

**St. Clair County**



**4-H Council**

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TO: 4-H Members, Parents and Leaders  
FROM: St. Clair County 4-H Leaders' Council  
RE: BENEFIT AUCTION February 25, 2023

***4-H LEADERS' COUNCIL BENEFIT AUCTION KICKOFF!***

Paperwork available on [msue.stclaircounty.org](http://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
- ❖ 4-H Donor letter – This explains what the money raised at the Auction is used for; it is also a receipt for merchandise/Gift Certificate/Money given.
- ❖ Auction Donor Thank You/Item Tag form – 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 24, 2023 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 RESOURCES, 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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