

Clover Award Guidelines

General Notes:

- ☼ Only the spaces available on the application are to be used for listing items and points. If more space is needed, an item must be crossed off. If the spaces available are exceeded, the extra items will not be considered.
- ☼ Points cannot be carried over from previous award earning years.
- ☼ Clover Award Applications must be signed by the Club Leader where the points were earned. If there is a change in clubs, the member must have the previous Club Leader sign the form.
- ☼ A month and year is required in the date column for all activities and events.
- ☼ If it takes a member more than one year to earn a Clover Award, please note the following:
 - 1 - A 4-H year is considered October 1 to September 30. Years cannot be split between two years. (Example - If enough points are earned after 1½ years, the member must wait until the following fall to start earning points towards their next award.)
 - 2 - The total number of meetings held should reflect the total number between the years applying. (Example - 12 meetings per year X 2 years = 24 meetings held.)

Club Level Activities/Participation Notes:

- ☼ Activities and events that involve your club members and do not involve all clubs are considered club level activities and are club points.

County Level Activities/Participation Notes:

- ☼ 4-H activities listed in the Cloverleaf Crier, where ALL 4-H members can actively participate, are considered county points.
- ☼ There is only 1 point given for ANY/ALL Countywide Project Meetings attended.
- ☼ There is a limit of three points for County Awards. County Awards include the following, but are not limited to: Project Awards, previously earned Clover Awards, Music & Drama Awards, Merits, Special Blues, etc.
- ☼ County-wide Softball cannot be listed under Club Fundraising/Recreation or Club Other. It should only be listed under County-wide Softball. There is also a point for members from clubs that participate in the County-wide 4-H Softball Tournament.

Sheboygan County 4-H Clover Award

All Sheboygan County 4-H members **third grade and older** are eligible and encouraged to participate in this countywide special recognition program.

The Clover Award Program is designed to recognize 4-H members for their active participation in club and county activities and events. By participating in activities and events, members can earn points towards recognition steps. 4-H members may take more than one year to complete a Clover Award, but may only **earn** one (1) per 4-H year. The 4-H year is October 1st to September 30th.

The program has recognition steps each having minimum requirements for completion. The recognition steps, which need to be earned in order, include:

Step # 1	Green Clover Award	15 Points (minimum 8 club level, 3 county)
Step #2	Bronze Clover Award	18 Points (minimum 9 club level, 4 county)
Step #3	Silver Clover Award	21 Points (minimum 10 club level, 5 county)
Step #4	Gold Clover Award	23 Points (minimum 11 club level, 6 county)
Step #5	Emerald Clover Award	25 Points (minimum 12 club level, 7 county)

Clover Award forms are due to the Club Leader by the clubs October General Meeting. Club Leaders **must** submit forms to UW-Extension Office by October 20. The Clover Award recipients will be notified and the awards distributed during the Clover Award Ceremony in the fall.

Any questions, contact your Club Leader or Amber Rehberg at the UW-Extension Office.



Clover Award Application Directions

Please fill in name, club name, and dates. Circle which Clover Award you are applying for. On the second page of this application, fill in all appropriate information since last submitting your Clover Award. After your application is completed, your Club Leader must verify the information and send it to the Sheboygan County UW-Extension Office, Attn: 4-H Clover Awards, 650 Forest Avenue, Sheboygan Falls, WI 53085.

Name: _____ Grade/s During Which Points Were Earned: _____

4-H Club: _____

4-H Year - October 1, _____ to September 30, _____

Applying for: Green Bronze Silver Gold Emerald

Club Leader Signature: _____ Date: _____

Sheboygan County 4-H Clover Award Club Level Activities/Participation

- Each activity is worth 1 point.
- Month & year need to be filled in or the form will be returned.

4-H Club Meeting Attendance (80 - 100%) *		
Number Meetings Held	Number Meetings Attended (or excused from)	Points

Activity/participation (maximum of 3 per category)	Date	Subject/What	Points
Speech or Demonstration at Project or Club (Title of Speech or Demonstration) *			
Membership & Active Participation on a Committee			
Community Service *			
Fundraising and/or Recreation * (Club ONLY!)			
Club Leadership (club officer, committee chair, led club pledges, committee report, etc)			
Club Project Meeting Attendance (80 - 100% of meetings for each project up to 3)			
Club Given Awards (Outstanding Achievement, Club Achievement, Attendance, Outstanding Project Work, etc)			
Other			

*Must earn at least 1 point from this area.

Total points from this page: _____

Sheboygan County 4-H Clover Award County, District, State, National Participation

- Blank spaces may be filled in with special project programs, i.e. Quiz Bowls, Dog Fun Match, Style Revue, etc.
- Each activity is worth 1 point.

County		Date	County		Date
	Anything Goes			Softball (County-wide Organized)	
	Ambassador			Softball Tournament	
	Awards (3 pts total - please list here...)			Trip, Project, Award & Counselor Interviews	
	Building Display Set-up			Tri-County Workshop	
	Camp (Base & Adventure)			Younger Member Night	
	Camp Riversite Clean-Up			Youth Association Member	
	Carcass Contest				
	Committee member -year long meetings on county committee				
	Creative Writing Contest Participation				
	County Project Meetings (1 pt total for attending any/all county-wide meetings)				
	Demonstration & Speaking Festival				
	Enchanted Forest				
	Exhibit at Fair				
	Fair Building Clean-Up				
	Fair Food Stand		District-State-National		Date
	Fair - Judging Assistant			American Spirit Experience	
	Fair - Office/Bldg. Watch			Citizenship-Washington Focus	
	Fun Fair (Exploring)			4-H National Congress	
	Junior Leadership Camp			International Exchange	
	Livestock Workshops			Key Award	
	Meat Animal Sale			Leadership Workshop	
	Movie & Pizza Night			State Fair Exhibitor	
	Music & Drama Festival			State 4-H Horse Show	
	Officer Training			State Team (art, drama, photography, showcase singers, tech.)	
	Older Youth Lock-In			WI 4-H Youth Conference	
	Open House			Winter Leadership Camp	
	Pizza Sale				
	Project Day				
Total Points this column			Total Points this column		

_____ Grand Total of points from both sides.