# 4-H FLASH



#### GLENN COUNTY 4-H NEWS FLASH

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### New Family Check-in Event - Wednesday, April 19, 2023

Join others as we reflect on the current program year, and we look on to what's to come. We will take this time to prepare for the end of the program year, discuss what enrollment will look like for next year, and gather feedback to prepare for future New Family Orientation and Leader Trainings. This session will be from 5:30 - 6:15 p.m. at the UCCE Office. Stick around for the SPARKS Achievement Program webinar from 6:15 – 7:30 p.m. to receive guidance and tips on tracking all the work and activities your 4-H'er has participated in. \*Dinner will be provided. To register for either portion, please visit: <a href="https://surveys.ucanr.edu/survey.cfm?surveynumber=40568">https://surveys.ucanr.edu/survey.cfm?surveynumber=40568</a>.

### SPARKS Achievement Program — Wednesday, April 19, 2023

The Spark Achievements level is designed for Junior 4-H'ers and new 4-H'ers. This level will help you build a foundation to progress to the more challenging levels.

Not sure if you should do the traditional Record Book or Spark Achievement Program? Below is a quick reference guide, but be sure to attend the training to learn more.

Join us for a Spark Achievement webinar on **Wednesday, April 19, 2023 at 6:00-7:15p.m.** to learn more about this new achievement program. You can join us in person at the UCCE Office or attend via Zoom, at: <a href="https://ucanr.zoom.us/s/99340153332?pwd=Q1dETWVIeWRINCs1VEtzaTBObkQyUTO9#success">https://ucanr.zoom.us/s/99340153332?pwd=Q1dETWVIeWRINCs1VEtzaTBObkQyUTO9#success</a>.

#### Primary Members (ages 5-8) iSprout

Primary Members start with iSprout. The iSprout activities focus on the following four topics: Knowing Me, Knowing My Family, Knowing 4-H and Knowing My Community.

# Junior (ages 9-10) & New Members

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### **Switching to Spark Achievements**

Junior members who have earned Star Ranks in 2021-22 or 2022-23 will keep their ranks and should convert their efforts to the Spark Achievement Report.

### **Intermediate Members (ages 11-13)**

During this transition year (2022-2023), older 4-H'ers who want to switch to the new Achievement Program

will also start out at this level. Starting in 2023-2024, the Spark Achievements level will be limited to Junior and New 4-H'ers.

### Senior Members (ages 14-18)

The Impact Star Achievements level for Senior Members are in pilot phase across the state, with a launch planned for the Fall of 2023-24.

## Intermediate & Senior Members who have started Star Ranks have three options:

- 1. Continue working on the Star Rank program and related Record Book requirements.
- 2. Finish the current rank you are working toward. Plan to convert to the new program in 2023-24.
- 3. After achieving Platinum Rank, start the new achievement program at any time.

