St. Clair Count



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TO: 4-H Members, Parents and Leaders

FROM: St. Clair County 4-H Leaders' Council

RE: BENEFIT AUCTION February 24, 2024

4-H LEADERS' COUNCIL BENEFIT AUCTION KICKOFF!

Paperwork available on msue.stclaircounty.org more copies available at the 4-H MSU Extension office:

- ❖ Auction Incentive Form- club information to receive your 10% stipend
- ❖ To Whom it May Concern Solicitation Authorization
- ❖ <u>4-H Donor letter</u> This explains what the money raised at the Auction is used for; it is also a receipt for merchandise/Gift Certificate/Money given.
- ❖ <u>Auction Donor Thank You/Item Tag form</u> Used to tag items, gives credit to the CLUB making the donation, also information used to send out Council thank you's.
- ❖ Item tags 4 per page, note thank you's will not be sent to donors from this form
- ❖ Thank You Sign Leave with business so they can hang in their window.

Your club as a fundraising effort may use this, since your club will receive 10% of the money earned from each item you arrange to be part of the auction.

Take any items collected and deliver Friday, February 23, 2024 between noon – 8pm at the Goodells County Park, Community Building.

This is the only fundraiser that the Leaders' Council holds each year to earn monies for its annual budget. This money goes back directly into the St. Clair County 4-H Program. What kind of things does this pay for? Previously Council supported these activities – EXPLORATION DAYS TRIP, WINTER ACHIEVEMENT EVENT, SUPPLIES FOR WORKSHOPS, EDUCATIONAL RESOURSES, 4-H LEADERS BANQUET, and LEADER TRAINING.

The auction is fun too; the bidding gets fierce with bidding wars on the strangest items.

LET'S MAKE THIS YEARS EVENT THE SUCCESS IT ALWAYS IS WITH THE PARTICIPATION OF ALL CLUBS, EARN SOME EXTRA CASH AND HAVE FUN!

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