

JEFFERSON COUNTY 4-H CLOVER AWARD

Due September 1 of the 4-H Year

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 or more to finish before starting the next "Step" in the current 4-H year.

You may earn 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 with 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 \$50.00 honorarium. The recognition steps include:

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| • 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) |

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 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. Your club general leader must verify the information.**

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 Verification: _____ 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	Attended 10-25% of the meetings	3 pts
	Attended 26-50% of the meetings	6 pts
	Attended 51-75% of the meetings	9 pts
	Attended 76-100% of the meetings	12 pts
How Many Club Meetings Held _____ How Many Club Meetings You Attended _____ How Many Points Did You Earn? _____ <i>Example: If your club offered a total of 4 meetings and you attended all 4, you earn 12 points. If your club offered 4 meetings and you went to 1, you earn 3 points.</i>		

Activity/Participation Each activity is worth 1 point/1 point per line	Date	Subject/What	Points
Gave a demonstration at my club meeting			
Did community service with my club			
Participated in a fun/recreation event			
Served on a committee for my club			
Participated in my club fundraiser			
Led an activity at my club meeting			
Helped to promote my club (such as name in the media, bring a new family, etc.)			
Provided leadership to my club (such as club officer, committee chair, etc.)			
Club awards (such as attendance, record book, spirit, etc.)			
Other club activities/participation (project meetings cannot be used)			

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 eligible for points. Points are awarded for participating in meetings or activities. One point per project. Example: You attended 3 Photography meetings and 1 Natural Science meeting; you get 2 points.

Date	County	Points	Date	Regional-State-National	Points
	Agri-Business Food Stand Volunteer			Area Animal Science Days	
	4-H Food Stand (1 pt per shift)			American Spirit	
	Jefferson Co. Fair 4-H Food Stand			Citizen Washington Focus	
	County-Wide Fundraiser			Space Camp (camper/counselor/advanced)	
	Fair – Exhibitor			National 4-H Conference	
	Camp – Summer (camper/counselor)			National 4-H Congress	
	Cloverbud Camp Volunteer			Art Beat	
	County Committee Member (Dairy, Horse, Leaders Association, Livestock, other project area)			Art Camp	
	Junior Leaders			Arts Lab	
	Officer Training			Communication Team	
	Livestock Project Learning Day			Drama Company	
	Judging Team (1 pt per team participation)			State 4-H Teams	
	Sparks Day			State 4-H Project Contests (1 pt per contest ex: communications, marketing, quiz, etc.)	
	Cook off/Bake Off (1 pt per contest)			State Cat Show	
	Food4Ward (1 pt per meeting)			State 4-H Dairy Bowl/Management	
	Project Learning Day (Fall)			State Dog Show	
	Project Learning Day (Winter)			State Fair Exhibitor (1 pt per project and/or species)	
	Club Officer Record Book Submission			State Horse Bowl	
	Project Award (1 per year)			State Horse Expo/Gymkhana	
	4-H Record Book			State Animal Shows – 4-H and others (WLBA, Jackpots) (1 pt per species)	
	4-H Awards Banquet			State Meats Judging Contest	
	Other:			State/District Shooting Sports Contest	
	Other:			State Quiz Bowl/Skillathon Contest	
	Other:			Youth Leadership Council	
	Other:			Summer Academy	
	Project:			Other:	
	Project:			Other:	
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	Project:			Other:	
	Project:			Other:	
Total Points			Total Points		

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