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WAUKESHA COUNTY UW-EXTENSION TO HOST 4-H LEADER'S ASSOCIATION BLUE RIBBON GALA ON MARCH 3, 2017

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Fundraiser Will Help Expand 4-H Program, Train New Volunteers

(WAUKESHA, WI) – Waukesha County 4-H will host its first "Blue Ribbon Gala" on Friday, March 3, 2017 at 5:30 pm at the Country Springs Hotel (2810 Golf Rd., Pewaukee). The purpose of the gala is to raise funds to help expand the program, offer leadership opportunities, and train qualified volunteers in Waukesha County.

"We're extremely excited to host our first Blue Ribbon Gala as an opportunity to raise funds and expand 4-H in Waukesha County," said Cindy Sarkady, 4-H Youth Development Educator. "4-H is a non-profit organization where all the money raised goes directly back into offering leadership opportunities for youth in Waukesha County."

Blue Ribbon Gala attendees will receive a plated dinner, and have access to a live and silent auction hosted by Scott Gunderson. County Executive Paul Farrow will Emcee the event.

Tickets and Registration Information

Contact: Cindy Sarkady

Tickets are \$50 each until February 17, 2017 and \$55 after that date.

If you are interested in attending this event or donating an auction item, please register with staff no later than February 17. Contact Cindy Sarkady at 262-548-7784 or Betty Otter at 262-542-3441.

About Waukesha County Extension's 4-H Program

4-H offers a world of real hands-on projects and demonstrations, leadership development, and personal economics. 4-H teaches pride in workmanship and accomplishments, personal interaction with peers, and respect for the environment. In addition, the program teaches youth important life skills such as leadership, decision-making, and personal coping skills that help youth become our future leaders in Waukesha County and beyond.

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