

# BADGER BRIEFS

Badger 4-H Club

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## The 4-H Pledge

I pledge my head to clearer thinking,  
My heart to greater loyalty,  
My hands to larger service,  
And my health to better living,  
For my club, my community,  
My country and my world

## Happy Birthday to these Badger members!

Steffi F	Logan M
Daniel F	Christopher O
Lauren F	Kacey P
Olivia H	Madison P
Austin L	Brianna W

## At This Meeting

We will be watching the performance of our club's drama team's production "I Pledge" and finishing with an ice cream social.

## Advisory Board

Advisory Board will meet Thursday July 1 at 7:00PM in the Hedberg Public Library Public Meeting Room. All Adults, Leaders and Members are welcome!

## July Meeting

Our July meeting will be held on Thursday, July 8<sup>th</sup> at 7:00PM at the church. Fair entry tags will be handed out.

## Softball

Softball season has started!! Practices are every Monday at 6:00 PM at Washington School (diamond is on the corner of Oakhill and Memorial). Games are on Wednesdays at 6:00PM at varying locations. The Juniors consist of all members Cloverbud through age 13 (as of 1-1-10). Seniors are all those 14 and over (as of 1-1-10). Juniors ages 11 and over may also play on the Seniors team. Cloverbuds may play all season games, but not at the tournament game in July. There are still

openings. If you are interested in playing...please see Mike Wilson...no softball experience necessary!

## Pork Fest

We will be selling slices of pie at Pork Fest on Wednesday, June 16 from 4-8pm. A sign up will be available tonight for those interested in working at the sale. Wear your club shirt if you have one. Each family is requested to bring two *homemade* pies to the Craig Center at the Fairgrounds. Consider making a non-fruit pie (pecan, rhubarb, lemon, etc or a no-sugar pie). No cream pies please as we do not have refrigeration. Remember to use disposable pie pans, if possible. Look for the Badger 4-H sign—that's where we'll be! If you're not a baker, maybe you can make a trade with another 4-H family, or ask grandma to help out. Pies will need to be delivered between 3 and 4 PM.

## Beloit Snappers 4-H Night

Let's take our club out to the ballgame! The Beloit Snappers 4-H night is Tuesday June 29 at 7PM. Tickets are \$2.00 each and must be pre-purchased. Please pay for your tickets tonight.

## 4-H Camp

Make some memories with your Badger friends and 4-Hers from around the county. Consider attending 4-H Summer Camp. Dates are Saturday, August 14 -Tuesday, August 17 at Upham Woods, near Wisconsin Dells. Cost is only \$100 per camper. Registration has been extended from the June 4 deadline. See the April Cloverpatch for more details and a registration form.

## Milton Parade

We will again be participating in the Milton 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade. This year we will be walking with banners behind the convertibles holding our royalty. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to

participate. Wear your club shirt if you have one. Plan to arrive by 12:30. The parade starts at 1:00PM. We are also still in need of convertibles for the royalty. If you know of one we could borrow, please see Kathy van Veldhuisen or Mike Farrey.

### Record Books

4-H members must complete a record book in order to achieve, along with a fair entry or public showing for each project. Record book pages are available online at <http://rock.uwex.edu/4h/index.html> We will discuss more about filling them out at the July and August meetings. Cloverbuds will receive their record books at the July meeting. **Record books are due at the September meeting.**

### Fair Updates

This year the **exhibitor wristband** for the 2010 fair will cost \$5. Fair personnel must put on wristbands. The following is the time schedule when bands may be purchased and put on:  
Friday, July 23, 9 a.m. to 7 p.m.  
Sunday, July 25, 10 a.m. to 5p.m  
Monday, July 26, 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.  
Bands will be on sale at the fairgrounds and must be purchased no later than 8p.m. on Monday, July 26. **After that date you will have to purchase a regular priced ticket at the gate.** Leader passes are also available during this time in the Secretary's office at the fairgrounds. Cost is \$5.00 per pass.

Piggly Wiggly stores in, Edgerton, Evansville and Milton will be selling adult season passes for the 2010 Rock County 4-H Fair. The passes are available at the stores June 14 – July 9, 2010. Season passes sold at Piggly Wiggly will be sold for \$20.00. That is a \$2.00 savings. The discount passes are only available at these local Piggly Wiggly stores.

Sign up sheets will be available tonight for building supervision. Badger will be providing building supervision on Sat July 31 from 1:30 until 3:30.

### Cloverbud Judges

Anyone 16 and older interested in judging Cloverbud projects must complete a registration form. Cloverbud projects will be judged Tuesday, July 27. See Kathy van Veldhuisen for registration forms.

### Graduates

Congratulations to our 2010 graduates: Zac A, Cassandra D, Haley F, and Sarah G.

### County Cloverpatch Newsletter

Be sure to read the county newsletter, the Cloverpatch, for important information on county 4-H events and county level project meetings and events. Check it out at <http://rock.uwex.edu/4h/news.html>