

## South Dakota State Fair Capital Campaign

### 4-H Division

#### Club and County Brick Opportunities

##### The Bricks:

Bricks will likely have the name of your county or club and a 4-H clover image. The bricks will be located on an exterior front-facing wall of the new exhibit hall or arranged on the ground within the landscaping of the front yard area of the exhibit hall.

These bricks are available to 4-H Clubs and County 4-H groups. Individuals, families, and organizations donating over \$1,000 will also be recognized with bricks. Any donor providing \$5,000 or more will be part of the donor wall in the entrance of the new exhibit hall. Any gifts from businesses or individuals that your club or county finds will go toward your county/club total as well as their individual/business recognition total. Just have them complete a pledge form, which will provide the State Fair office all the necessary information.

##### County 4-H Bricks:

- A county can earn a brick if each club in their county participates in fundraising or donates, and an average of \$50-\$100 per county 4-H member is met. Clover Buds and Independent 4-H members do not need to be counted in totals. If a county brick is earned, it will mean that all 4-H clubs within a county worked to raise funds.
- Any clubs in a county can also earn a brick if they meet the club brick requirements, regardless of whether a county earns a brick.
- Funds can be raised until the first day of the 2016 State Fair in order to qualify for the brick (3 years).

##### Club 4-H Bricks:

- A brick can be earned by a club by raising or donating an average of \$50-\$100 per 4-H member. Clover Buds do not need to be counted in totals.
- Funds can be raised until the first day of the 2016 State Fair in order to qualify for the brick (3 years).

##### Donors:

Donors may designate a gift toward a particular county or club total. A county total is the sum of each club's total, in addition to any gifts that were provided to a county that are not designated for a particular club.

If a donor provides funds toward a club without involvement from the club, it is still necessary that the club donate some of its own funds or host a fundraising activity in order to have engagement/involvement of the club members.

#### Alumni of Former 4-H Clubs:

Adult alumni of dissolved 4-H clubs can earn a brick with their old club's name if they take the initiative to raise an average of \$100 or more per involved alumni (minimum 10 alumni required to be actively involved in fundraising/donating). This total can also be counted in their county's brick total. If an existing club is seeking gifts from 4-H alumni as a fundraising activity, the total would go toward the existing club since that club is the group actively seeking funds.

#### Sending in Funds:

Funds can be collected by 4-H offices or 4-H groups.

Funds, 4-H County/Club donation description sheets, pledge forms from your club/county, and pledge forms from donors should be mailed to the:

South Dakota State Fair Foundation  
890 3<sup>rd</sup> Street SW  
Huron, SD 57350

with your club name and county name included. Filling out the 4-H County/Club donation description sheet with the green border and sending it with your funds guarantees that we know which club/county to give credit to for the donations. If funds are sourced from multiple clubs, simply list what should be designated toward which club, and which gifts are not designated toward any club in particular. Please avoid sending cash. Instead, deposit your cash raised, and write a check from your club checking account. Checks written by donors can be sent directly to the State Fair office without depositing in your account first. The State Fair office will track your progress. Funds and donor pledges must be received by the State Fair office in order to count toward your bricks.

Thank you, and good luck as we look forward to having a new statewide home for South Dakota 4-H!!