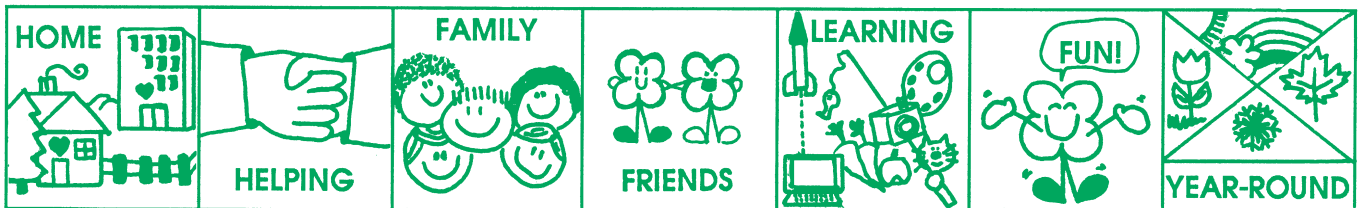
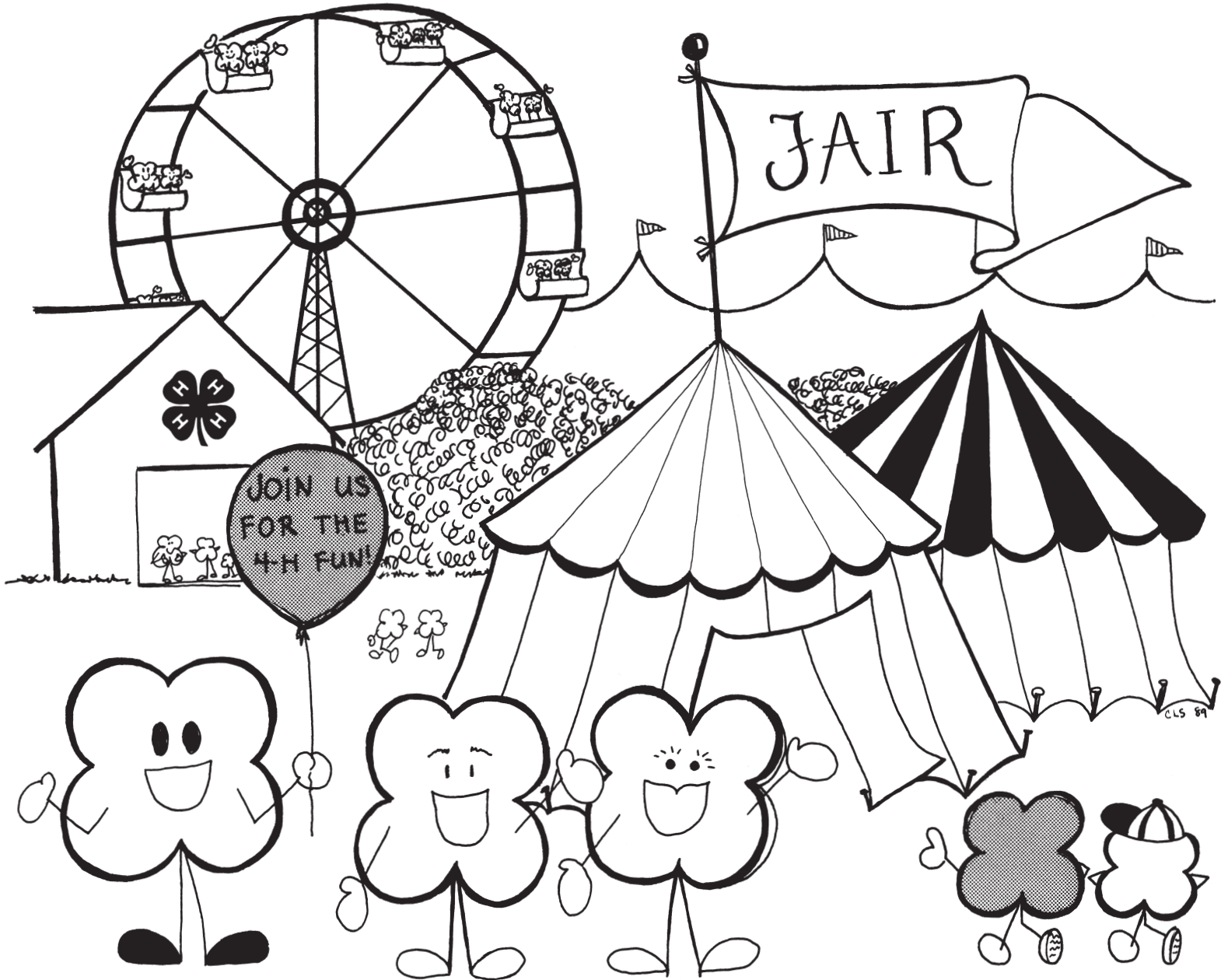


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**4H FUNWORKS**

Activity pages for young 4-H members





### Taking your 4-H Cloverbud project to the County Fair



- Have your Mom or Dad watch for your county 4-H Premium List (it is a booklet sent by your County Extension Office that has county fair information).
- Fill out the county fair form and return it to your local County Extension Office so the staff will know what you plan to bring to the fair. If you are thinking about bringing an animal, check on the rules for 4-H Cloverbuds.
- Take your 4-H item(s) which you made, called a 4-H exhibit(s), to the county fair (the premium list will tell you which day to come).
- At the fair, go to the 4-H Cloverbud judging area where a nice person, called a 4-H judge, will talk with you about your exhibit(s). They will give you a 4-H Cloverbud ribbon for your exhibit(s)!  
*(Older 4-H members will get a blue, red or white ribbon for the 4-H exhibits they bring to the fair.)*
- You will leave your exhibit(s) at the fair so people who come to the 4-H exhibit building can see what you made. On the last day of the fair you can take your exhibit(s) home.

Draw a line from the ribbon to the right description.



**Participation or other ribbons**

Striped or special color selected by your county

**Cloverbud**

Green or special color selected by your county



Red



Blue



White



or



Purple

**What do the 4-H ribbon colors mean?**

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Some counties give special ribbons for some projects areas. (participation or other)

A ribbon given if a member knows a little about the project area. The exhibit is pretty good but could use some more work. (red)

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This is the best exhibit in the project area. (purple)

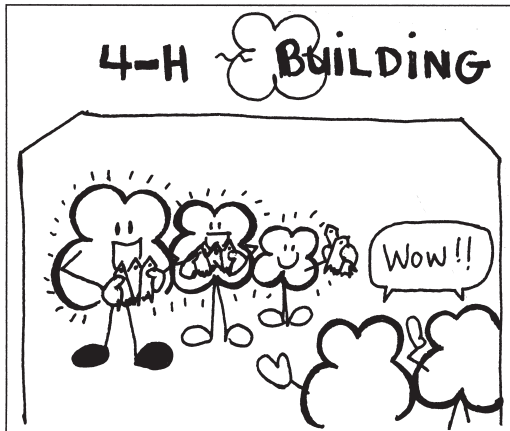
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**(Answers are on the back page.)**

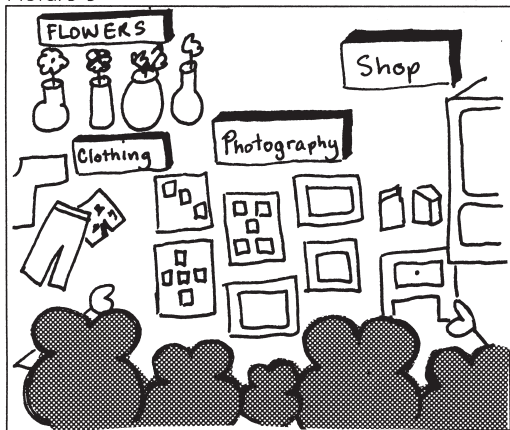
When you are an older 4-H member (grade 6 and above) you could win a 4-H trip to the Minnesota State Fair, if you have the best exhibit in a project area at the County Fair.



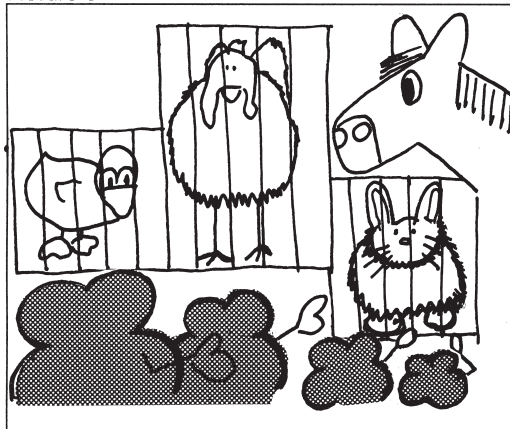
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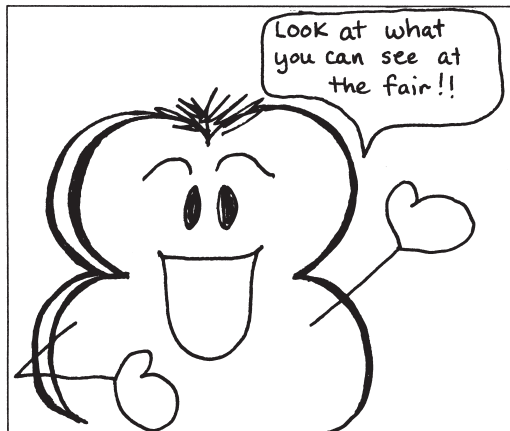
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Picture 6



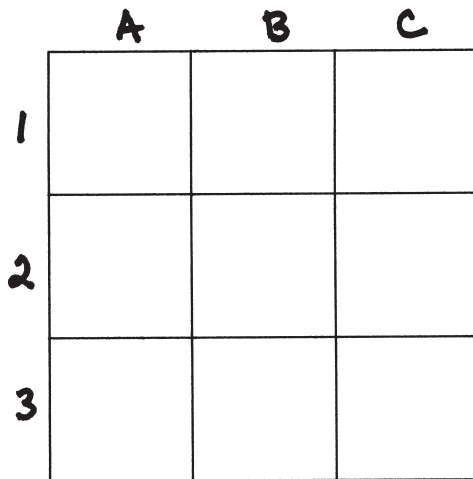
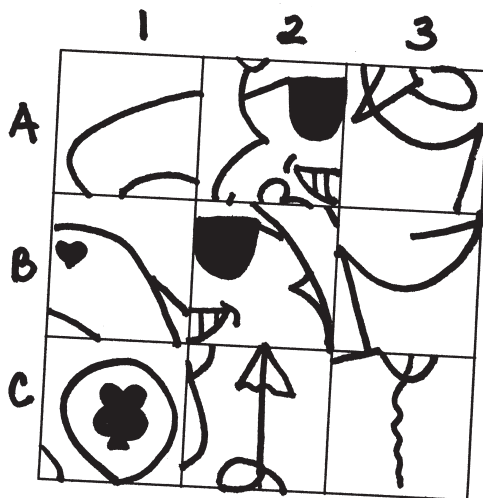
Picture 7



Picture 8

### Who is going to the County Fair?

Use a pencil. Draw the exact same shape in the box marked A-1 in the blank box 1-A. Next draw A-2 in 2-A, then A-3 in 3-A. Now draw B-1 in 1-B, B-2 in 2-B, B-3 in 3-B, C-1 in 1-C, C-2 in 2-C and C-3 in 3-C. When you are done with the drawing you will see who is going to the county fair.



### 4-H Super Snack - Summertime Smoothie

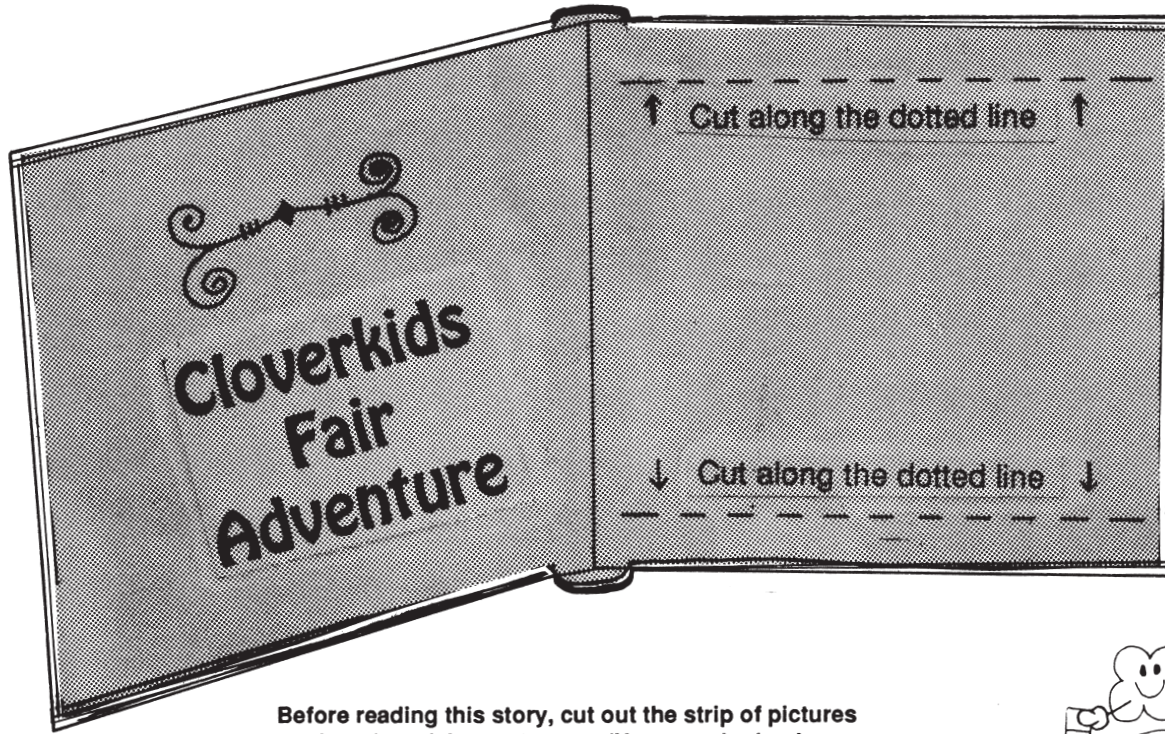
(Your will need an adult to help you with this snack)

- 1 cup of vanilla frozen yogurt
- 1 cup of apple juice
- 2 cups of fresh or frozen fruit (cherries (without pits), blueberries, raspberries, strawberries, bananas)

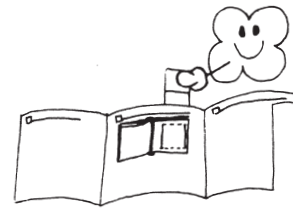


Put all the items in a blender. Put on the lid. Mix until Smooth. (You can try difference juices and fruits together to see which ones you like.)





Before reading this story, cut out the strip of pictures on the edge of the next page. (Use round-edged scissors for safety. You may want to ask a parent to help.) Next, cut along the dotted lines marked on the Adventure Book. As you read, pull the strip top to bottom through the book like this.



1. Little Chip, Carol and Clever Clover received a copy of the premium list in the mail. "Hurray, it's almost fair time!" they shouted. "It's so much fun", said Chip, "I can't wait!"

5. "Look at the ribbons we earned when we made our 4-H exhibits and brought them to the fair!" said the Cloverkids. Their friends were so impressed!

2. The Cloverkids were busy for the next several weeks finishing their exhibits for the fair.

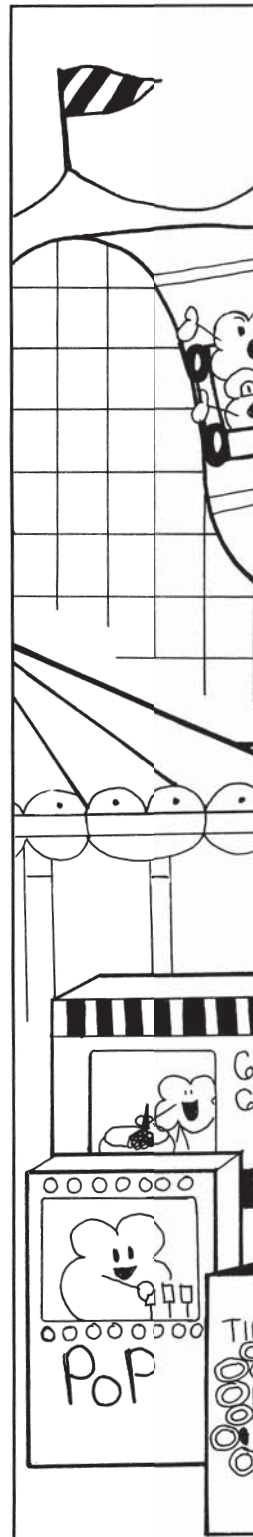
6. When they were finished with the judging, the Cloverkids joined their family to look around the fair.

3. Finally the big day arrived. "It's the first day of the fair!" Carol said happily as she jumped up and down. All the kids got their exhibits and piled in the car.

7. They went to see all the wonderful 4-H animals - big and small.

4. At the fair they each met with a judge to talk about their project work during the past year and the exhibits they have made. When they were done the judge gave them a ribbon.

8. The county fair has so much to see and do. Here is some fun just for you. Go to the large picture and find the things the Cloverkids have hidden.



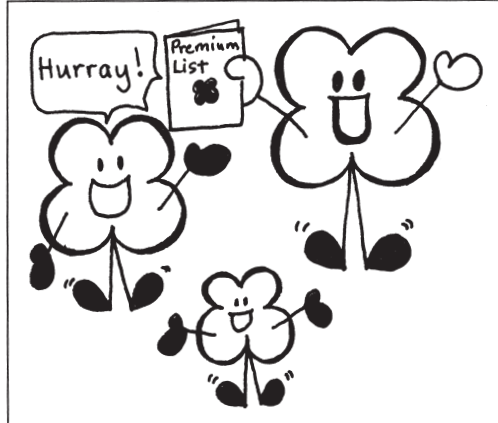
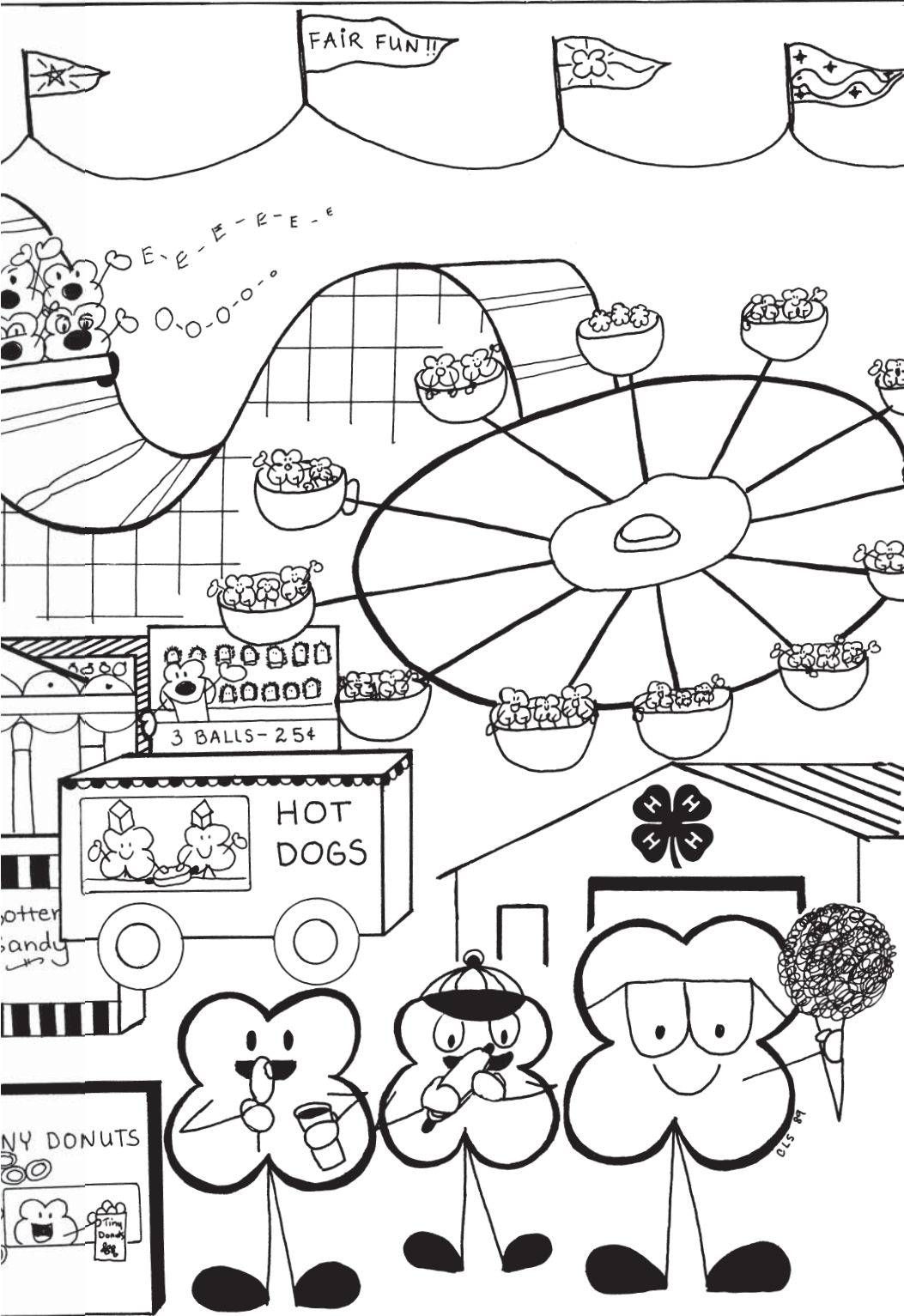
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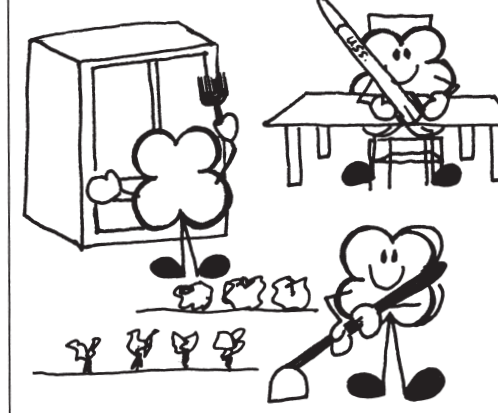




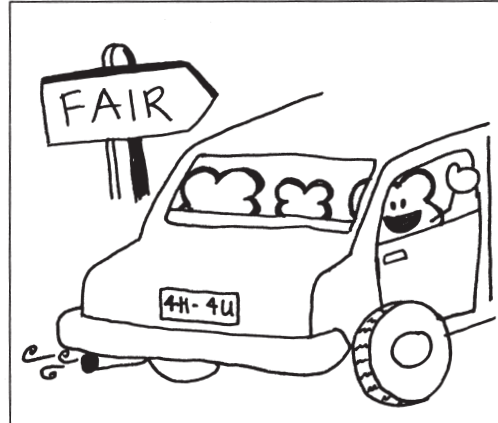
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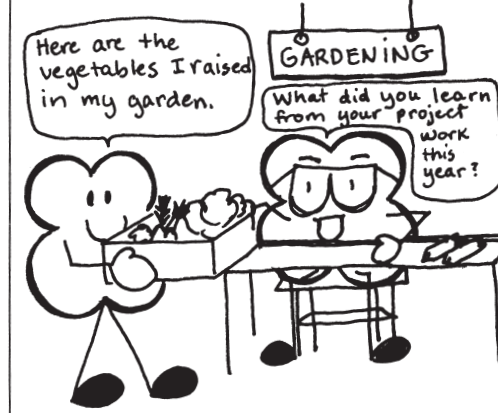
Picture 1



Picture 2



Picture 3



Picture 4

Find these in the picture above?

- egg
- frog face
- match
- diamond ring
- coffee cup
- orn
- snake
- sword
- star
- marble



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**Hidden items:**  
 Fried egg-middle of cup ride  
 Popcorn-in cup of ride  
 Frog-building roof to left  
 Snake-top flag on right  
 match-pole on building to left  
 sword-on roller coaster track  
 Diamond ring-tiny donut sign  
 Star-flag 2<sup>nd</sup> from left  
 Coffee cup-one of ride cups  
 Marble-top of middle kid's cap

Draw a line from the ribbon to the right description.

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See you at the fair!



*- Note to Parents -*

**Exhibiting as a 4-H Cloverbud at the county fair!**

Before your fair, you will receive a 4-H premium list which has information about 4-H and the county fair. It will include a form that you will need to fill out for your child and return to the County Extension Office by the due date. This registers your child for 4-H at the fair and indicates what they will be bringing. On judging day, your child can bring an item to the fair they made as a 4-H Cloverbud. It may have been made at home, at a 4-H Cloverbud meeting or 4-H Club meeting during the past year. At the fair, the process involves your child talking with a judge, (a youth-friendly adult), about the item they brought. The judge will ask questions, such as how they made their item, what they liked about making it, if there is something else they would like to learn about and what they have enjoyed about being a 4-H Cloverbud. At the end of the discussion the judge will give your child a 4-H Cloverbud ribbon. Your child's item (exhibit) will be put on display until the last day of fair when they can take it home. (After the fair your child may receive a check for a small amount of money, which is the premium for exhibiting at the fair.) With judging complete, there is time to enjoy all that 4-H and the fair has to offer. **The county fair offers a wonderful mixture of learning and fun!**