

Summary Of 4-H Data

| | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 |
|--------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Number of Clubs | 210 | 206 | 206 | 193 | 194 | 179 | 164 |
| Number of Male Members | 1029 | 1032 | 931 | 889 | 944 | 908 | 810 |
| Number of Female Members | 2208 | 2073 | 2015 | 1823 | 1979 | 1804 | 1642 |
| Total Number of Members | 3237 | 3105 | 2946 | 2712 | 2923 | 2712 | 2492 |
| Average Member Age (years) | 12 | 12 | 12 | 13 | 12 | 13 | 13 |
| Average Member Tenure (years) | 4 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 4 |
| Average Number of Members/Club | 15 | 15 | 14 | 14 | 15 | 15 | 15 |
| Residence: % farm | 42 | 44 | 45 | 44 | 43 | 42 | 39 |
| % rural | 41 | 39 | 38 | 38 | 45 | 39 | 40 |
| % urban | 17 | 17 | 17 | 18 | 12 | 19 | 21 |
| Total Number of Leaders | 831 | 825 | 783 | 779 | 771 | 722 | 685 |

4-H Club Projects

| Project Name | Number of Males | Number of Females | Total Members |
|---------------------|-----------------|-------------------|---------------|
| BEEF | 409 | 418 | 827 |
| DAIRY | 98 | 165 | 263 |
| HORSE | 40 | 611 | 651 |
| GARDENING | 8 | 23 | 31 |
| SHEEP | 169 | 394 | 563 |
| GOAT | 29 | 74 | 103 |
| POULTRY | 64 | 64 | 128 |
| RABBIT | 49 | 197 | 246 |
| CRAFTS | 7 | 48 | 55 |
| OUTDOOR LIVING | 26 | 19 | 45 |
| PHOTOGRAPHY | 23 | 51 | 74 |
| DOG | 38 | 174 | 212 |
| SELF-DETERMINED | 28 | 20 | 48 |
| JUNIOR LEADERSHIP | 7 | 31 | 38 |
| CLOTHING | 7 | 42 | 49 |
| FOODS | 6 | 44 | 50 |
| SWINE | 167 | 116 | 283 |
| BICYCLE | 11 | 7 | 18 |
| CLOVERBUDS | 67 | 112 | 179 |
| AG AWARE | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| SMALL ENGINES | 46 | 13 | 59 |
| LEATHERCRAFT | 6 | 11 | 17 |
| WOOLCRAFT | 2 | 5 | 7 |
| LLAMA | 14 | 45 | 59 |
| CAVY | 10 | 34 | 44 |
| ARCHERY | 8 | 2 | 10 |
| Adopt-A-Grandparent | 4 | 6 | 10 |
| | 1344 | 2726 | 4070 |

Note: Many BC 4-H members enrol in more than one project unit per year, thus the number of 4-H projects is much greater than the number of members.

Age of Members

As of January 1, 2008

| | Number of Males | Number of Females | Total Members |
|--------|-----------------|-------------------|---------------|
| Age 6* | 19 | 35 | 54 |
| Age 7* | 21 | 34 | 55 |
| Age 8* | 26 | 46 | 72 |
| Age 9 | 85 | 153 | 238 |
| Age 10 | 90 | 176 | 266 |
| Age 11 | 107 | 247 | 354 |
| Age 12 | 92 | 185 | 277 |
| Age 13 | 93 | 190 | 283 |
| Age 14 | 87 | 155 | 242 |
| Age 15 | 64 | 146 | 210 |
| Age 16 | 56 | 135 | 191 |
| Age 17 | 37 | 98 | 135 |
| Age 18 | 25 | 52 | 77 |
| Age 19 | 7 | 24 | 31 |
| Age 20 | 1 | 6 | 7 |
| Age 21 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

* Cloverbud

Type of Residence

| Place of Residence | Number of Males | Number of Females | Total Members |
|--------------------|-----------------|-------------------|---------------|
| Farm | 399 | 573 | 972 |
| Rural | 304 | 690 | 994 |
| Urban | 107 | 419 | 526 |

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Facts and Statistics 2008

The 4-H program is active worldwide in some 80 nations which engages in programs of “learning to do by doing” through the four-fold training of youth through the development of head, heart, hands and health.



The BC 4-H Program is coordinated and administered by the BC 4-H Provincial Council. BC 4-H has a strong partnership with the Youth & Community Development

Program, BC Ministry of Agriculture and Lands. The 4-H program is sponsored through donations from government, industry, community groups and individuals.

Club Enrollment

| | # Boys | # Girls | # Members | # Leaders | # Clubs |
|-------------------------------------|------------|-------------|-------------|------------|------------|
| TOTALS FOR PROVINCE | 810 | 1682 | 2522 | 685 | 164 |
| VANCOUVER ISLAND 4-H REGION | 121 | 354 | 476 | 173 | 36 |
| South Malahat 4-H District | 63 | 107 | 170 | 61 | 10 |
| Cowichan 4-H District | 18 | 61 | 78 | 30 | 6 |
| Cedar 4-H District | 10 | 44 | 54 | 20 | 4 |
| Parksville/Qualicum 4-H District | 12 | 42 | 54 | 17 | 5 |
| Port Alberni 4-H District | 1 | 33 | 34 | 14 | 4 |
| Comox 4-H District | 17 | 51 | 68 | 20 | 5 |
| Powell River 4-H District | 2 | 16 | 18 | 11 | 2 |
| FRASER VALLEY 4-H REGION | 200 | 425 | 625 | 128 | 43 |
| Surrey/Richmond/Delta 4-H District | 24 | 25 | 49 | 13 | 4 |
| Langley 4-H District | 42 | 87 | 129 | 36 | 11 |
| Abbotsford 4-H District | 48 | 121 | 169 | 32 | 11 |
| North Fraser 4-H District | 43 | 75 | 118 | 22 | 8 |
| Chilliwack 4-H District | 43 | 117 | 160 | 25 | 9 |
| KAMLOOPS/OKANAGAN 4-H REGION | 161 | 316 | 477 | 121 | 36 |
| Kamloops 4-H District | 54 | 111 | 165 | 43 | 10 |
| Salmon Arm 4-H District | 47 | 47 | 94 | 28 | 8 |
| Armstrong/Vernon/Lumby 4-H District | 24 | 41 | 65 | 15 | 5 |
| Kelowna 4-H District | 3 | 28 | 31 | 9 | 2 |
| Similkanagan 4-H District | 16 | 45 | 61 | 12 | 5 |
| Boundary 4-H District | 17 | 44 | 61 | 14 | 6 |
| KOOTENAYS 4-H REGION | 28 | 61 | 89 | 26 | 4 |
| Creston 4-H District | 6 | 28 | 34 | 11 | 2 |
| Cranbrook 4-H District | 22 | 33 | 55 | 15 | 2 |
| PEACE RIVER 4-H REGION | 61 | 88 | 149 | 35 | 11 |
| North Peace 4-H District | 46 | 61 | 107 | 26 | 6 |
| South Peace 4-H District | 15 | 27 | 42 | 9 | 5 |
| CENTRAL INTERIOR 4-H REGION | 149 | 274 | 423 | 134 | 19 |
| Prince George 4-H District | 25 | 87 | 112 | 31 | 5 |
| Quesnel 4-H District | 33 | 22 | 55 | 26 | 4 |
| Williams Lake 4-H District | 102 | 154 | 256 | 77 | 10 |
| Robson Valley 4-H District | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| YELLOWHEAD 4-H REGION | 85 | 160 | 245 | 65 | 14 |
| Skeena 4-H District | 5 | 18 | 23 | 7 | 1 |
| Bulkley Valley 4-H District | 31 | 61 | 92 | 25 | 3 |
| Lakes 4-H District | 11 | 7 | 18 | 4 | 2 |
| Vanderhoof 4-H District | 42 | 62 | 104 | 25 | 7 |
| Kitimat/Snowflake 4-H District | 0 | 8 | 8 | 4 | 1 |
| YUKON 4-H REGION | 3 | 4 | 7 | 3 | 1 |
| Whitehorse 4-H District | 3 | 4 | 7 | 3 | 1 |

Member Tenure

| Years in 4-H | # of Girls | # of Boys | Total Members |
|--------------|------------|-----------|---------------|
| 1 | 506 | 230 | 736 |
| 2 | 281 | 151 | 432 |
| 3 | 224 | 102 | 326 |
| 4 | 176 | 96 | 272 |
| 5 | 116 | 56 | 172 |
| 6 | 113 | 53 | 166 |
| 7 | 94 | 46 | 140 |
| 8 | 86 | 37 | 123 |
| 9 | 48 | 22 | 70 |
| 10 | 26 | 13 | 39 |
| 11 | 12 | 2 | 14 |
| 12 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| 13 | 0 | 1 | 1 |

Leader Tenure

| Years in 4-H | # of Leaders | Years in 4-H | # of Leaders |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 1 | 138 | 19 | 7 |
| 2 | 99 | 20 | 7 |
| 3 | 59 | 21 | 5 |
| 4 | 76 | 22 | 5 |
| 5 | 37 | 23 | 6 |
| 6 | 37 | 24 | 5 |
| 7 | 37 | 25 | 2 |
| 8 | 29 | 26 | 1 |
| 9 | 25 | 27 | 1 |
| 10 | 20 | 28 | 3 |
| 11 | 16 | 30 | 3 |
| 12 | 13 | 31 | 2 |
| 13 | 11 | 33 | 1 |
| 14 | 5 | 34 | 1 |
| 15 | 7 | 36 | 2 |
| 16 | 4 | 37 | 1 |
| 17 | 12 | 40 | 1 |
| 18 | 5 | 42 | 1 |
| | | 53 | 1 |