

## **4-H Friday Notes**

**June 23rd, 2017**

### ***June is Dairy Month! 2017 4-H Dairy Promotion Program Presented by the Wisconsin Milk Marketing Board***

Each 4-H club in Wisconsin is invited and encouraged to participate in the 2017 Dairy Promotion Program, presented by the Wisconsin Milk Marketing Board (WMMB). Please read the information below very carefully to ensure that you don't miss out on the opportunity to earn free dairy promotion merchandise!

- 1.) The 2017 4-H Dairy Promotion Program is open to all Wisconsin 4-H clubs in good standing.
- 2.) Any 4-H Club who conducts a local dairy promotion activity or event during June Dairy Month and submits a dairy promotion report form to the Wisconsin Milk Marketing Board will receive \$50 toward merchandise from the Wisconsin Cheese and Dairy Gear online store <http://www.cheeseanddairygear.com>. Gift certificates will be issued beginning July 1, 2017 and will expire June 30, 2018.
- 3.) All 4-H clubs will submit their own dairy promotion report form directly to WMMB.
- 4.) The dairy promotion report form can be found online at [www.wmmb.com/4H](http://www.wmmb.com/4H). All submissions must include a photograph of your activity or event as back-up for your report. Enter your activity or event no later than December 1, 2017

If you have any questions about the 2017 4-H Dairy Promotion Program, please contact:

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[vjanisch@wmmb.org](mailto:vjanisch@wmmb.org)

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### ***Attention Manitowoc County 4-H Alumni - Raise Your Hand through June 30***

Joining is the effort easy:

1. Go to <http://4-h.org/raise-your-hand/> to show your pride as a 4-H alum.
2. Compete for your state – Raising your hand is a vote towards a \$20,000, \$10,000 or \$5,000 award for the states with the most alumni hands raised.
3. Pay it Forward – Tweet, post and share your #4HGrown experience or support and tag fellow alumni asking them to raise their hands for their state at <http://4-h.org/raise-your-hand/>.

### ***Manitowoc County Open Speed Shows***

Manitowoc County 4-H Open Speed Shows will be held on **July 9, 2017** at the Manitowoc Co Expo Grounds. Cash winnings & great high point prizes. Fun and Games! Special all day entry fee \$60. See more info on the attached show bill. Current Negative Coggins required! Call [920-323-9554](tel:920-323-9554) with questions or for more information.

### ***Summer Programs at Camp TaPaWingo – Camp Flyers Attached***

**Hunter Safety Camp – July 17-20, 2017**

**Summer Camp – July 24-27, 2017**

### ***Summer Camp Counselors Needed***

Camp TaPaWingo is looking for responsible teenagers willing to assist with our summer camp program. These are unpaid positions for teens age 15 and over.

We realize that some of you have summer jobs lined up, but most employers encourage their employees to become involved in community service. Camp counselor experience translates into excellent management and personnel skills. Hunter Safety and Summer Camp dates can be found above and on the attached brochures.

To apply please visit: [Summer Camp Counselor](#)

### ***4-H Dog Project Workshop Dates***

The 4-H Dog workshops for June and July will be held on the third Saturday of the month due to Dog Shows at the Kennel Club. The Dog Project Workshops for summer will be **July 15**, with the Fair Dog Show on **August 12** at the Manitowoc Kennel Club.

### ***State 4-H Dog Show***

The Monroe County 4-H Dog Project will be hosting the State 4-H Dog Show this summer. It will be held **August 18-20** in Tomah at the Tomah Recreational Park. Entries will be due on **July 1st**. The show booklet and complete details will be posted on the 4-H Website when they become available.

### ***Summer Tractor & Farm Safety Camp***

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Tractor & Farm Safety Camp, **July 18-20, 2017**

Held at: Camp TaPaWingo 915 W. TaPaWingo Rd. Mishicot, WI 54228

Cost: \$195 per person Registration Deadline: **July 1, 2017**

\*Includes meals, lodging, all training materials, and 24 hours of class time. Open to any youth in Wisconsin.

Recommended: Six hours of driving practice prior to attending the course. **Please see attached flyer to register - don't delay, these camps fill quickly!**

### ***State 4-H Dog Agility Show Booklet Posted***

Sheboygan County will be hosting the State 4-H Dog Agility Show on **July 22** at the Sheboygan Training Club in Sheboygan. The show booklet has been finished and is now post on the 4-H dog Website. The booklet contains all

details and registration for the show. It can be found at: [www.fyi.uwex.edu/wi4haganimalscience/files/2014/07/2017-State-4-H-Dog-Agility-Show-Book.pdf](http://www.fyi.uwex.edu/wi4haganimalscience/files/2014/07/2017-State-4-H-Dog-Agility-Show-Book.pdf) .

### ***Like us on Facebook***

Are you on Facebook? Click here <https://www.facebook.com/ManitowocCounty4H> to like us on Facebook!

### ***Reminder: Deadlines for articles***

Updates to the Manitowoc County 4-H website are done Friday afternoons. Please send your updates by Wednesdays at noon to [amandacordova@co.manitowoc.wi.us](mailto:amandacordova@co.manitowoc.wi.us). *4-H Friday Notes* information is also due by Wednesday noon. Send to [amandacordova@co.manitowoc.wi.us](mailto:amandacordova@co.manitowoc.wi.us).

If you have specific questions, concerns, or suggestions for our 4-H Youth Development Educator, please send those emails directly to Kevin Palmer at: 920-242-5448 or [kevinpalmer@co.manitowoc.wi.us](mailto:kevinpalmer@co.manitowoc.wi.us) .

## Cancellation Policy and Release Waiver

I understand a deposit of \$50 per child will be credited toward the camp fee. The balance of fees is due July 1, 2017. I understand that in the event of cancellation, Camp TaPaWingo will retain 100% of session fee. Camp fees include staff supervision, lodging, meals, and program activities. I understand that although Camp TaPaWingo has taken reasonable steps to provide my child with appropriate training, equipment, and skilled staff, I acknowledge that some inherent risks cannot be eliminated. Aware of the risks and willing to assume them, I hereby waive, release and agree to hold harmless Camp TaPaWingo, their representatives and successors for all claims or liabilities of any kind arising out of my child's participation in this camp. I understand Camp TaPaWingo is not responsible for lost, stolen, or damaged personal items. Camp TaPaWingo has my permission to use any photograph, video, or written statement from my child's experience in marketing materials.

Parent/Guardian

Date



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**Extension**  
University of Wisconsin-Extension  
Manitowoc County

Camp TaPaWingo is owned and operated by the  
Manitowoc County 4-H Leaders Association, Inc.

An EEO/Affirmative Action employer, University of Wisconsin-Extension provides equal opportunities in employment and programming, including Title IX and ADA requirements. Requests for reasonable accommodations for disabilities or limitations should be made prior to the date of the program or activity for which it is needed. Please do so as early as possible prior to the program or activity so that proper arrangements can be made. Requests are kept confidential.

## Camp TaPaWingo Registration Details

**CAMP FEE:** A \$50 deposit per camper is required at the time of registration. The balance must be paid by July 1, 2017.

**CAMPERSHIPS:** Camp TaPaWingo offers help to families who need financial assistance to attend camp. Contact camp at (920) 755-2785 for more information.

**SPECIAL NEEDS:** Please contact camp as soon as possible if your child has food allergies, problems swimming, learning disabilities, bed wetting, or any other special needs that we may need to be aware of. This allows our staff to help your child adjust to a new environment.

**TRADING POST:** Children will have time throughout the week where 4-H items, games, T-shirts, drinks, and snacks can be purchased.

### Camp Registrations can be Mailed to:

Camp TaPaWingo  
PO Box 935  
Manitowoc, WI 54221-0935

### Or dropped off at:

Manitowoc County UW-Extension Office  
4319 Expo Drive  
Manitowoc, WI 54220  
Between 8:30 am and 4:30 pm, Monday—Friday

### Questions?

Contact Kevin A. Palmer, 4-H Youth Educator at:  
kevinpalmer@co.manitowoc.wi.us

Or call the Manitowoc Co. UW-Extension office at:  
920-683-4169

*Camp TaPaWingo's*

**2017**

*Hunter Safety /Summer Camp*

*Week 1 Summer/Hunter Safety  
Camp*

*July 17-20*

*Week 2 Summer Camp*

*July 24-27*



**915 W. TaPaWingo Road  
Mishicot, WI 54228**

## A Great Location...

Camp TaPaWingo is located on 78 acres along the East Twin River in Northern Manitowoc County. The camp features a variety of habitats to include wetland, woodland, and prairie, as well as rustic cabins, nature center, arts and crafts center, and main lodge with dining hall.



Camp TaPaWingo is an ideal place for fun and summer hands-on learning.

## Our Mission...

Camp TaPaWingo provides a fun, caring, and safe environment for campers to try new activities and practice new skills. We are committed to the growth and development of each individual camper. By providing safe, yet challenging experiences, campers will develop an appreciation for the importance of team work and share in all group members' successes. 4-H membership is not required to attend camp.



## About Our Staff...

Staff members at Camp TaPaWingo are fun! They understand that camp is about making friends and having fun, and they share that energy with everyone that comes to camp. Our staff members also understand the importance of safety in providing a fun and challenging program. Staff members receive training in First Aid, CPR, AED, and camp safety practices. They must also complete the UW-Extension 4-H Youth Protection Orientation program.

## What Camp TaPaWingo Offers....

Camp TaPaWingo offers a traditional overnight resident camp program that offers adventures for youth 7–14 years old, with emphasis on having a well-rounded and fun camp experience. Each day is filled with individual and group experiences. Cabin Counselors help your child make Camp TaPaWingo their home during their stay with theme decorations and fun cabin time activities.



## Camp Activities

Archery  
Arts & Crafts  
Cabin Time  
Hiking  
Challenge Course  
Games

Water Activities  
Skits  
Nature  
Singing  
Storytelling  
Orienteering

## Camp TaPaWingo Registration Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ WI \_\_\_\_\_

Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Male ☐ Female ☐ DOB \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Cabin Mate Request \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

I will be attending:

\_\_\_\_ Week 1: July 17-20 Hunter Safety Camp

\_\_\_\_ Week 2: July 24-28 Summer Camp

**Please make check to: Camp TaPaWingo.**

**Bring a friend and they will qualify for Friend of 4-H member campership.**

Camp Fee: \$ \_\_\_\_200\_\_\_\_

Donation: \$ \_\_\_\_

4-H Active Member or Friend Scholarship: \$ \_\_\_\_-75\_\_\_\_

**Total: \$ \_\_\_\_**

Deposit (non-refundable): \$ \_\_\_\_50\_\_\_\_

Balance Due by July 1, 2017: \$ \_\_\_\_

☐ I am 15 years old or older and would like to be a counselor.

☐ I am a parent and would like to be a chaperone.

Please make check payable to

**Camp TaPaWingo**

**Camp Fee: \$195.00**

☐ I am a parent and I would like to be a chaperone.

Receive \$50 discount on your youth registration and you stay free!

Limited to 2 adult chaperones per camp.

**More details will be mailed to you one week before class.**

**Mail registration form & fees to:  
Camp TaPaWingo  
P.O.Box 935  
Manitowoc, WI 54221-0935**

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**Questions???**

Call Tracy Schuppel at (920) 683-4169 or email

tracyschuppel@co.manitowoc.wi.us

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manitowoc.uwex.edu**

**Program Begins:  
Tuesday, July 18 @ 8:00a.m.**

**Program Ends:  
Thursday, July 20@5:30p.m.**

**Certificates are issued by the  
Manitowoc County  
UW-Extension office following  
successful completion of course.**

Federal law requires that youth under the age of 16 must be certified before being hired to work with any tractors and tractor machinery. Wisconsin Act 455 mandates any youth under the age of 16 cannot operate a farm tractor or self-propelled farm implement on a public highway unless the youth has been certified as successfully completing this safety training course.

## **Tractor & Farm Safety Camp Registration**

**Name**\_\_\_\_\_

**Address**\_\_\_\_\_

**City**\_\_\_\_\_WI

**Zip**\_\_\_\_\_

**Male** ☐ **Female** ☐

**DOB**\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

**Age as of 7/18/17**\_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian**

**Name**\_\_\_\_\_

**Phone (\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_\_**

**Alternate # (\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_\_**

**Email**\_\_\_\_\_

**Over**

