

Shasta County 4-H Youth Development Donation Program



*“Learn by
doing”*

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What is 4-H / 4-H in Shasta County

4-H is America's largest youth development organization - empowering nearly six million young people with the skills to lead for a lifetime. 4-H is delivered by Cooperative Extensions - a community of more than 100 public universities across the nation that provide experiences where young people learn by doing.

In 4-H programs, kids and teens complete hands-on projects in areas like health, science, agriculture and civic engagement in a positive environment where they receive guidance from adult mentors and are encouraged to take on proactive leadership roles.

In California the 4-H Youth Development Program is **offered** through the University of California, Division of Agriculture and Natural Resources and the program is **implemented** through the Cooperative Extension offices located in Counties across the state.

In Shasta County the program is **delivered** by 135 adult volunteer leaders to 600 youth members through 19 community clubs scattered across the county.

The basic unit of the organization is the **community club**. The **projects** members participate in are organized under the community clubs.

Clubs are organized under the **Shasta County 4-H Council** (an organization of adult volunteer leaders). The Council organizes events, provides awards and offers scholarships. The Council also assures enrollment fees are paid and works with clubs to assist families who are unable to afford annual enrollment fees.

All new adult volunteer leaders are required to take three hours of training and pass a California Department of Justice background check. These volunteers lead a variety of projects that range from market animal to quilting.

4-H'ers are...

4x	more likely to give back to their communities
2x	more likely to make healthier choices
2x	more likely to participate in STEM activities
2x	more likely to be civically active

Locally, there is **one** University of California staff person (assigned to Shasta, Tehama and Trinity counties) who is responsible for the day-to-day management of the 4-H program.

Cost to participate in the program is \$82/youth member and \$48/adult volunteer leader. This cost includes **insurance** for

any 4-H related event. Any project materials required or uniform costs are in addition to this fee.

Regardless of the level where donations occur, donors are welcome to decide how they would like their funds to be used. This may be done by specifying a specific club or club project to support or designating funds to specific activities like camp or leadership conferences.

The choice is yours and donor stipulations are always honored.

Opportunities to Donate

1. National Level 4-h.org/about/what-is-4-h/
2. State Level <https://ucanr.edu/sites/4hfoundation/Donate/>
3. Local Level
 - a. Shasta County UCCE https://donate.ucanr.edu/?fund_id=331&county=Shasta
 - b. Shasta County 4-H Council
 - c. Community Club
 - i) Specific project

<p style="text-align: center;">Please make checks payable to the club indicated above</p> <p style="text-align: center;">_____ 4-H Club</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Please make check payable to : Shasta County 4-H Council</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">o I would like my donation applied to a specific 4-H Club (please list Club name below)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">o I would like my donation applied to the Shasta County 4-H Council for: (e.g.: Enrollment Fee, Scholarships, Curriculum, Awards, No Preference)</p>

