

To: Future 4-H Member and Family
From: Kim Belanger
4-H Program Coordinator
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Subject: 4-H Enrollment Information for 2018/19

I am delighted to hear of your interest in joining our 4-H program. I hope the enclosed information will provide you with answers to your questions concerning 4-H enrollment. The cost of 4-H enrollment is \$35 per youth/per year. Scholarships are also available to assist in the cost of enrollment and other expenses for 4-H events. Please contact the Extension Office at 509-243-2009 if a scholarship is needed. Enrollment for the new 4-H year starts Oct 1st, 2018, and is due no later than November 1st, 2018 in order to participate under 4-H at any 2019 Asotin County Fair events.

The WSU 4-H Publications & Projects catalog defines which 4-H projects are available in Washington State and the age/grade eligibility. This catalog is located on the website https://extension.wsu.edu/asotin/4h-youth-development/4h_information_page/ under "Enrollment". After reading through this catalog, please enroll your children in all the projects that they would like to participate in. Youth may always drop projects, but cannot add new projects after the November 1st deadline. A good rule of thumb is to choose all projects your child is interested in completing for the current 4-H year.

The next step to 4-H enrollment is to contact a 4-H club(s) that would be a good fit for your family according to the projects your child has chosen. You can search out our many clubs by visiting the Asotin County 4-H website at: <https://extension.wsu.edu/asotin/4h-youth-development/asotin-county-4h-clubs/>. Not all projects are offered in all clubs. A child may enroll in more than one 4-H club. If you are unable to find a club that fits your needs, please contact the Extension Office and we will gladly assist you. It's also a good idea to look over our County 4-H website to find more information about Asotin County 4-H events and opportunities.

Once you have chosen the projects and club you wish to participate in, you can enroll using the 4-H Online system. Detailed instructions on enrollment are on the Information page of the website, under Enrollment Forms. If you need assistance enrolling contact the Extension Office. Our Monday through Friday from 8:00 to 12:00 a.m. and 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. We are closed on most major holidays.

I look forward to working with you,

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