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Iberia Parish 4-H



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4-H Fall Fun Day

Where: Iberia Middle School, 613 Weeks Island Rd, New Iberia, LA 70560
When: Saturday, November 8, 2025, from 9:00am – 12:30pm.

Fall Fun Day will include the Bicycle Rodeo and Beef & Rice Cookery contests; There will also be several "Fun" workshops ranging from science experiments to healthy living activities for all 4-H members to participate in.

- 9:00-9:30 a.m. – Beef & Rice Cookery Registration
- 9:45 a.m. – Beef & Rice Cookery Judging Begins
- 9:00-9:30 a.m. - Bicycle Rodeo/Archery Shootout Registration
- 9:45-11:45 a.m. – Bicycle Rodeo/Archery Shootout Contest
- 9:45-11:45 a.m.– Rotating Workshops
- 11:45-12:30 p.m. – Cookery, Bicycle Rodeo, Archery Contest Winners Announced
- 12:30 p.m. - Conclusion of the Event

*Detailed contest rules will be discussed at the October Club meetings.



Pumpkin Decorating Contest

We are excited to host one of our favorite contests, the Iberia 4-H virtual Pumpkin Decorating Contest! 4-H members can decorate pumpkins to fit 6 categories: Scientific, Animal, 4-H Spirit, Physical Activity, Spooky Pumpkin, and Pumpkin Drawing Showcase! Pumpkin picture submissions midnight on **Friday, October 31st**.

You can email your pictures to iberiaparish4h@gmail.com.

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October Educational Program – Science Works!

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Solution
Carbon
React
Solar
Wave
Iron
Wind
Fuel

Sugarcane Festival Contest Results

Iberia 4-H Sugarcane Festival Events were held between September 25 – 27th. We would like to thank all members, parents and volunteers who helped to make every event a success. Below are the results from each contest.

Sugarcane Festival Livestock Show

HOG – MARKET SWINE

Grand Champion – Marianna Sanchez, Acadiana Christian
Reserve Champion – Kaisley Breaux, Loreauville Elem

HOG – SWINE SHOWMANSHIP

Grand Champion – Marianna Sanchez, Acadiana Christian
Reserve Champion – Kaisley Breaux, Loreauville Elem

BABY BEEF – MARKET STEERS

Grand Champion – Peyton Dore', Catholic High
Reserve Champion – Colten Hulin, Loreauville High

BABY BEEF – SHOWMANSHIP

Grand Champion – Peyton Dore',
Catholic High
Reserve Champion – Amelie Bergeron,
Catholic High



SHEEP – MARKET LAMBS

Grand Champion – Hollie Metz, Member at Large
Reserve Champion – Kaisley Breaux, Loreauville Elem

SHEEP – SHOWMANSHIP

Grand Champion – Hollie Metz, Member at Large
Reserve Champion – Grayson Broussard, Delcambre High

GOAT – MARKET GOATS

Grand Champion – Emma-Claire Latiolias, Old School Academy
Reserve Champion – Reece Boudreaux, Delcambre High

GOAT – SHOWMANSHIP

Grand Champion – Reece Boudreaux, Delcambre High
Reserve Champion – Raegan Boudreaux, Westgate High



Sugar Cookery

1st Place Category Winners

Any Other Candy – Lillia Penich, North Lewis Elem

Any Other Cookie – Jack Landry, Loreauville High

Brownies – Kaidence Robicheaux, Magnolia Elem

Cakes – Payton Delahoussaye, Caneview Elem

Chocolate Chip Cookies – Lilly Windus, Loreauville Elem

Fudge – Sydni Romero, Delcambre High

Muffins – Jayre Martin, North Lewis Elem

Oatmeal Cookies – Maya Prather, Old School Academy

Peanut Butter Cookies – Jayden Dressel, Loreauville Elem

Pies – Evelyn Thibodeaux, Delcambre High

Pralines – Jack Landry, Loreauville High

Sugar Cookies – Malek Turner, Delcambre High

Grand Champions

Baked- Evelyn Thibodeaux, Delcambre High

Non-Baked- Lillia Penich, North Lewis Elem



Reserve Champions

Baked – Madison Romero, Belle Place Elem

Non-Baked – Kathleen Moss, Delcambre Elem

Sugarcane Festival Rabbit Show

Best of Breed

Flemish Giant – Fisher Rogers, Delcambre Elem

Holland Lop – Kaylee Romero, Delcambre High

Mini Lop, Jayce Martin, North Lewis Elem

Mini-Rex – Avery Thibodeaux, Delcambre High

Mini-Rex, Opp. – Evelyn Thibodeaux, Delcambre High

Polish – Elise Louviere, Loreauville Elem



Reserve Champion – Jayce Martin, North Lewis Elem

***Congratulations to all 2025
Sugarcane Festival 4-H
Participants!!***

CAMPS & PROGRAMS

Challenge Camp

WHO: 7th & 8th Grade members

WHEN: November 18-19, 2025

WHERE: Acadian Baptist Center, Eunice, LA

Join 4-H members from the Southwest Region as we journey to 4-H Challenge Camp. Challenge Camp will open your eyes to new possibilities. This is a fun-filled camp where you will learn decision making and team building skills with other 4-H'ers from our Region. Please see the forms handed out at your October club meeting for more information. Deadline to register is **Friday, October 17th**!

Painting & Popcorn

WHEN: November 25th from 9:00am – 12:00pm

Come to the 4-H Office during Thanksgiving break to paint a holiday themed design and snack on some popcorn with other 4-H'ers from our parish. Complete this link if you are interested in participating in this fun-filled event!

<https://forms.office.com/r/YvWigAc4KA?origin=lpLink>

Food & Fitness Day Camp

Cooking, games, mindfulness and more! The 4-H State Food & Fitness Board is hosting the Food & Fitness Day Camp on **Tuesday, January 13th** in Baton Rouge, LA! This one-day camp is filled with exciting workshops for **4th- 6th grade members**. Cost for this event is \$35.00 per member and the deadline for registering will be **Friday, December 12th** or once capacity has been met. Please email Ms. Patrice at pcahee@agcenter.lsu.edu if you are interested in more information about this fun, exciting day camp!

Fashion & Beyond: On Tour

If you are interested in learning more about fashion of all types, the 4-H Fashion State Board is hosting the Fashion & Beyond Workshop on **Monday, January 19th** in Crowley, LA! This one-day fashion tour is filled with fun projects to learn basic fashion skills for **5th- 12th grade members**. Cost for this event is \$35.00 per member and the deadline for registering will be **Friday, December 12th** or once capacity has been met. Please email Ms. Patrice at pcahee@agcenter.lsu.edu if you are interested in more information about this fun, exciting tour!

Iberia Parish 4-H Junior Leader Club

Junior Leaders exemplify the Four H's through their commitment to community service, learning, healthy living, and having FUN!

The next Junior Leader Meeting is scheduled for **Thursday, October 23rd at 5:30 PM** at the Iberia 4-H Office. All 4-H members in 7th to 12th grade are invited to join in the fun and learn what it is to be a 4-H Junior Leader! As a Junior Leader, you can:

- Help younger 4-H members learn more about 4-H
- Develop your leadership skills
- Volunteer to help better the 4-H program
- Make new friends and become eligible for 4-H trips, awards, scholarships, develop your abilities

4-H Broiler Project

Raising young meat-type chickens (broilers) is one of the most interesting and fun-filled activities a 4-H'er can experience. The project lasts approximately 40 days. Space and investment requirements for broilers are relatively small, so the project is suitable for all 4-H'ers, including those that live within city limits. If you are interested in participating in the 4-H Broiler Project, we will be hosting an informational meeting on November 5th, 2025, in the parish 4-H Office at 6:00. You must order your broilers from the 4-H office by **December 1, 2025**. The Iberia Parish Broiler Show is tentatively scheduled for February 13, 2026. The LSU AgCenter State Junior Broiler Show is February 17-18, 2026. Please see the handouts from your October club meeting.



Officer Training 2025

When: October 9, 2025 @ 6:00pm

Where: North Lewis Elementary

We will host an officer training course for all 4-H members who are interested in or planning to be an officer in their local/school 4-H Club! This event will be led by the Iberia 4-H Junior Leader officers. We will also host an informational meeting for parents who are interested in becoming an adult volunteer for Iberia 4-H. We hope to see you there!

Dates to Remember

October 2025

1-16: October Club Meetings
5-11: National 4-H Week **"Beyond Ready"**
6: Iberia 4-H Open House
9: Officer Training
23: Junior Leader Meeting @ 5:30pm
31: Pumpkin Decorating Contest Submissions Due

November 2025

3-20: November Club Meetings
5: Broiler Workshop I
8: Fall Fun Day
13: Junior Leader Meeting
15: LSU Bash on the Bayou Football Game
8-19: Challenge Camp
25: Painting & Popcorn Workshop
27-28: Thanksgiving Holiday – Office Closed