

Ohio 4-H Clubs of Distinction

To receive recognition as an Ohio 4-H Club of Distinction, complete the following checklist and return it to the Guernsey County Extension Office **by 4:30 p.m. on January 8, 2024**. Your application will be reviewed by the Guernsey County 4-H Extension Educator or 4-H Council. All Clubs that meet all of the requirements will be awarded a certificate as an Ohio 4-H Club of Distinction.

4-H Club Name: _____ Date Submitted: _____

Organizational Volunteer: _____ Club President: _____

Criteria – Volunteer or Club President mark appropriate box(s)	We met requirement	Comments
• The club offered members a series of at least eight meetings per county 4-H year.		
• All club volunteers attended a county, state or national 4-H volunteer training (<i>virtual or in-person</i>)		
• The club conducted (or will conduct) a meeting in which they honored and celebrated the accomplishments of each member.		
• Parents are utilized as helpers and encouraged to guide the club members and their work.		
• The club has written club guidelines and procedures for membership. Examples: constitution and by-laws, record keeping of attendance, minutes, and funds, and use of parliamentary procedures.		
• Members participated in “hands-on-learning” activities at club meetings.		
• Club provided opportunities for members to learn the value of service to others through participation in “service-learning activities” in their club and community. (List service project in the comments section.)		



<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Club members participated in a Demonstration, Illustrated Talks, Skit, or other Public Speaking opportunities at their club meetings. 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The members, officers, and volunteers worked together in planning meetings, activities, and events. 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The club officers received training to prepare them for their leadership role. 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Members participated in county and state 4-H opportunities such as: Fair, Clinics, Junior Leadership, international programs, and other events. 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Member(s) of the club attended 4-H Camp or Cloverbuds – An Evening in the Outdoors! 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Decisions were made within the club by members who practiced democratic procedures for decision making. 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Club provided each member the opportunity to set personal goals and to receive feedback to help them measure their progress in reaching personal goals. 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Older members helped younger members. 		

<p>Reviewer Comments:</p>
<p>New Award Date:</p>