



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.

Project changes for achieving in projects must be made by **April 1, 2021** in 4-H Online. If you are having issues adding or dropping projects, please email Heidi at heidi.vanderloop@wisc.edu with any project changes by April 1st.



The following guidelines are in place until April 1: 10 or fewer individuals indoors or up to 50 outdoors in groups of 10 separated by twenty feet.

Suggested activities for March (with approval) include: small group indoor project meetings, demonstrations, hiking, outdoor project meetings such as maple syrup making etc.

Stay tuned for guidance for April 1- June 1 available soon.

Get your hands dirty Digging Deeper into 4-H this spring! Youth in 4-8 grades from Chippewa, Dunn and Eau Claire counties are invited to participate in this hands-on virtual program.

Each Thursday night starting April 1, live sessions will be offered at 6:30 pm to engage in the hands-on learning with 4-H Educators and 4-H volunteers. These sessions will also be recorded for youth to complete if they cannot attend a Thursday night. Projects will include: Foods & Nutrition (flat bread making), Photography, Electricity (DIY Flashlight), Rocketry and Arts & Crafts (4-H barn quilt). There will be an optional in person rocket launch following the completion of the program.

The program fee is \$25 and covers most materials for each week. Registration open until March 2. More information and registration can be found here: <https://forms.gle/agX5CKzuXkj14CkE8>



Chippewa County 4-H Leaders Inc. sponsored a t-shirt design challenge for the 2020-2021 Chippewa County 4-H gear. The top three designs are now available to vote on! Please submit your vote by Tuesday, March 9 at 4:30 pm.

Voting can be done here: <https://forms.gle/v1nttlygPFhUeLwj6>. The winning concept will be used for clothing items available April 2021.

Upcoming meeting/important dates:

3/9/21	Leaders Council	Zoom	4/15/21	Camp Reg. Open	4-H Online
3/15/21	Horse Program	Google Meet	4/30-5/1	Counselor Training	Kenwood
4/5/21	Quality Meats	TBD	5/15	Canoe Trip	TBD
4/5/21	Camp Counselor Applications Due				
4/10/21	Sheep Weigh In	Eagleton Town Hall	Stay tuned for more spring & summer programs!		

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