



Welcome to your weekly addition of the Chippewa Chatter! We are looking forward to sharing with you the latest and greatest in the 4-H world in weekly updates.

YQCA (Youth for the Quality Care for Animals) will be again required for specific animal exhibitors at the Northern Wisconsin State Fair in the following species: Dairy, Beef, Swine, Sheep, Goat, Rabbit and Poultry. Youth must take this course yearly and provide documentation to the fair. The first face-to-face session will be offered by Jerry Clark on **Monday, January 27** at 7 PM at the Eagleton Town Hall. Youth must be pre-registered for the program at <https://yqca.learn-grow.io/Account/Login> and there are limited seats. Two other sessions will be offered and youth can opt to take the training online as well.



### Upcoming County-wide Meetings & Trainings

January 20	6:15 p.m.	Horse Program	Fill Inn Station
January 27	7:30 p.m.	Quality Meats	Eagleton Town Hall
January 28	6:30 p.m.	Dog Program	Room 13, Courthouse
February 3	6:00 p.m.	VIP Training	Room 302, Courthouse



This workshop is open to 4-H members in grades 3 and up, leaders and parents who want to learn more about fused glass. The Glass Orchard will be hosting Chippewa County 4-H for their fused glass snowflake making class. The snowflake can be used as an ornament or a sun catcher and doubles as a fair exhibit! The owner's of The Glass Orchard are glass blowers and artists by trade and are opening up their programming to us. The workshop will be held on Tuesday, **February 18, 2020 at 6:30 p.m.** Registration is required and due by February 7th and can be found here: [Fused Glass Workshop](#)

Chippewa County 4-H youth are being offered a chance to learn the basics of rifle shooting, firearm safety, and the fun of Olympic-style marksmanship. We will offer the "4-H Basic Rifle Shooting Course", using match grade pellet rifles to teach gun handling safety and shooting fundamentals. The course will begin **Saturday, February 15, 2020 at 8:00 a.m.**, followed by Friday night classes and practices. Youth must be in 3rd grade AND 8 years old to participate. Registration and more information can be found here: [Rifle Information & Registration](#)



Chippewa County 4-H is partnering with Jennifer Castellano, Stanley-Boyd Art Teacher for a jewelry making workshop! In this exciting workshop, artists will create a necklace using polymer clay. Polymer clay is fun to work with as it is brightly colored and bakes quickly. In addition to the necklace, participants will design a unique display for their creations. Youth can choose to make earring, a necklace, or both! Classes will be offered on **February 20 from 5-7 PM** or **February 22 from 10-Noon**. *Bring payment to the class.* Registration can be found here: [Jewelry Making Workshop](#)

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