

The News Spreader



August 2026



50th Provincial Rally

Theme: Sports

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Rally 2026





PROVINCIAL RALLY 2026 SHOWMANSHIP RESULTS



Grand Champion Showpersons

Animal	Name	Club
Goat	Grace Kelly	Shawville
Sheep	Lyric McIntyre	Shawville
Miniature Horse	Lyric McIntyre	Shawville
Light Horse	Julia Silverson	Lachute
Draft Horse	Andie McLaughlin	Shawville
Rabbit	Madison Hamel	Richmond
Beef	Ben Judd	Shawville
Dairy	Geordie Woods	Lachute

Club Aggregate

1	Shawville
2	Lachute
3	Ormstown/ Howick
4	Sawyerville
5	Hatley
6	AJRQ
7	Richmond

Overall Champion Showperson

Title	Name	Club
Grand Champion Showperson	Geordie Woods	Lachute
Reserve Champion Showperson	Lyric McIntyre	Shawville
Honourable Mention Showperson	Julia Silverson	Lachute

Farmers Olympics

Winners: **Team Pink**



Barn Display

1. Lachute
2. Ormstown
3. Shawville
4. Hatley
5. AJRQ
6. Sawyerville
7. Richmond



Fitting Competition

Dairy Lachute
Beef Sawyerville
Sheep Shawville





PROVINCIAL RALLY 2026



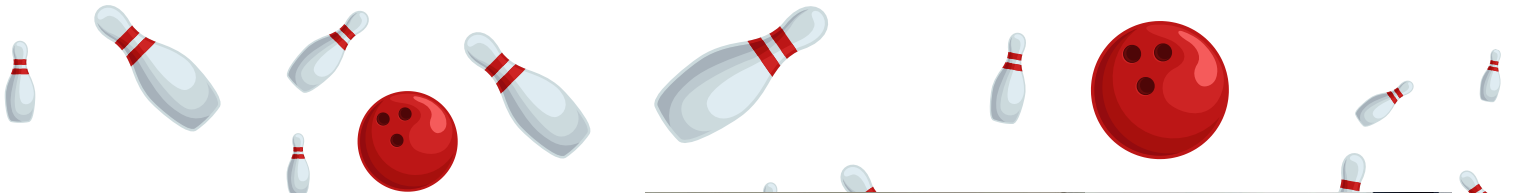
Life Skills Overall

- | | |
|----------------------|-------------|
| 1. Caleb Herring | Sawyerville |
| 2. Lyric McIntyre | Shawville |
| 3. Hailey Dolloff | Hatley |
| 4. Annabelle Delaney | Sawyerville |
| 4. Cosette Mason | Ormstown |
| 6. Madison Hamel | Richmond |
| 7. Jackson Daniel | Ormstown |
| 8. Lyle McOuat | Lachute |
| 9. Olivia McOuat | Lachute |
| 10. Molly Dowe | Shawville |



Public Speaking Overall

- | | |
|----------------------|-------------|
| 1. Julia Silverson | Lachute |
| 2. Grace Kelly | Shawville |
| 3. Laura Mayhew | Shawville |
| 4. Emily McOuat | Lachute |
| 4. Annabelle Delaney | Sawyerville |
| 6. Khloë Drummond | Shawville |
| 7. Cole McVety | Hatley |
| 8. Kathleen Kelly | Shawville |
| 9. Neil Taylor | Sawyerville |
| 10. Kaely Morrison | Sawyerville |



Costume Class Results

1. Hatley
2. Ormstown
3. Sawyerville
4. Lachute
5. Shawville
6. AJRQ
7. Richmond



Spirit Award



This award is presented each year to a 4-H member who best exemplifies the 4-H motto, "Learn To Do By Doing" while demonstrating their leadership skills. This award is to encourage participation in all of the Rally activities with enthusiasm. This year, the Provincial Rally Spirit Award for exemplary leadership and examples of Learning to Do by Doing was awarded to:

Maeve McIntyre from Ormstown 4-H Club



SHOW RESULTS

Horse Confirmation Champion

Class	Name	Club
Miniature Horse	Lyric McIntyre	Shawville
Light Horse	Julia Silverson	Lachute
Draft Horse	Andie McLaughlin	Shawville

Goat Confirmation Champion

Class	Name	Club
Goat	Khloë Drummond	Shawville



Sheep Confirmation Champion

Class	Name	Club
Sheep	Lyric McIntyre	Shawville

Rabbit Confirmation Champion

Class	Name	Club
Rabbit	Julia Silverson	Lachute

Dairy Results



Champion Ayrshire

Austin Mcouat

Lachute

Champion Jersey

Maeve McIntyre

Ormstown

Champion Holstein

Félix Loiselle

Ormstown

Champion Brown Swiss

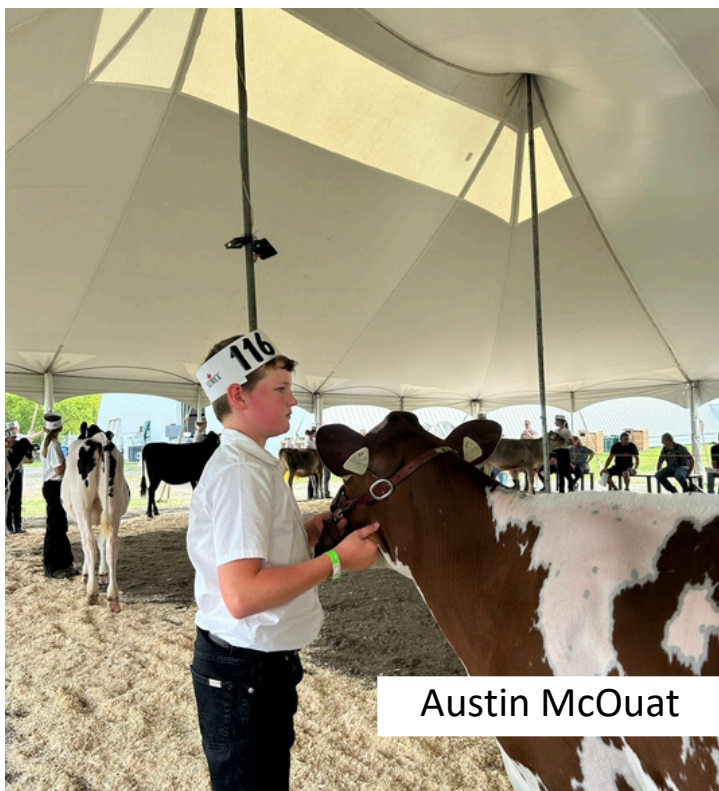
Aleksa Govedarica

Hatley

Champion Colour Breed

Cosette Mason

Ormstown



Austin McOuat

Grand Champion Dairy



Grand Champion Dairy

Austin McOuat

Lachute

Reserve Champion Dairy

Félix Loiselle

Ormstown

Honourable Mention Dairy

Maeve McIntyre

Ormstown

Champion Dairy Showperson

Geordie Woods

Lachute

Reserve Dairy Showperson

Cosette Mason

Ormstown

Honourable Mention Dairy

Showperson

Emily McOuat

Lachute



Félix Loiselle



Maeve McIntyre

Reserve Champion Dairy

Honourable Mention Dairy

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Beef Conformation Results



Champion Hereford

Caleb Herring

Sawyerville

Champion Angus

Ben Judd

Shawville



Grand Champion Beef

Ben Judd

Shawville

Reserve Champion Beef

Olivia Judd

Shawville

Honourable Mention Beef

Caleb Herring

Sawyerville



Grand Champion Beef



Champion Beef Showperson

Ben Judd

Shawville

Reserve Beef Showperson

Caleb Herring

Sawyerville

Honourable Mention Beef

Showperson

Olivia Judd

Shawville



Reserve Champion Beef



Honourable Mention Beef

Overall Results

Judging Competition

6-9 yrs

1. Cole Lothian Lachute

10-12 yrs

1. Brooklyn Bryson Ormstown
2. Cosette Mason Ormstown
3. Olivia McOuat Lachute
4. Peyton Brown Howick
5. Olivia Judd Shawville
6. Lilyrose Loiselle Ormstown
7. Rayburn McCann Shawville
8. Brody Lapointe Hatley
9. Austin McOuat Lacute
10. Cassandra Bryson Ormstown

13-15 yrs

1. Shawn McOuat Lachute
2. Preston Mason Ormstown
3. Roslyn McCann Shawville
4. Félix Loiselle Ormstown
5. Molly Dowe Shawville
6. McKinley McMahon Lachute
7. Ashton Bryson Ormstown
8. Brianna Coates Sawyerville
9. Riley Drummond Shawville
10. Neil Taylor Sawyerville

16-21 yrs

1. Geordie Woods Lachute
2. Laura Mayhew Shawville
3. Emily McOuat Lachute
4. Ben Judd Shawville
5. Kathleen Kelly Shawville
6. Grace Tannahill Ormstown
7. Roewan Cosgrove Howick
8. Lyric McIntyre Shawville
9. Julia Silverson Lachute
10. Kianna Keenan Richmond



Overall Judging Competition Winners

Grand Champion	Geordie Woods	Lachute	635
Reserve Champion	Laura Mayhew	Shawville	612
Honourable Mention	Emily McOuat	Lachute	590
4th	Shawn McOuat	Lachute	589
5th	Ben Judd	Shawville	587
6th	Kathleen Kelly	Shawville	585
7th	Preston Mason	Ormstown	573
8th	Grace Tannahill	Ormstown	557
9th	Roewan Cosgrove	Howick	554
10th	Roslyn McCann	Shawville	551



Overall Results

Individual Aggregate

6-9 yrs

1. Cole Lothian

Lachute

10-12 yrs

1. Cosette Mason

Ormstown

2. Olivia McOuat

Lachute

3. Olivia Judd

Shawville

4. Brooklyn Bryson

Ormstown

5. Caleb Herring

Sawyerville

6. Brody Lapointe

Hatley

7. Alicia Plouffe

Lachute

8. Cassandra Bryson

Ormstown

9. Rayburn McCann

Shawville

9. Mackenzie St-Pierre

Shawville

13-15 yrs

1. Preston Mason

Ormstown

2. Félix Loiselle

Ormstown

3. Shawn McOuat

Lachute

4. Molly Dowe

Shawville

5. Roslyn McCann

Shawville

6. Neil Taylor

Sawyerville

7. Ashton Bryson

Ormstown

8. Lyle McOuat

Lachute

9. Madison Hamel

Richmond

10. Bria Pieshe

Shawville

16-21 yrs

1. Geordie Woods

Lachute

2. Laura Mayhew

Shawville

3. Ben Judd

Shawville

4. Kathleen Kelly

Shawville

4. Emily McOuat

Lachute

6. Lyric McIntyre

Shawville

7. Julia Silverson

Lachute

8. Grace Kelly

Shawville

9. Hailey Dolloff

Hatley

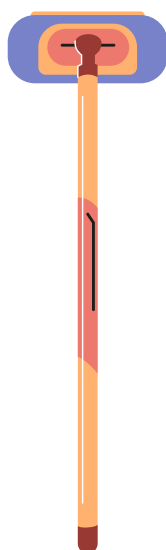
10. Roewan Cosgrove

Howick



Overall Winners

Grand Champion	Geordie Woods	Lachute	1030
Reserve Champion	Laura Mayhew	Shawville	992
Honourable Mention	Ben Judd	Shawville	987
4th	Kathleen Kelly	Shawville	975
4th	Emily McOuat	Lachute	975
6th	Lyric McIntyre	Shawville	949
7th	Julia Silverson	Lachute	948
7th	Preston Mason	Ormstown	948
9th	Cosette Mason	Ormstown	936
10th	Félix Loiselle	Ormstown	933



Crop Class

1	Sawyerville
1	Shawville
3	Hatley
4	Ormstown/ Howick
5	Richmond
6	AJQR





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A big **THANK YOU** goes out to all the sponsors, organizers, volunteers, judges, parents, and participants who made this event such a success! We look forward to seeing everyone at next year's Provincial Rally!



CLUB CORNER

KEEPING UP WITH OUR CLUBS!

HATLEY PART 1



It has been an absolutely packed year for the Hatley 4-H Club! We've been going non-stop since winter, learning new skills, running events, and getting our projects ready for show season. Looking back at everything we've done, it's amazing to see how much we've accomplished.

We started things off strong back in February. At our regular meeting, Kolton Crack came out and taught us exactly what to look for when judging udders. That same month, we sent two teams to the Mac judging competition, and they did great, placing 4th and 5th overall. We also braved the cold to host the kids' games at the Ayer's Cliff Winter Carnival, which was a lot of fun.

March was another busy month. We had our meeting at Lookout Farm where Callum McKinven talked to us about all the opportunities he's had as a world-renowned judge. He taught us how to judge Jersey cows and then made us practice giving our reasons. March was also super exciting because our poultry project chicks finally arrived! Everyone in the project got 10 chicks each to raise up and then show at the poultry barn at Ayer's Cliff Fair.

April was our dance fundraiser. We had a completely sold-out crowd. Everyone had the best time two-stepping the night away to Slightly Haggard.





CLUB CORNER

KEEPING UP WITH OUR CLUBS!

HATLEY PART 2



In May, at our monthly meeting, Shelby Drew shared her knowledge as a nutritionist. She explained why a balanced diet is so important for our ruminants and how to feed our animals so they are show-ready. She also prepared a protein ID class of us. Later in May, two of our members went to the provincial AGM and got to participate in the first-ever learning retreat at Ferme Quinn, which was an awesome experience.

June was a busy month for us. We had our annual Achievement Day on June 27th back at the fairgrounds. The judges gave us some quick demos on showmanship, and then members proudly led their beef, dairy, and goat projects into the rings. Also in June, some Hatley members traveled to the Ormstown Fair to compete in their 4-H show for the very first time!

We didn't slow down for July, either. We built a float for Hatley's Canada Day parade and spent the day running a canteen. Our beef kids have also been super busy participating in a bunch of different junior shows, and we wrapped up the month by sending a group of 8 dairy kids to the Provincial Rally in Lachute.

Now it's August, and the adventures are still going. On August 6th, one of our own Hatley members flew out to Alberta for an interprovincial exchange trip, traveling with 12 members from the Sawyerville 4-H Club. It's been an incredible year full of hard work, learning, and fun memories, and we're excited to finish the summer season strong.





CLUB CORNER

KEEPING UP WITH OUR CLUBS!

RICHMOND



On June 27th we had an amazing and successful achievement day. We had an amazing time. We even added a new category... PUBLIC SPEAKING! A special thanks to Pavue Farms for hosting this amazing achievement day! We all enjoyed it!

On July 1st (A.K.A. Canada day) Richmond 4-H hosted our annual strawberry social at the Richmond Fairgrounds. We served vanilla ice cream with blended strawberries to our friends, family and community! A special thanks to all the volunteers who gave the members a hand when they needed one.

In mid July we had four Richmond 4-H members attend Rally in Lachute. The Richmond 4-H was also known as the Richmond raptors! A huge thanks to our leaders who attended the rally.

We have four members from our club that went to the 2026 summer Junior Camp. The members said that they had an amazing and fun time there.





ACHIEVEMENT DAY REPORT

KEEPING UP WITH OUR CLUBS!

HATLEY



On June 27th, the Hatley 4-H club got together at the Ayer's Cliff Fairgrounds for our annual Achievement Day. It was the perfect way to officially kick off the summer show season with all of our members, leaders, and families.

We started the morning focusing on learning some new skills. Before anyone even entered the ring, the judges gave small demonstrations to explain exactly what they look for during showmanship classes. It was super helpful because they broke down everything from ring presence to the best ways to handle and present our animals.

With the judges' advice fresh in our minds, it was time to show. Members proudly led their beef, dairy, and goat projects into the ring, showcasing all the effort they had put into preparing their projects. Everyone did an amazing job, and you could really tell how much hard work and dedication went into training the animals over the last few months.

Everything ran super smoothly thanks to our awesome leaders and volunteers, and we wrapped up the whole show by noon. To celebrate a great morning, we all sat down together for a big pizza lunch. It was a really fun day, and it got everyone super excited for the rest of the summer.





ACHIEVEMENT DAY REPORT

KEEPING UP WITH OUR CLUBS!

RICHMOND



Richmond Achievement took place on June 27th, 2026 from 10:00am to 3:00pm.

They had participates in many projects like dairy, rabbit, beef, goat, sheep, life skills, and public speaking.

It was hosted by Pavue Farms with about 120 people coming to participate and watch the shows. They all enjoyed a pizza lunch with potluck style salads and desserts.





PROVINCIAL UPDATES



Funny Farm

Why do cows have hooves instead of feet?
Because they loctose.

2026 Calendar of Events

Opportunity	Date	Host/Location
AJRQ Classique	August 14 th to 16 th	Victoriaville
Back to School Pizza Party	September 17 th	Ste-Annes
4-H show your colour day	November 4 th	
Royal Agricultural Winter Fair	November 6 th to 15 th	Toronto, ON
Intermediate Leadership Conference/ Senior Members Weekend	November 20 th to 22 nd	Orford
Members Forum	November 21 st to 26 th	Regina, SK

Quebec 4-H Summer Swag Give Away!

For June, July and August, we will be sending out a prize pack to one member.

For a chance to win all you have to do is send in a picture of yourself following the month's theme.

Member's will have until the 10th of the following month to email their picture to contest@quebec4-h.com

August's theme is... **4-H Projects**

Capture yourself participating in a 4-H project, caring for animals, working in the garden, volunteering, attending an event, or practicing a skill you've learned through 4-H.

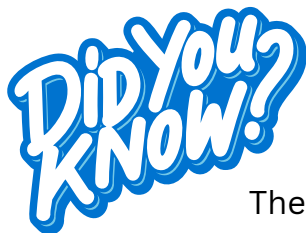


Winners will be announced in the following month's News Spreader. Photos entered may be used for promotional material and shared on social media.

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PROVINCIAL UPDATES



We have a Facebook Page
and a Facebook Group!
But what's the difference?

The 4-H Quebec Facebook Page
is where provincial updates and info is
shared, so follow along so you don't miss out!

The Quebec 4-H Facebook Group is where
our 4-H community can connect and share
club updates and upcoming activities!

Check us out on social media!



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The 2026 Garden Challenge



Here are a few of the potential categories

- Heaviest Pumpkin
- Best Pumpkin Patch
 - garden presentation & care
- Most Unique Variety
 - heirloom, unusual colour/shape
- Jack-o-lantern Carving
- Pumpkin recipe challenge
- Funniest Pumpkin

Entry deadline: **October 1st 2026**
for photos

Have an idea for another category?
E-mail Gillian to let her know -
coordinator@quebec4-H.com



Our new website is up and running!
Check it out at

Quebec4-h.com

More resources, events, and news will continue
to be added so make sure to keep checking in.

NEW ITEMS IN OUR E-STORE!



Back



Front

New
design
available in
adult and
youth sizes
and as
hoodies!



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Adult and Youth Aprons
now available in 3
colours!

Do you have dates you would like to see
added to the calendar?

Interested in submitting an article or
photo?

Send Gillian an email by September 10th !

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Rally 2026 Feedback Form



Don't forget to
fill out the
Rally feedback
form!

Your feedback
helps us
improve Rally
for next year!





PROVINCIAL UPDATES



Show Your 4-H Colours

CONTEST

Coming September 1st!





LEADER LINK



Growing Our Volunteer Team

Behind every successful 4-H club is a dedicated team of volunteers. From organizing meetings and coordinating events to mentoring members and preparing activities, every helping hand makes a difference.

While our leaders play a vital role, they don't have to do it all alone.

As we move into the busy fall season, now is a great time to look around your club and identify opportunities for parents, alumni, and community members to get involved. Remember, not every volunteer needs to become a registered leader. Consider creating small, manageable opportunities such as:

- Assisting with a single project or workshop
- Helping organize a fundraiser or community service activity
- Taking photos at events
- Transporting supplies or equipment
- Sharing a special skill or career with members



When volunteers start with a small role, they're often more comfortable taking on additional responsibilities in the future.

Don't forget about your alumni! Former 4-H members already understand the values of the program and often enjoy giving back to the organization that helped shape them.

Most importantly, remember to recognize your volunteers. A simple thank you, a handwritten note, or a public acknowledgement at a meeting can go a long way in making people feel appreciated and encouraging them to stay involved.

Strong clubs aren't built by one or two people—they're built by a community working together. By welcoming new volunteers and sharing responsibilities, we create a stronger, more sustainable future for Quebec 4-H and the youth we serve.

Leader Challenge: At your next club meeting or event, ask one new person to help with one specific task. A personal invitation is often all it takes to turn a parent, alumnus, or community member into your club's next great volunteer.

Need help with volunteer screening or leader training?? Reach out to Gillian at coordinator@quebec4-H.com



NATIONAL NEWS



Leaders Learn Series Coming This Fall

Beginning in September, sessions will take place on the third Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. ET.

It will feature speakers from across the 4-H network on topics that strengthen club leadership, enhance program delivery, and enrich the volunteer experience.

The series will run from September 2026 to March 2027, with no session in December.



Sessions will include:

- **September 16:** FCC Club Funds with 4-H Canada's Katie Kissick
- **October 21:** Urban Clubs: Short-Term, Big Impact: How 4-H Intro Clubs Are Growing Membership in New Ways with 4-H Alberta's Lori Neilson
- **November 18:** Running a Virtual Cooking Club and make some pizza with 4-H ON Leader John Drummond
- **January 20:** 4-H Canada's Youth Advisory Committee
- **February 17:** Agents of STEM: Mission Ready Leader Training with 4-H Canada's Chelsea Crawford and 4-H MB YAC Ashlyn Whetter
- **March 17:** DEIA session, details to be confirmed



NATIONAL NEWS



Apply for the FCC 4-H Club Fund

Applications open **September 1st, 2026!**

4-H Canada and FCC are providing a total of \$100,000 for financial support to 4-H clubs, districts, and regions across Canada. Grants up to \$500 will be available to support initiatives focused on growth, inclusion, and volunteer capacity.

Funding can be used for a variety of activities, including volunteer development, promoting 4-H in your community, reducing barriers to participation, supporting local events, purchasing resources, and more.

Applications deadline: **October 31st, 2026!**

Stay tuned...

Club to Club Exchanges will be making a return next year with more opportunities for clubs and members to participate!

Agents of STEM: This fall, members can connect with real STEM professionals during the Meet a Real Agent of STEM webinar. Volunteer leaders and senior members will have the opportunity to participate in interactive workshops at the 4-H BC Leaders Conference and 4-H Canada's Members Forum. A virtual leader training session will follow in February 2027, helping volunteers prepare for the official relaunch of the Agents of STEM kits in early 2027.



AUGUST'S GAME OF THE MONTH



Find a way for the bee to get to
the flower.

