



Treat Yourself to 4-H! A Spooktacular Good Time!

Trunk *or* Treat



Gallia County 4-H is holding a "Treat yourself to 4-H, a Spooktacular Good Time," This family friendly event will be October 31st from 12:30 -3:30 pm at the Gallia County Fairgrounds.

Our goal is to educate the parents of younger children (Ages 5-11 who are in Grades K-5th) about the many benefits of the Gallia County 4-H program and to introduce them to the variety of 4-H clubs our county has to offer.

This trick or treat event comes with a twist! We are challenging our 4-H clubs & community partners to select a 4-H project or project area as their theme for the event; they will then decorate an area (booth, vehicle, barn etc.) located at the fairgrounds, around that 4-H project theme! We encourage you to have club members dress up, play games with the participants, put on a skit or do other fun 4-H activities, in addition to handing out candy to the trick or treat participants.

We hope the themes will help demonstrate to parents and the children participating, the variety of opportunities available when you join 4-H! By inviting our community partners to participate we hope to show the kids and the parents that 4-H skills follow you right into your career.

If you can help with this event, we would love to have you! Please let us know by completing the bottom of this page and returning it to OSU Extension Gallia County 111 Jackson Pike, Suite 1572 Gallipolis Ohio 45631 or fax it to 740-441-2038 For more information or if you have questions please contact us at 740-446-7007 (please see back page for more details)

Club/Business Name _____

Address _____

Phone # _____ E-mail _____

Contact Name _____

Booth Theme Idea _____





Join us for a fun and safe way to enjoy Halloween and explore the opportunities of 4-H!

Themes: We are asking clubs and community partners to decorate a location on the fairgrounds around a 4-H project or project theme. For example, a Food and Nutrition project theme might include a decorated table or someone dressed up as a crazy Chef! You could hand out food themed candy and have a food related game. With over 200 projects to pick from the themes options are endless! *Please no gory or scary decorations or costumes.* Visit <http://projectcentral.ohio4h.org/> to help find all the projects that are available to our 4-Hers as well as sample pages from each project book.

Audience: We are targeting younger children ages 5-11 in grades K-5th. Invitations will go out to the elementary schools inviting them to participate! Our hours will be from 12:30 to 3:30 pm to increase the family friendly atmosphere. A registration page will be included in the invitation so that children can receive future information on how to join a 4-H club. Each child will receive a 4-H bag and goodies during registration. Please be sure to look for these bags during the event as these are the registered participants. Unregistered participants (i.e. parents or older youth) should not be collecting candy.

Candy: We will provide some limited candy to handout but clubs and partners are highly encourage to pick up some additional individually wrapped, unopen bags of candy.

Club or Business Handouts: Clubs are invited to handout contact information or information on joining their club to parents if they so choose. Community partners are invited to handout business goodies or information on services they may provide to children or families. Please keep in mind we would like to keep this event educational and would discourage aggressive marketing.

To be a Success: Please help us make this a successful event! The more clubs and community partners we can get to participate the better the event will be! If 4-H is important to you or has had an impact on your life then who better to help us recruit new members!

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