Message From the Chair of the North Dakota 4-H Foundation

I was fortunate to be a member of 4-H from 9 years old until my first year of college. I still can remember standing to give my first 4-H demonstration to my fellow club members. The demonstration was titled “How to Make Coffee,” describing different coffee pots and types of coffee available at that time. I was so scared and nervous when I stood up to do it that as I was describing the various coffee pots you could use, my hands were shaking and I could barely hold them! In fact, I think they clanged together from my shaking!

Even though it was scary, I now realize all that first demonstration taught me: how to prepare a plan and outline of information I wanted to articulate and share with others, how to handle my nerves when it felt like I couldn’t get to the end soon enough, and most important, how I needed to not be afraid to try again because the more I did this, the easier it would get!

My story is one that I’m sure many can relate to: memories of experiences we had as 4-H members that helped us gain confidence and shape who we are today. I never thought about how that Demonstration Contest was created or delivered to the local level here in Benson County. I just knew it was a program that I could participate in.

The past few years, I have had the opportunity to serve on the North Dakota 4-H Foundation board of directors. This has helped me understand how a Demonstration Contest happens, from the local to state level, and how the work of the foundation helps create and deliver programs, scholarships, award trips, 4-H camp, judging competitions across the state and many more of the activities available for 4-H members to participate in.

You are an important part of that. The support provided to the North Dakota 4-H Foundation by individuals, clubs, counties, organizations and companies helps provide these opportunities. We want to recognize that and say “thank you” for believing in young people by supporting the foundation.

I want to share a couple of examples of how your support helps:

- **North Dakota 4-H Camp** – The past several years, the 4-H Foundation has been raising money to update the 4-H Camp at Washburn. Activities have included renovations of the sleeping cabins and kitchen, construction of the new Johnsrud 4-H Education Center, construction of a new multipurpose building and many updates around the camp. The results of this work have been evident by the increased numbers of campers who attend each summer and the types of camp experiences offered. The improvements also have helped with having an enhanced learning environment. If you haven’t had a chance to see what the camp looks like today, please stop in and visit. We’d love to show you around. (You can find additional information about the camp later in this annual report.)

- **Giving Hearts Day** – The North Dakota 4-H Foundation participates in this 24-hour online fundraising event in February each year. It has allowed the 4-H Foundation to reach out all across the state, touching individuals we might not be able to connect with through traditional activities. The money raised is used for a variety of activities, such as awards at the North Dakota State Fair, travel to and participation in leadership opportunities at the national level, training for 4-H volunteers and support for the work of the 4-H Ambassadors.

If you ever have questions about the 4-H Foundation, programs available for support, the board of directors or any other activities, please get in touch with us. We’d be happy to share more about our work and ways that you can get involved.

Thank you again for your commitment to the young people of North Dakota and the 4-H program.

*Tammy Meyer*
2016-17 Chair, North Dakota 4-H Foundation Board of Directors
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Program Revenue

- Contributions: $131,118 (21%)
- Grants: $160,000 (25%)
- Investment Income: $101,953 (16%)
- 4-H Camp: $169,285 (26%)
- Program Registration: $ 77,519 (12%)

Program Expenses

- Program and Services: $171,148 (48%)
- 4-H Camp: $130,826 (36%)
- Foundation Operating: $ 49,392 (14%)
- Scholarships: $ 6,650 (2%)

Audited financial statements for the North Dakota 4-H Foundation are available by writing to:
North Dakota 4-H Foundation, NDSU Dept 7280, PO Box 6050, Fargo, ND 58108-6050
4-H Enrollment Efforts Pay Off

4-H enrollment more than doubled in some North Dakota counties in the past five years.

“I credit our great leaders for the increased enrollments,” says Macine Lukach, an Extension agent in Cavalier County, where membership jumped from 39 in 2011-12 to 92 in 2016-17.

Lukach thinks the 4-H archery program and a new Cloverbuds club also sparked interest in 4-H.

Agent Samantha Lahman attributes some of the Pembina County’s enrollment increase (70 in 2011-12 to 163 in 2016-17) to residents’ commitment to 4-H. Many younger members are fourth-generation 4-H’ers.

Also, Lahman and agent Kari Helgoe work to build strong 4-H programs, and identify and train leaders. In addition, the agents ensure youth have opportunities to get involved in activities they enjoy and assist the youth any way possible. That includes helping youth to do chores for livestock they’re exhibiting at the State Fair and getting 4-H’ers to statewide events such as Citizenship in Action in Bismarck.

“We really strive to put forth the perception that 4-H is for you, and we can find something to interest you,” Lahman says.

In Hettinger County, where enrollment rose from 41 in 2011-12 to 88 in 2016-17, agent Duaine Marxen points to the Extension staff’s strong commitment.

“Our staff make themselves available to 4-H families, not just during office hours, but also on evenings and weekends,” he says.

Such efforts have led to a 19 percent increase in 4-H enrollment statewide in five years. Brad Cogdill, chair of the NDSU Extension’s Center for 4-H Youth Development, says that’s a result of several factors:

- An intentional effort to promote 4-H as a modern, relevant youth development program and enrollment goal setting
- An updated Cloverbuds (youth ages 5 to 7) curriculum
- The highly popular shooting sports program
- An online enrollment system that makes signing up and enrollment tracking easier

North Dakota 4-H in 2016-17

| 6,440 | enrolled 4-H members |
| 2,502 | volunteers |
| 369  | youth volunteers |
| 1,616 | youth in 4-H camping programs* |
| *record 558 youth at North Dakota 4-H Camp near Washburn |

Total youth participants by residence:

| 26%  | from farms |
| 40%  | from towns under 10,000 and rural non-farms |
| 34%  | from towns and cities over 10,000 |
| 27,063 | total youth participants |

4-H enrollment increase in past five years

19%
Interest in N.D. 4-H Shooting Sports Growing

The 4-H shooting sports program stands out as a growing interest. Youth learn marksmanship, the safe and responsible use of firearms, the principles of hunting and archery, and much more. The activities of the program and the support of caring adult leaders provide young people with opportunities to develop life skills, self-worth and conservation ethics.

N.D. Shooting Sports by the Numbers

- Seven state instructor/trainers in four disciplines
- More than 400 basic instructors in six disciplines
- Volunteers conducted 1,117 activities and contributed 15,773 hours of time to shooting sports in 2017
- 23 shooting sports clubs
- 898 4-H members involved in shooting sports
- 17 youth earned the opportunity to participate in a national experience — youth in air rifle and archery were individual national champions, and the air rifle team achieved a national championship
4-H Develops Communication Skills

Leaders are developed through 4-H. Building skills takes time. Today’s youth are tomorrow’s leaders. Programs that help youth develop skills early also support them as a student in school and, eventually, community leadership.

Youth have several opportunities to participate:
- Club and County level
- 10 district contests
- 1 State contest during the North Dakota State Fair

2017 Impact:
- 273 youth participated in district contests
- 104 youth in grades four through seven completed a survey reporting:
  - 29 percent were in their first or second year of 4-H.
  - 80 percent indicated they do presentations at club meetings.
  - 71 percent responded that even at this age, they had the confidence to speak in front of groups usually or always. (When youth in grades eight to 12 were asked the same question, the response was 91 percent.)

Public speaking skills go well beyond the communication arts program. 4-H youth develop and practice these skills through giving reasons in judging contests and interview judging at achievement days or county fairs, as well as a variety of local events in which 4-H youth demonstrate what they are learning and doing.
Well-trained volunteers are critical to the success of the 4-H youth development program and positive development of 4-H members. Providing research-based 4-H materials leads to life skill development through project-based experiential learning.

Regional forums hosted by a local Extension agent and youth and adult volunteers taught by Extension specialists, agents and key 4-H project leaders enable volunteers to obtain information they need at a time and location most convenient for them. 4-H volunteers then are able to utilize information attained with 4-H members throughout the year.

Impacts

From 2008-2016, 1,154 teen and adult 4-H volunteers participated in 4-H regional volunteer project training across North Dakota.

2016 training evaluations reported:

- 96.2 percent of participants gained a moderate to high understanding of how to use the new information in their work with 4-H
- A 70.1 percent increase in knowledge gained in session topics
- 87.2 percent of volunteers learned “a lot” overall

Action volunteers will take as a result of the training:

- Give older youth more of a voice in the choices of the club
- Incorporate experiments from food science into our 4-H club meetings
- Be able to help my child better in the start of his 4-H journey
- Be more intentional in including the eight parts of youth development at meetings
- Encourage involvement in science and outdoor skills projects
- Take this information back to my club and have the members share in the excitement of what I have learned
Ebensteiner Inducted into N.D. 4-H Hall of Fame

Alvina Ebensteiner of Devils Lake was the North Dakota 4-H Hall of Fame’s 2017 inductee.

The North Dakota 4-H Hall of Fame Award recognizes an individual for outstanding leadership and commitment to 4-H on a local, county, regional and state level.

As a 25-year leader of the Ramsey Riders 4-H Club in Ramsey County, Ebensteiner has been active in the horse program on the club, county and state levels for 4-H and open horse events, including showing, competing and judging. She has worked to enhance the horse show facilities, which were relocated to the new fairgrounds, and hosted competitive events.

Ebensteiner’s love of horses and youth has inspired youth to own a horse and compete in horse shows and rodeo events.
North Dakota 4-H Century Families Named

The North Dakota 4-H Century Family program recognizes families with a combined 100 years or more of membership and/or volunteer service in 4-H.

We honor and thank these families for their long, sustained involvement in the 4-H program.

2016-17 Honorees:

**Gerald and Loretta Effertz family, McHenry County**

**Kram-Bata-Regner family (Percy Kram and Marilyn Borho, Randy and Janelle Bata, Shawn and Julie Regner), Cavalier County**

**Orien and Elaine (Grinde) Klath family, Traill County**

**Tom Valentine family, Cavalier County**

**Daniel and Kaaren Kemp family, Pembina County**

**Eudene and Gwenda Gullickson family, Pembina County**

Not pictured: **Stotz-Weismann family (Leo and Mary Louise Stoltz, Peter and Charlene Weismann), Stark-Billings Counties**
N.D. 4-H Camp Sets Enrollment Record

The North Dakota 4-H Camp near Washburn set an enrollment record in the summer of 2017, with 579 youth attending camp programs.

Recent facility renovations, including updates to three cabins used for camper housing, and the addition of the Johnsrud 4-H Education Center have had a huge impact on the increase in the number of youth and adults attending the camps.

The American Camp Association undertook the first large-scale study (2005) to measure outcomes of the camping experience. The results provide scientific evidence that a stay at camp benefits children by helping them become more confident, experience increasing self-esteem, develop more social skills that help them make new friends, and grow more independent. Youth exhibit more leadership qualities, become more adventurous and are more willing to try new things during camp.

4-H youth camps stand apart from other camps. 4-H camps provide trained professionals in their field who are available to teach topics such as animal science, hippology, outdoor skills, natural resources, environmental science, science and engineering, fiber arts, leadership, food and nutrition, and recreation.
“Both of my children have always had a great time at camp. I am thankful for the camp and appreciate all you do. Thank you!!”

4-H Camp Adds Multiuse Outdoor Education Building

2017 was our first opportunity to use the newest building on the camp campus, a multiuse outdoor education building.

The building serves as a small arena and shelter for animals, maintenance shop for the camp, and storage for educational equipment and supplies. Campers and staff have been excited to use the facility for our horse, livestock and outdoor skills types of camps.

The project includes outdoor arena upgrades, water access and electrical service. These will be completed as the 4-H Foundation receives donations.

“This camp is a safe environment for kids to learn new skills or overcome fears. So I appreciate all you do!”
2016-17 Delegates and Teams

**National 4-H Conference**
Washington, D.C.
Alyssa Kemp, Pembina County
Astrid Axtman, Cass County
JaeLyn Lardy, Cass County
Rachel Danielson, Cass County

**National 4-H Congress**
Atlanta, Georgia
Alexius Thorpe, Dickey County
Isaac Joerger, Grand Forks
Avery Breiland, Cass County
Marit Wang, Ramsey/Benson counties

**National Consumer Decision Making**
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Tyler Lee
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Team – Foster County
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Team – Morton County
Katelyn Eisenbeis
Ashley Goldade
Peyton Goldade
Brooke Heidrich
Morgan Henke

**Horse Judging**
Team – Kidder County
Morgan Dutton
Cheyanne Klein
Kaden Strom
Teresa Wald

**Shooting Sports**
Kail Larsen, Stark-Billings County
Landon Sprague, Stutsman County
William Peckham, Stutsman County
Thomas Mitchell, Pembina County

North Dakota 4-H youth are able to participate in a number of national leadership opportunities. Youth earn the right to represent North Dakota 4-H at the national level through an application and selection or a competitive event/contest process.

**2017 Scholarship Winners**

**Paulson Scholarship** - $1,000
Rebecca Klose, Walsh County
Mikayla Fingarson, Walsh County

**Dekrey Scholarship** - $750
Cierra Dockter, Kidder County

**Tuhy Scholarship** - $500
Kelsey Marschek, Cass County

**Farm & Ranch Scholarship** - $500
Dietrich Schlichtmann, Traill County

**Wilson Scholarship** - $500
JaeLyn Lardy, Cass County

**Rosevold Scholarship** - $400
Mary Hintz, Morton County

**4-H Foundation Scholarship** - $350
Alanna Ivers, Grand Forks County

**Shultz Scholarship** - $300
Traci Lagein, Towner County

**Bloom Scholarship** - $100
Marissa Tuhy, Stark/Billings County
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4-H youth development education creates supportive learning environments for all youth and adults to reach their full potential as capable, competent and caring citizens.

In support of this mission, NDSU Extension Service 4-H youth development programs will:
- Reach out to all segments of our diverse population
- Provide experiential learning
- Provide opportunities to develop skills and values that benefit youth throughout life
- Foster leadership and volunteerism in youth and adults
- Strengthen families and communities
- Use science- and research-based knowledge and the land-grant university system
- Build internal and external partnerships for programming and funding

4-H Pledge
I Pledge ...
My Head to clearer thinking,
My Heart to greater loyalty,
My Hands to larger service,
And my Health to better living,
for my club, my community,
my country, and my world.

Giving to 4-H
4-H needs your support to accomplish its mission and purpose.
4-H creates supportive learning environments by providing hands-on learning opportunities through club, camping, school-enrichment, after-school and special-interest programming. The program reached more than 30,000 youth last year.

Ways to Continue Your Support for North Dakota 4-H Youth
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The North Dakota 4-H Foundation provides state and local 4-H programs with financial support for youth development opportunities and the adult volunteers who assist them. The foundation is a charitable 501c3 organization with a governing board of about 20 volunteers and one staff member.

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