

# 4-H Pumpkin, Watermelon, Sunflower & Poster Contest

**Saturday, October 7, 2023, at the City Park in Weyauwega**

Just off of Hwy 10 at X, entrance to the park is across the main street from Subway  
Check in/weigh in is from 12:30—1:00 p.m. and judging will take place at 1:00 p.m.

**Pre-registration is required for planning!** We will also communicate with you  
about the check in process once you register.

Click on the below link to pre-register by October 5<sup>th</sup>.

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfWM7qoVGZpU1tbAlWlsfKccxH3HKPZexkhUdmAptmNM988uw/viewform?vc=0&c=0&w=1&flr=0>

This annual contest is open to all 4-H members, Cloverbuds, immediate family members  
of 4-H members, parents and leaders.

The following are the contest categories:

## ***Largest Pumpkin***

For the largest pumpkin contest we ask that each participant take a **photo with his or her pumpkin with a tape measure clearly noting the circumference**. The largest pumpkins will be judged based on these photos; they may be emailed to [penny.tank@wisc.edu](mailto:penny.tank@wisc.edu) or a printed copy may be brought to the contest on October 7<sup>th</sup>

## ***Largest Sunflower Head***

## ***Heaviest Watermelon***

Watermelons will be weighed at the contest on October 7<sup>th</sup>

## ***Decorated Pumpkin (divisions will be made based on entries)***

## ***Carved Pumpkin (Children and Adult category)***

Thank you to the following:

Deb Schneider for organizing the contest  
Businesses / Individuals that donated event prizes  
Karen Acker for leading the poster contest



**~ See other side for poster contest details ~**

# 4-H Poster Contest

## Divisions:

### Cloverbud:

– Kindergarten through 2nd grade

### Junior:

– 3rd through 5th grade

### Intermediate:

– 6th through 8th grade

### Senior:

– 9th grade or older

## Prizes:

- All participants will receive \$3.00 cash. Plus, other prizes may be awarded.

## Questions:

### Contact Penny Tank

[penny.tank@wisc.edu](mailto:penny.tank@wisc.edu)

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Office Hours: 8:00 am – 4:00 pm



National 4-H Week is October 1-7, 2023. Celebrate by entering the Waupaca County 4-H Poster Contest. This contest provides an opportunity for youth to use their artistic skills to promote 4-H.

- Theme: Poster on any general 4-H theme
- Poster must be 14" x 22"
- The purpose is to promote 4-H.
- The contestant's name, club, age, division, and phone number must be on the back, upper left corner of the poster.
- Include the Extension phone number on the front of the poster in order to encourage involvement.
- All 4-H members are invited to participate in the poster contest. Posters will be judged on October 7<sup>th</sup> at the Pumpkin Contest in Weyauwega. If you are not able to attend, deliver your poster to the Extension Office by Thursday, October 5<sup>th</sup>.
- Participants are encouraged to display their posters during National 4-H Week.
- Posters will be scored on areas such as:
  - Portrayal of Message/Theme
  - Composition
  - Creativity
  - Appearance

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