

**Lapeer County 4-H**  
**Award Application Cover Sheet**

4-H Member's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

4-H Club(s) Member is Enrolled in: \_\_\_\_\_

Member's Age on January 1, 2023: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of years completed in 4-H as of August 31, 2023: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Awards Member is applying for (Circle all that Apply):

Cloverbud Project Certificate

Junior Ambassador

Cloverbud Court

Senior Ambassador

Project Pin

4-H Council Representative

All-Around Medal

Capitol Experience

Michigan 4-H Key Club

Citizenship Washington Focus

Lamp of Knowledge

I have completed the application and supporting documents for the award(s) selected above and believe it to be a true reflection of my 4-H work.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Member's Signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

I support this member's participation in the awards selected if s/he is selected as a recipient.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Parent/Guardian Signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

This cover sheet is to be completed by members applying for individual awards (see list above). Attach all the forms that are required for each award that you are applying for. Nominations for Club, Leader, Volunteer and Community Awards do not need to include a cover sheet.

## Cloverbud Court Application

Eligibility: Registered as a 4-H Member in Lapeer County  
5-8 years old on Jan. 1, 2024

A signed Ambassador Agreement must accompany this form.

My role model is \_\_\_\_\_ because:

I can be a role model by:

I am most excited about being a Cloverbud Court member because:

Shirt Size (List Adult or Youth and Size): \_\_\_\_\_

Lapeer County 4-H Ambassador Court Program  
Requirements and Responsibilities

The Lapeer County Ambassador Program offers members the opportunity to grow and excel in areas of public speaking, leadership, and community service by regularly attending meetings, participate in teambuilding and other activities/events and help be the face of 4-H through public promotional and recruitment opportunities.

It is an honor and a significant responsibility to be selected as member of the Lapeer County 4-H Ambassador Court. The Ambassador Court members are expected to promote 4-H at community functions, participate in community service, and plan and execute team building activities at 4-H events. Parents play an important role, their support is needed to enable the Ambassador Court to complete their duties.

1. The Ambassador Court members must comply with all Lapeer county 4-H guidelines and conduct policies. Always setting a good example of 4-H.
2. Ambassador Court members shall wear proper attire for the function or event they are attending. The 4-H sash and polo shirt are to be worn only during times the Ambassador Court is officially representing the Lapeer County MSUE 4-H program. Each member will receive a sash and polo shirt.
3. Events that members are expected to attend, contribute to, and participate in are the annual meeting of the 4-H Council (fall time), County Awards Ceremony, 4-H Celebrity/Spring auctions (early spring), help plan and emcee Spring Achievement (early spring), plan and organize a teen event, chosen parades, and community service activities. Participation in additional events may be done as an individual and/or as a group.
4. Serving on the Ambassador court is a leadership and service opportunity. Each year the Ambassador Court is encouraged and expected to do a special project of their choice as an educational or service project.
5. An adult advisor(s), who is(are) a 4-H volunteer(s), along with 4-H staff, will provide support and guidance for the Ambassador Court during their term of office, which runs from the time of the county award ceremony where they are announced to the following year's award ceremony.
6. Positions within the Ambassador Court, Chairperson, Secretary and Bookkeeper, will be members of the court. Positions will be appointed by vote as a group.
7. Members are role models to younger 4-H peers in the county and community. Members have a role in shaping the actions and attitudes of other 4-H members. In order to facilitate being a positive role model the member commits to following through with their promises to participate in and attend meetings and events provided to and for the Ambassador Court Program.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ acknowledge that I have read and understand the requirements and responsibilities of the 4-H Ambassador Court and I agree to fulfill those responsibilities.

4-H Member Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_ acknowledge that I have read and understand the requirements and responsibilities of the 4-H Ambassador Court and I agree to help my teen to fulfill those responsibilities.

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_