



National 4-H Heritage Club

National 4-H Council's Planned Giving Society

You may remember starting your 4-H club meeting by pledging your head, heart, hands, and health so your community, and even the world, were better places for all to live. You may also remember serving 4-H at the local, state or national level "to make the best better." For you and many other 4-H friends and alumni, many years have passed since you last recited the words of the 4-H pledge and motto. Now, you have the opportunity to recite these words again by becoming a member of a new 4-H club: The National 4-H Heritage Club.



The National 4-H Heritage Club, the new planned giving society of National 4-H Council, enables you to join with others who have demonstrated a strong passion and support for 4-H's future by naming National 4-H Council in their estate plans. Club membership enables National 4-H Council to thank you on behalf of future generations of 4-H youth whose lives will be positively impacted because of your decisions and generosity now.

The National 4-H Heritage Club was inspired by 4-H luminaries like Seaman Knapp, Gertrude Warren and Ed Aiton, who built the foundation of an organization that continues to strengthen and grow 100 years after its founding. By sharing your belief in 4-H's positive future, you join the tradition of luminaries who inspired a movement that continues today with 6 million young people, hundreds of thousands of volunteers and passion that is impossible to extinguish.

Anyone who has made a planned gift to National 4-H Council and completed a Declaration of Intent is eligible for membership in the National 4-H Heritage Club. That's it! There are no fees or minimum investments required to become a member of the National 4-H Heritage Club.

As a National 4-H Heritage Club member, you will associate with other 4-H alumni and supporters and have a continuous connection to today's 4-H movement.



You will also receive the following exclusive benefits as a charter member:

- **National 4-H Heritage Club pin:** This original pin, specially designed for members of the National 4-H Heritage Club, is a keepsake to remind you of how your gift will help 4-H for years to come.
- **Invitations to National 4-H Council events:** You will have opportunities to reconnect with old 4-H friends and make new ones at events such as the National 4-H Hall of Fame induction ceremony.
- **Membership Plaque Recognition:** As a charter member of the National 4-H Heritage Club, your name will be proudly displayed on a plaque at the National 4-H Youth Conference Center, the national home of 4-H.
- **Continued communication with 4-H:** Keep up-to-date with great stories about today's 4-H youth featured in National 4-H Council's quarterly newsletter, the Power of YOUth, and other communication pieces.
- **Tax benefits:** We encourage you to work with your attorney or estate planner to identify the tax benefits that may accrue to you through your 4-H legacy gift.

Once you have established your planned gift and completed a Planned Gift Declaration of Intent, you will become a member of the National 4-H Heritage Club and start receiving many great benefits!

Get started today! For more information about joining the National 4-H Heritage Club or planned giving at National 4-H Council, please contact:

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