, certificate or trade program. Preference given to those residing in areas where Cervus Equipment John Deere locations service.



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Lakeland College
Agribusiness



Lauren Soucy
Lakeland College
Small Business and Entrepreneurship



Morgan Lehmann
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Rachel Sutherland
University of Saskatchewan
Agribusiness



Jenna Bernauer
Lakeland College
Animal Health Technology

Hector Loveridge Memorial Scholarship - \$1,269.49

For students who are entering the University of Saskatchewan College of Agriculture.

Gordon & Eileen Bonnor Scholarship Fund - \$1,000

For a student entering a Sask. degree or diploma program, related to agriculture, agribusiness or the rural economy of Saskatchewan.

Western Producer Scholarship - \$1,000

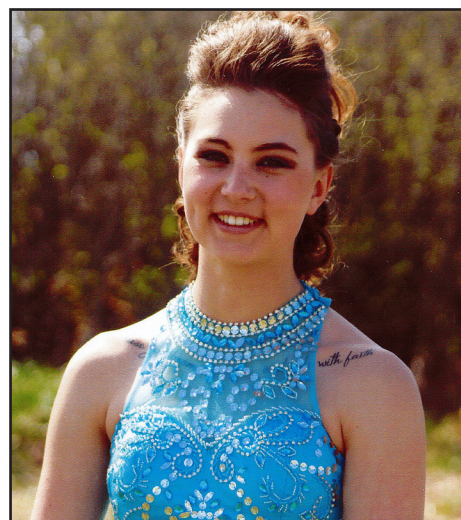
For a 4-H'er entering a program related to agriculture, agribusiness, or the rural economy of Saskatchewan.



Dylan Watt
University of Saskatchewan
Agribusiness



Megan Anderson
University of Saskatchewan
Agriculture & Bioresources



Anya Kuziw
Olds College
Equine Science

Saskatchewan Cattlemen's Association (SCA) - \$1,000

For a 4-H member entering post-secondary education related to the beef industry.



Shaylyn Novak
Animal BioScience

Palliser Insurance Scholarship – \$500

Two scholarships valued at \$500 awarded to 4-H members entering any degree/diploma/certificate program.



Doug Sroka
University of Saskatchewan
Psychology with a Political Science minor



Sara Florence
University of Saskatchewan
Animal Science

Future Leader Scholarship - \$500

For student entering 1st or 2nd year of a post-secondary degree or diploma program related to humanities or arts. Created by a 4-H family, actively engaged in the 4-H movement for more than 50 years.



Megan Reimer
University of Regina
Police Studies

The McCoughy Award - \$500

For a 4-H member entering a diploma or degree program related to agriculture, agribusiness, or the rural economy of Saskatchewan.



Jackson Goudy
University of Saskatchewan
Animal Bioscience

Bayer Crop Science Scholarship - \$500

For a 4-H member entering the U of S College of Agriculture in a degree or diploma course.



Cabri Tanchuk
University of Saskatchewan
Animal Science

National 4-H News

4-H Canada Science Fair Winners

4-H Canada announced the winners of the fourth annual 4-H Canada Science Fair, selected by a panel of 12 judges at the annual event in Truro, Nova Scotia on February 27 to March 3. With the generous support of Bayer – 4-H Canada’s Science & Technology pillar partner – 16 talented 4-H members traveled to Truro from across Canada for a chance to share their work and earn top honours. These projects reflect months of hard work designing, polishing and presenting their own science and technology projects, touching on a wide range of subjects.



The names of the winners are as follows: **Ruby Kinash (Saskatchewan)** with “Bacteria Counts in Saurkraut”; Megan D. & Avery N. (PEI) with “Ulva Lactuca: Subcritical Water & Supercritical Fluid Extractions”; Hashim F. (Manitoba) with “Kinētikos Phone Case”; and Liam C. (Alberta) with “Horse Power: Turning Manure into Power for Small Acreage Owners Using a Biodigester.”

The 4-H Canada Science Fair was also the occasion to award the new Ted Rogers Innovation Award to **Jessa Fox, from Saskatchewan**, for her project on flax crop waste being repurposed as an energy source. This award is offered through Youth Science Canada at regional science fairs to participants who show their entrepreneurial spirit by developing a project that demonstrates commercial potential.

‘...and my world’: The 4-H Pledge Goes Global

4-H Canada is pleased to announce that following its Annual General Meeting today, the 4-H Pledge will now include “...and my world” at the end.

The idea to update the 4-H Pledge was initiated at the 2017 Global 4-H Network Summit by 4-H youth members themselves who, for the first time, met with other 4-H youth from around the world and realized that they belonged to a global community of more than seven million youth involved in 4-H in over 70 countries.

Feeling empowered to contribute to a movement with implications far beyond themselves, 4-H youth proposed to align their Pledge in solidarity, so that their fellow members across the country could pledge the same promise as their counterparts around the world every day. 4-H Manitoba seized the momentum after their youth members expressed the same interest and presented a resolution to amend the Pledge at the 2018 4-H Canada AGM, which was adopted.

4-H Canada Announces Recipients of L.E.A.D. Scholarship

4-H Canada's most prestigious and highly-sought after annual scholarship recognizes four outstanding 4-H members who demonstrate personal development, community impact, and leadership excellence in each of 4-H Canada's four Leadership Development Pillars.

L.E.A.D. honours youth who have become exceptional leaders through their 4-H experience, and who share the best of themselves with their communities. L.E.A.D. is made possible through a generous partnership with CN, a long-time supporter of 4-H Canada and strong champion for advancing leadership in rural communities across Canada.

The 2019 4-H Canada L.E.A.D. recipients are:

- **Douglas Sroka**, SK, recipient for the Community Engagement & Communications Pillar
- Josiah Lodewyk, ON, recipient for the Science & Technology Pillar
- Riley Callahan, NB, recipient for the Environment & Healthy Living Pillar
- Courtney Taylor, AB, recipient for the Sustainable Agriculture & Food Security Pillar

Each L.E.A.D. recipient will receive a \$20,000 scholarship towards their four-year post-secondary studies, an all-expenses-paid trip to attend the 4-H Canada Leadership Awards taking place on February 10, 2020 in Ottawa, and ongoing mentorship from an expert in their field of study.

"The L.E.A.D. scholarship is unique in that it matches recipients with dream mentors, thus supporting youth as they move forward in their careers," said Shannon Benner, CEO of 4-H Canada. "We are very proud of this year's recipients and fortunate to be working with CN to recognize these four responsible, caring and contributing leaders who affect positive change in the world around them."

"Congratulations to the four 2019 L.E.A.D. scholarship recipients," said Sean Finn, Executive Vice-President of Corporate Services and Chief Legal Officer. "CN and 4-H Canada share a similar vision of building safe, strong, and vibrant communities across Canada. We are very proud to continue our partnership with 4-H Canada and to help cultivate the next generation of responsible, thoughtful and contributing leaders."

To learn more about the L.E.A.D. Scholarship and its recipients visit 4-h-canada.ca/lead.



4-H Canada Launches First National Fundraising Campaign

4-H Canada was thrilled to announce the launch of its first-ever national fundraising campaign, in partnership with Veseys Seeds Ltd. Developed in consultation with 4-H youth members and volunteer leaders across Canada, the initiative will give 4-H'ers the opportunity to explore the joys of gardening, and develop hands-on leadership and fundraising skills through the sale of seeds, bulbs, and roots.

With a product that reflects the interests and passions of 4-H members and ties back to 4-H's roots in agriculture, the campaign aimed to instill in the budding entrepreneurs a sense of pride in the 4-H movement, and encouraged them to spread awareness of how the program has impacted their lives and give back to 4-H through engaging their clubs and communities. Interested 4-H regions, counties and clubs signed up online.

Sixty per cent of their retail sales went back into supporting 4-H in Canada, with more than half of the profit staying local. For the first time, a national fundraiser will benefit all levels of the 4-H movement – from grassroots to provincial and national organizations – thus strengthening and ensuring a thriving, bright future for 4-H in Canada.

"Our youth members told us they wanted to be part of a collective fundraising effort that embodied the 4-H values, was Canadian and had a positive impact on the environment," said Shannon Benner, 4-H Canada CEO. "Thanks to Veseys, our fundraising campaign fits all these criteria, and supports our mission of empowering youth to be responsible, caring and contributing leaders that affect positive change in the world around them."

"Veseys Seeds has had a decades-long relationship with 4-H clubs on Prince Edward Island, having donated vegetable and flower seeds for their annual competitions," said John Barrett, Director of Sales, Marketing & Development, Veseys Seeds Ltd. "We are delighted to partner on the national level with 4-H Canada in this fundraising initiative, as we believe strongly in their dedication to agriculture, and the environment in which we live."



4-H Canada Scholarship Winners

John Deere Canada 4-H Scholarship

Through the generosity of John Deere Canada, 15 scholarships – valued at \$1,000 each – have been awarded to 4-H members across Canada. Opportunities such as this help support 4-H members who will pursue a post-secondary education at a Canadian college or university in a degree, certificate or trade-based program. Congratulations, once again to both **Christina Franks and Doug Sroka!**

TD 4-H Agriculture Scholarship

Through the generosity of TD, 12 - \$2,500 scholarships have been awarded to 4-H members across Canada. These 4-H members plan to pursue a post-secondary education in agriculture, ag-science or agri-business. Congratulations to **Christina Franks!**

4-H Saskatchewan Members Received Scholarships Totalling ~\$49,000

Travel Awards

Citizenship Congress An Amazing Experience For Delegates

The Citizenship Congress took place from April 30 to May 5 in Ottawa, with nine delegates – Lacey Bauer, Brett Rumpel, Mackayla Carlson, Sara Florence, AJ Morland, Isobel Kinash, Rayna Yaseniuk, Meghan Kerr and Erin Casey – and one chaperone, Penny Scott, attending from Saskatchewan.

The theme for 2019 was “The Power to Vote: Value of Civic Engagement”, and during the week the delegates learned about governance and public policy in Canada. They met many important Canadians, including the current Speaker of the House, Geoff Regan, the Minister of Agriculture and Agri-food, Marie-Claude Bibeau, three female Members of Parliament under the age of 40, Pages and Tour Guides who work on Parliament Hill and the MPs from their own ridings. They also observed a Question Period in the brand-new House of Commons.

During the week they toured Ottawa, visiting the National Gallery of Canada, the Canadian War Museum and the Canadian Museum of History. The main event was the debate that took place in the Senate on May 4.

The resolution was “Be it resolved that the legal voting age for all elections in Canada be reduced to 16 years of age.” The Saskatchewan delegation was represented in the Government, the Opposition, the Third Party, the Clerks and the Press Gallery. The debate went wonderfully, and in the end the resolution was voted in and was passed.

The Saskatchewan delegation came together very well throughout the week, describing their province during the provincial spotlight, doing a synchronized swimming routine as a group in the talent show, and winning the title of Loudest and Most Exuberant Cheerers.



U.S. National Conference

The U.S. National Conference was held April 6-11, 2019 in Washington, DC. The 4-H Saskatchewan delegate was Dylan Watt of the Beechy Multiple 4-H Club.



This conference is a great civic engagement opportunity for 4-H members in the U.S. and one member from each province is selected to attend. During the conference, delegates choose a societal topic and worked in roundtables to prepare a briefing, which they presented to U.S. federal officials. They also had the opportunity to tour Washington, visit famous cultural and political sites and visit the Canadian Embassy.



National Members Forum

The 4-H Canada National Members Forum was held December 1-5 in Calgary. The Saskatchewan delegates were Lacey Bauer, Haden Smith, Natalie Hunter, Grady Morland, AJ Morland, Mckenna Mitchell and Summer Norman, chaperoned by Stacey Hawkins.

The theme for the conference this year was “Sprouting Success, Cultivating Careers.” This allowed them to explore ideas around career pathways, networking, the environment and healthy living, personal well being and leadership development. They also had the opportunity to attend the GrowCanada Conference and participated in networking opportunities and mentorship circles.



Hall of Fame

The 4-H Saskatchewan Hall of Fame was created in 1985 to provide a way to recognize individuals who have made outstanding contributions to the 4-H program in Saskatchewan in a volunteer capacity. To be eligible for this recognition, recipients must have made an outstanding volunteer contribution to 4-H, served the 4-H movement for at least 15 years, and contributed to 4-H beyond the club level.

The 4-H Saskatchewan Hall of Fame is on display at the Saskatoon Regional Agriculture Office. Thank you to the Ministry of Agriculture for providing the space to display the Hall of Fame photos and biographies. 4-H Saskatchewan is pleased to celebrate Wayne and Kim Jansen, Melanie Bashutski and Richard Moellenbeck's 2019 inductions into the 4-H Saskatchewan Hall of Fame. They were formally inducted into the Hall of Fame at the 2019 Annual General Meeting banquet.

Melanie Bashutski

Melanie was born on September 23, 1954. She grew up 1.5 kilometers west of Kelliher. At the age of 10, she and her four siblings were introduced to the 4-H program when they became members of the Kelliher 4-H Homecraft Club. Melanie was a member of this club until graduating high school in 1972. During this time, she held all executive positions, organized fundraising events and actively participated in her chosen projects.



In 1970, Melanie attended Camp Rayner and Farm Girls Camp, where she won second place for the dress she made. Melanie could always be found at public speaking and curling competitions. In 1971, her District #39 curling team won second place at regionals. Melanie and her husband Don raised four children – Lasha, Trevor, Brody and Tyler. Melanie returned to the 4-H family when their daughter, Lasha, became a member of the Lestock 4-H Multiple Club. When their oldest son, Trevor, became a member, Melanie became a project leader and quickly moved to the role of assistant general leader. Upon the sudden death of the club's general leader in 1997, Melanie accepted the general leader position without hesitation.

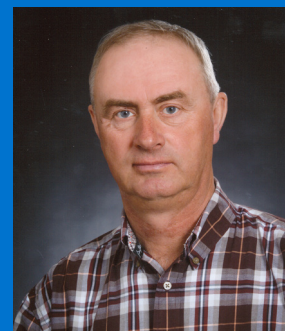
Melanie has led the following projects: Exploring 4-H, Cloverbuds, Photography, Crafts, Outdoor Adventure, 4-U Self Determined, Bird Watching, Wood Working and Bison. At times, Melanie led as many as three projects in one 4-H year! At the District #39 level, Melanie held several executive offices, was actively involved in organizing regional and provincial public speaking and curling competitions, and represented District #39 as a leader delegate at the 4-H Saskatchewan AGM.

In 1995, Melanie was chosen as chaperone for a 4-H exchange. Her District #39 group was twinned with a group from Hamilton, Ontario. At the regional level, Melanie assisted with events such as 4-H Ski Day and the South East Regional Rally event, which kicked off the 4-H Saskatchewan 100th Anniversary Celebration.

With Melanie's craft knowledge, she assisted the 4-H Saskatchewan staff in creating the new Crafts Project Manual. Additionally, she has judged public speaking and record books at the club, district and regional levels. Melanie served as the South East Leader Delegate on the 4-H Saskatchewan Board of Directors. She volunteered on a variety of committees, including assisting the provincial office organizing for the 4-H Saskatchewan 100th Anniversary Gala Celebration. Melanie has been an amazing role model, leader and mentor to all who have been fortunate to cross paths with her. She continues to be a huge 4-H fan, supporter and promoter.

Richard Moellenbeck

Richard Moellenbeck resides near Englefield, where he and his family operate Bell M farms, a Purebred Shorthorn cattle and commercial cattle operations. Richard also works off the farm, as a livestock inspector in the Humboldt area. When asked to describe Richard, most people would describe him as a family man – he is the son of Elizabeth and the late Arnold Moellenbeck, husband to Rhonda, father to Ryley, Raylene, Russell and Royce, as well as soon to be father-in-law to Rhiannon and Marshall.



4-H has been a constant part of Richard's life. He first joined the Englefeld Multiple 4-H Club (which became the Bar West 4-H Beef Club) as a member when he was 10 years old. In 1988, Richard transitioned from member to leader. He has been a leader of the Bar West 4-H Beef Club in District #21 for 31 years. In total, Richard has been involved in 4-H for 42 years. Richard's 4-H club is proud to have him as a leader. He has helped youth who aren't from a farming background or living on a farm join the 4-H beef project by boarding their animals and spending extra hours teaching them the basics of animal husbandry.

When he had his 30 year anniversary as a leader, Richard's 4-H club made a presentation to him, explaining his importance to the club. According to the members, he shows a lot of patience while leading. When their meetings get off track, Richard stays calm and gets them back on topic. They all have great memories of Richard as a leader and are grateful to him for sharing his knowledge. They describe Richard as honest, patient, respectful, encouraging, dedicated, humble and fair.

The members said "The 4-H motto is Learn to Do by Doing and you have guided many members in your 30 years of leadership to do just that. You have given to your club, your community and your country not only in your years as a 4-H leader but also in your years as a 4-H member." Richard has not only been involved in 4-H at his club level – he has also held many other positions including District #21 President, Regional Chairperson of the Melfort 4-H Regional Show & Sale and a board member on the Melfort Ag Society as a 4-H representative.

Richard has dedicated his time and knowledge to many boards outside of 4-H, including Holy Guardian Angels Parish council, Saskatchewan Livestock Association, Saskatchewan Shorthorn Association, and Canadian Shorthorn Association. Richard is an example of a great humanitarian and a worthy recipient of his induction into the "Saskatchewan 4-H Hall of Fame."

Past Inductees

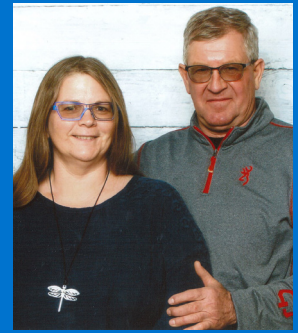
Art Adamson, 2011
Nancy Baumann-Wall, 2002
Brenda Berry, 2004
Lynn Biggart, 1991
Frank Binnie, 1985
Helen Brand, 1988
Elaine Brown, 2007
Joseph Brown, 1991
Peter Bygrove, 2017
Hugh Bullerwell, 2001
Andrew Caragata, 1992
Mary-Ann Carson, 2011
Herbert Clark, 1994
Harris Clarke, 1998
Archie Colton, 1986

James Cowan, 1986
Donna Cunningham, 2018
Evelyn Deutsch, 2006
Irene Dorrance, 2013
Frank Dunham, Sr. 2001
Harry-Jae Elder, 1999
Mary Elliott, 1992
Mildred Everest, 2013
Shirley Felton, 1999
Kelly Ann Friedrich, 2014
Hubert Gadd, 1985
Olive Goldsmith, 1986
Jim Grandfield, 1992
Doris Hall, 1995/96
John Olaf Hanson, 1987
Louise Haubold, 2009

Kathleen Hauer, 2004
Sandra Hinks, 1995/96
Darlene Hoffer, 1999
Daryl Hooper, 1989
Verna Hornseth, 1998
Colin Hughes, 2009
Harold Johnson, 1987
Doris Kennett, 1993
Henry Ed Kennett, 1993
Morris Kiland, 2013
Jacob Krupka, 2003
Joan Lillebo, 2017
Alexander Logan, 1997
Wilma Lovdahl, 2008
James Martin, 1994

Wayne and Kim Jansen

Wayne and Kim Jansen have been involved with the Beechy 4-H Club for a number of years; Wayne for 20 years as a beef project leader, and Kim for 18 years as general leader, and leader of a number of projects including beef, cooking, crafts, small pets and Cloverbud. Wayne was also a beef 4-H member for 6 years.



Wayne and Kim have devoted their lives to 4-H, influencing every 4-H member and parent who has gone through the program under their guidance. They have always gone the extra step to make sure everyone is understood and on the same page, every question is answered, recommendations are given and love is handed out. They both devoted countless hours, guidance and wisdom to a passion and program that is near and dear to their hearts.

As 4-H leaders, Wayne and Kim were loved by the youth. The couple always included every member in decisions, whether they were Cloverbuds or Senior members. They believe and live the 4-H philosophy and are always willing to share their knowledge of 4-H with others. Many of the 4-H members from their club fondly remember Kim bringing homemade cookies to events, which helped bring the shy members out of their shell. Not only are they amazing role models for their 4-H members, they show a lot of compassion and volunteering spirit and are described as having quiet natures and a love of teaching others. No matter what is happening in their lives, they are dedicated to the youth in their club. They are always willing to assist where needed, from allowing a Cloverbud the use of their animal, or boarding an animal when a member had no room.

They have also been instrumental in planning their club's annual Christmas Tree Sale. Their family has picked up the trees and organized the selling of them for years. The 4-H trees are the only ones sold in the community. Beyond Club-level, Wayne organized district curling and was a 4-H curling coach with his team advancing to Provincials. Kim was club representative on the district council for several years, and held the district president and vice president positions. She also was on the Funtastic Committee and chaperoned a trip to Nova Scotia.

Within their community, both have sat on the Swift Current Ag & Ex Committee – Wayne for 18 years and Kim for 10 years. Wayne was an ambulance attendant, rink committee president, rodeo committee member and councillor for the R.M. of Victory. Kim has been on the Beechy Rink Kitchen Auxiliary for years and has volunteered at the Lance Valley Cemetery.

Past Inductees

Carol Masecar, 2012
Bertha Masurat, 1991
Ernest Meadows, 1989
Bud Morken, 2005
Louise Mueller, 1993
Lisa Nestman, 2018
Joyce Noble, 1990
Norman Noble, 1990
Ellen Oddan, 2007
Ronald Oliver, 2008
Wes Olynuk, 2018
Helen Pearce, 1985
Eileen Peters, 2012
Jim Pollock, 2006
Vi Protz, 2011

Henry Putland, 2003
Robert Raymond, 2005
John George Rayner, 1999
Kenneth Robertson, 1989
George Robinson, 1997
Shirley Rosso, 2002
Edward Roth, 1994
Alan James Rugg, 1987
Joan Rutledge, 1998
Donna Saunders, 2009
David Schick, 1997
Willie Schmitt, 2015
William Selody, 2003
Fay Seminuk, 2001
Muriel Sheldon, 2002
Samuel Small, 1990

James Smith, 1988
Deborah Stevenson, 2004
Ruth Thoen, 1995/96
Helen Tunbridge, 2010
Marlene Tymiak, 2007
Wesley Van Caesele, 2017
Lee Walerius, 2010
Claude Wasden, 2012
Meta Weick, 2010
Susan Weinheimer, 2005
Emerson Wells, 1988
Rita V. Wells, 2006
Herbert Wilson, 1995/96
Maralyn Wintersgill, 1999
Lambert Wourms, 2008

Financial Statements

Saskatchewan 4-H Council Statement of Financial Position *as at December 31, 2019*

ASSETS

CURRENT	2019	2018
Cash	\$356,850	\$412,865
Investments	\$110,592	\$153,274
Accounts Receivable	\$19,633	\$9,179
Grants Receivable	\$91,820	\$102,861
Inventory	\$78,610	\$95,587
Prepaid Expenses	\$18,634	\$9,933
Due from related party	\$61,010	\$49,400
LONG TERM INVESTMENTS	\$205,288	\$154,178
CAPITAL ASSETS	\$6,625	\$14,807
TOTAL ASSETS	\$949,062	\$1,002,084

LIABILITIES

CURRENT	2019	2018
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$76,470	\$67,752
Deferred revenue	\$200,951	\$196,891
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$277,421	\$264,643

NET ASSETS

	2019	2018
Unrestricted	\$251,530	\$325,758
Internally Restricted	\$420,111	\$411,683
TOTAL NET ASSETS	\$671,641	\$737,441
	\$949,062	\$1,002,084

Saskatchewan 4-H Council
Statement of Revenues and Expenitures
as at December 31, 2019

REVENUE

	2019	2018
Government Funding	\$319,353	\$333,189
Membership Dues and Registration Fees	\$299,661	\$292,777
Saskatchewan 4-H Foundation	\$131,507	\$103,888
Scholarships and Awards	\$158,099	\$72,471
In-Kind Donations	\$53,000	\$60,891
Provincial Programs	\$46,196	\$46,714
Provincial Lottery	\$65,790	\$37,000
Promotional Sales	\$26,319	\$29,896
Saskatchewan Lotteries Trust Fund	\$27,383	\$26,585
Other	\$12,041	\$9,475
TOTAL REVENUE	\$1,139,349	\$1,012,886

EXPENSES

	2019	2018
Administrative	\$537,153	\$455,967
Provincial, regional, district and club level	\$407,597	\$363,182
Board and Council Business	\$128,468	\$104,055
Development and marketing	\$93,393	\$90,165
Supplies	\$34,940	\$35,188
Amortization of capital assets	\$9,598	\$9,545
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$1,205,149	\$1,058,102

Deficiency of Revenue Over Expenses	(\$65,800)	(\$45,216)
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PREVIOUS YEARS REVENUE AND EXPENSES

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Revenue	\$887,397	\$983,464	\$1,122,823	\$1,012,886	\$1,139,349
Expenses	\$855,654	\$914,588	\$1,096,147	\$1,058,102	\$1,205,149
Net Profit (Loss)	\$31,743	\$68,846	\$26,676	(\$45,216)	(\$65,800)

4-H Canada Leadership Development Pillars



Community Engagement & Communications

Programs in this pillar are designed to encourage youth to seek out ways to lend a hand, take action and make a positive difference in the world around them. 4-H provides opportunities for youth to get involved in their community as active, engaged leaders to help affect positive change within Canada and across the globe.



Science & Technology

Engaging young people in hands-on science and technology-based projects is the focus of this pillar. Together, we create opportunities for youth to explore connections between science, technology, society, and their own lives. Through science and technology programming, youth can dive into hands-on, inquiry-based projects and activities, which spark their curiosity.



Sustainable Agriculture & Food Security

4-H members have always been strongly connected to agriculture. This pillar includes a focus on sustainable agricultural practices, as well as the vital importance of food security both at home and abroad. Young people are taking an active interest in issues affecting people worldwide. This pillar is vital to the growth of young people, and to the food we eat around the world.



Environment & Healthy Living

Programs in this 4-H pillar offer opportunities for youth to discover how to be stewards of the environment and to explore positive ways to stay healthy and active. 4-H ensures programs and activities create opportunities for youth to succeed by letting them focus on exploration and self-discovery.

Positive Youth Development Principals



4-H in Saskatchewan

2018/19 Statistics

Members

3,084

Male	1,302
Female	1,782
Average Member Age	11.30
Average Member Tenure (years)	4

By Age Group

	Male	Female	Total
Future Leader	-	-	-
Senior	176	278	454
Intermediate	236	387	623
Junior	521	700	1,221
CloverBud	369	417	786

Leaders

850

Clubs

North West Region	47
North East Region	37
South West Region	39
South East Region	46

Top Ten Projects

Beef	2,492
Light Horse	609
Archery	161
4-U Self Determined	159
Outdoor Living	120
Canine	84
Foods	83
Sheep	64
Crafts	61
Sewing	59

4-H in Canada

Across Canada, there are **24,079 4-H members** and **7,609 4-H leaders** in **1,860 4-H clubs**! There are 14,471 girls and 9,608 boys enrolled in the program and the average age of a 4-H members is 12.4 years. Ontario has the highest enrollment of 4-H members (6,012), followed by Alberta (5,909) and then Saskatchewan.

The membership comes from a variety of backgrounds, with 52 per cent from farms, 31 per cent from rural communities and 17 per cent from urban. The majority of members are registered in projects under the Sustainable Agriculture & Food Security, followed by Environment & Healthy Living, with Science & Technology and Community Engagement & Communications being the least.

4-H as a Global Movement

4-H is **one of the largest youth organizations in the world**.

Around the globe, 4-H is focused on supporting youth leaders and providing an infrastructure for positive youth development. Independent, country-led 4-H programs can be found in all corners of the globe— from Africa to Asia, 4-H is present in 70 countries!

There are close to **seven million 4-H'ers worldwide**. The Global 4-H Network has the goal of reaching 25 million members internationally by 2025.





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4-H Saskatchewan

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The 4-H program in Saskatchewan began as Boys and Girls clubs in the communities of Dubuc, Tantalton and Colgate in 1917. Our movement has stayed true to our agricultural roots, but also grown to include the many projects offered today, which range from archery to drama, from geo-caching to wood-working. 4-H now stands as one of the longest-running and most recognized youth organizations in Canada.

4-H has remained true to our roots and to the pledge that gives us our name – by providing opportunities and encouraging our youth to LEARN TO DO BY DOING and pledging our HEAD, HEART, HEALTH and HANDS to the service of their communities and their world.

