

JEFFERSON COUNTY 4-H CLOVER AWARD

All Jefferson County 4-H members **third grade and older** are eligible and encouraged to participate in this countrywide special recognition program.

The Clover Award Program is designed to recognize 4-H members for their active participation in club and county activities and events. By participating in activities and events, members can earn points towards recognition steps.

4-H members may take more than one year to earn a Clover Award before starting to earn the next Clover Award. This means you may take 13-14 months to finish before starting the next "Step" in the current 4-H year. (Example: to complete your application, you still need to do your required Club Demonstration and you do it on October 15 of the new 4-H year. Your application date is 10/1/13-10/15/14, new start date for next application is 10/16/14).

You may take a point for an activity or an event only once. An activity or an event cannot be repeated on the application. You cannot carry over points (or activities) to the next "Step". The 4-H year is October 1 to September 30.

The program has five recognition steps each having minimum requirements for completion. A Clover Award certificate and frame will be given to those earning their Green Award. Award seals will be given upon completion of each step, and upon completing their Emerald Award members will receive a \$20.00 honorarium. The recognition steps include:

Step #1 Green Clover Award	25 Points (minimum 18 club level, 2 county)
Step #2 Bronze Clover Award	29 Points (minimum 18 club level, 3 county)
Step #3 Silver Clover Award	31 Points (minimum 18 club level, 4 county)
Step #4 Gold Clover Award	32 Points (minimum 18 club level, 5 county)
Step #5 Emerald Clover Award	35 Points (minimum 18 club level, 6 county)

Clover Award forms are due to your club general leader by the 2nd Monday of September. General leaders must submit forms to the UW-Extension Office by October 1. The Clover Award recipients will be notified and the awards distributed during the "4-H Recognition Celebration" awards ceremony. Any questions, contact your club general leader or the UW-Extension Office.

Clover Award Application Directions

Please fill in name, club name, and the 4-H year that your application applies to. Circle which Clover Award you are applying for. On the second page of this application, fill in all appropriate information since last submitting your Clover Award. After your application is completed, put your application into your Clover Award Folder. **All completed applications must be kept together in your folder. Give your folder to your club general leader.** Your club general leader must verify the information and submit it to the UW-Extension Office.

Name: _____ 4-H Club: _____

4-H Year Application Start/Finish Date: Oct 1, _____ to Sept 30, _____ (or if extended) _____

Applying for: Green Bronze Silver Gold Emerald

Total 4-H Clover Award Points Earned on this Application _____

General Leader Signature: _____

Date: _____

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Club Level Activities/Participation

Each activity is worth 1 point. • 1 point allowed per line. • DO NOT Repeat Activities.

4-H Club Meetings Attended 1 Point Per Meeting Maximum of 12 Points	Number of Meetings Held	Number of Meetings Attended (or excused from)	Points

ACTIVITY/PARTICIPATION Each Activity Is Worth 1 Point -- 1 Point Per Line	Date	Subject/What	Points
Gave a Demonstration at My Club Meeting <i>(must earn 1 point from this area)</i>			
Did Community Service with My Club <i>(must earn 1 point from this area)</i>			
Enjoyed being a part of My Club by participating in a Fun / Recreation Event <i>(must earn 1 point from this area)</i>			
Served on a Committee for My Club			
Participated in My Club Fundraiser <i>(not the County Pizza/Pie Fundraiser)</i>			
Led an Activity at My Club Meeting			
Helped to Promote My Club <i>(such as - name in the media, bring a new family, etc.)</i>			
Provided Leadership to My Club <i>(such as, club officer, committee chair, etc.)</i>			
Completed My 4-H Record Book			
Club Awards <i>(such as, attendance, record book, top pizza/pie sales, spirit, etc)</i>			
Other My Club Activities / Participation <i>(project meetings cannot be used)</i>			

Total Points from this page: _____

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County, District, State, & National Participation

- Space on the left are for **county** related activities. Spaces on the right are for activities **beyond the county** level or those that involved more than one county.
- Blank spaces may be filled with special project programs, events or workshops.
- County related project meetings are not eligible for points (MAP, Robotics, Poultry, Shooting Sports, Goat, etc). Each activity is worth 1 point.

Date	County	Points	Date	Regional – State – National	Points
	Agri-Business Food Stand Volunteer			Area Animal Science Day	
	Camp – MAP Livestock			Art Team	
	Camp – Summer (camper/counselor)			Arts Camp	
	Clothing Preview			Arts Leadership Lab	
	Dairy Breakfast Volunteer			Citizenship Washington Focus	
	Fair – Exhibitor			Drama Team	
	Fair – Cloverbud Judge			International Exchange / Exchange Host	
	Foods Revue			National 4-H Conference	
	Judging Team			National 4-H Congress	
	Junior Leaders			Press Team	
	MAP Sale			Sheep and Wool Festival Volunteer	
	Officer Training			Showcase Singers	
	Pizza/Pie Fundraiser			Space Camp	
	Poster & Speaking Contest			State Cat Show	
	County Committee Member (Horse, MAP, other project area)			State 4-H Dairy Bowl / Management	
	Project Award -1 per year			State Dog Show	
	Project Learning Day			State Fair Exhibitor	
	Recognition Celebration (Awards Program)			State Horse Bowl	
	Secretary or Treasurer Book – County Award/Recognition			State Horse Expo	
	Small Animal Sale			State Meats Judging Contest	
	Special Emphasis Banquet			State 4-H Plant Science Day	
	Tractor Safety			State / District Shooting Sports Contest	
	Leadership Workshop / Training Title: _____			State Robotics Competition	
	Cloverbud Camp Counselor			Youth Leadership Council	
				Wisconsin 4-H Youth Conference	
	Total Points			Total Points	

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