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Dear 4-H Member:

Want to be a camp counselor? Junior Fair Board Member? Junior Leader? Outstanding 4-Her? Scholarship or Award Trip winner? Do you find yourself asking "How do I get to do that?" I suspect that as you have gotten older you have started to look for new and exciting things where you can be involved. Read on!! 4-H has special opportunities for teens only where YOU can play a part!

The purpose of my letter today is to inform you of the many exciting opportunities that await you as a teenager in the 4-H program. On the next few pages you will find descriptions of county and state level opportunities that are available to 4-H members ages 14 and up as of January 1. Some of these activities require completion of special forms while others just involve asking. Regardless of what you are interested in, be sure to give me a call if you need more information or would like some help with the necessary forms.

Following this letter you will find a response sheet. After you review the material in this packet, place a check next to the items that you are interested in and **return the response sheet by December 1, 2011**. Any additional paperwork required for the items you are interested in will be sent back to you (*remember that it is best to send your response sheet in ASAP so that you can have as much time as possible to complete any additional paperwork*).

I have allowed some extra time in my schedule over the next few months to meet with any members and parents who would like a little extra assistance in preparing their records. Feel free to give me a call here at the office (740-653-5419 x19) or drop me an e-mail at kohler.61@osu.edu.

I encourage you all to broaden your 4-H experience and try something new. I think you'll find many new friends and much more fun ahead!

Sincerely,

Hannah Kohler
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4-H Youth Development

Enclosures



**Find information on-line at:
<http://fairfield.osu.edu>**

P.S. If you would like to counsel at 4-H Camp in 2012 OR be a counselor in training (new for 2012!) you should complete the enclosed response form and send it in by December 1, 2011! Thanks!