



**W**elcome to the 2019 4-H@UMaine Weekend!

We are looking forward to having you join us on the University of Maine campus on May 31 and June 1! The Teen Leaders have chosen the theme “Back to YOUR Future!!” Enclosed is some information to help you get ready for the event:

- **IMPORTANT!!** If you are missing any of your required paperwork, please send it to us **TODAY**. You will not be allowed to participate (including boarding the bus) unless the required paperwork has been received in Orono. If you have any questions, please call 581-3292.
- Signed copies can be scanned and sent to [4HatUMaine@maine.edu](mailto:4HatUMaine@maine.edu) or mailed to the 4-H state office at:

**4-H@UMaine**  
491 College Ave  
Orono, ME 04469.

**Included in this packet:**

- A [schedule of events](#) for you to use. Workshop assignments and a map of locations will be given to you when you check-in on Friday in the Androscoggin Hall lobby.
- A [campus map](#) - we will be staying at **Androscoggin Hall**. When you come to campus on Friday afternoon, come directly to **Androscoggin** to check-in, get your room key, and put your things in your room. **Check-in is between 3:00-4:30pm.**
- A [code of conduct](#) - when registering, youth agreed to follow this code of conduct. This is just a reminder about expectations while we are guests of the University. There are also rules for cell phone use and a [list of things](#) to bring and not to bring and a dress code sheet.
- We ask that youth sign in any medication that they will need to take at check-in and leave them with our 4-H@UMaine medical staff, Sue Moody. She will make sure they receive doses required at the correct time and will store them in a secure location. If youth have any medical concerns that were not noted on the health form sent in with registration, they should make these known during check-in.
- At check-in, all persons will be given a room key. Take very good care of this while you are on campus. There is a charge of up to \$50.00 for lost keys. Some staff members will have master keys that open all rooms, in case of emergency.

- Youth will receive their room and roommate assignments when they arrive. Youth may not change rooms without approval from Greg. University policy requires that we know who is in each room at all times.

#### Youth who are taking the bus:

- **Portland:**

- **UPDATE:** There will not be a bus stop in Portland this year.

- **Lewiston:**

The bus will be leaving the [Shaw's parking lot](#), which is (located at 27 East Avenue, Lewiston) at 1:45 pm. Please be at the pick-up site no later than 1:30 pm. Chaperone: Jenn Carter (207-212-6605)

- **Waterville:**

The bus will pick up youth in Waterville at 2:35 pm at the [Walmart Supercenter Parking lot](#). (80 Waterville Commons Dr, Waterville). Please be at the pick-up site no later than 2:15 pm.

The bus will arrive in Orono at about 4:00 pm.

#### Returning Home to the same locations - Saturday, June 1st

- The bus will depart Orono Saturday at 4:45 pm. Youth who are riding the bus will receive a small boxed-lunch.
  - **Waterville:** The bus will arrive to drop off youth in Waterville between **5:45-6 pm** at the [Walmart Parking lot \(80 Waterville Commons Dr\)](#).
  - **Lewiston:** The bus will arrive to drop off youth at the Shaw's Parking lot by **6:45-7pm**

Here are some contact numbers in case your family needs to contact someone now or during the event.

Greg Kranich (207) 949-3878  
Laura Personette (207) 212-1228

We are looking forward to a great weekend - a chance to learn new things, meet new people, and experience a what the University of Maine has to offer.

Sincerely,

The 4-H @ UMaine Team

## **CODE OF CONDUCT**

All participants, both 4-H and non-4-H members, at the 4-H@UMaine Weekend must send in a Maine 4-H Health form and a Release and Assumption of Risk form with their registration. In addition to the standard 4-H rules and agreements, parents and participants should be aware of the following 4-H@UMaine policies....

- Participants will be assigned a double occupancy room in the residence hall and will stay in their assigned room. The University requires that we know where each participant is staying.
- Participants are responsible for any damages that occur to the room during their stay.
- Any disturbance or emergencies should be reported to a chaperone or night supervisor.
- Participants must be in the dormitory at the end of the last evening activity, lights out at 11:00 p.m.
- 4-H appropriate clothing required at all times-dress code information will be included in your participant packet – No pajamas will be worn during dinner and following activities.
- Participants must stay in activity areas with their assigned chaperone. Do NOT leave any activity without notifying a chaperone.
- Any medications needed by youth during the weekend will be given to the camp nurse at check-in. She will administer doses as needed throughout the weekend.
- A lost key can have a fee up to \$50.00. Participants agree to pay this fee should they lose their room/building keys.
- Adults listed on the registration form will be the only adults who can check out a youth member at any time.
- Cell Phones: as young adults, you are expected to use courtesy and good judgment with your cell phones, iPods and other electronic devices. No electronic devices should be used during presentations (including workshops, opening ceremony, panels, etc). The staff and volunteers reserve the right to store an electronic device throughout the weekend conference, if necessary.

## List of Things to Pack for 4-H@UMaine

- **Water bottle!** Help reduce cost and waste! There are plenty of places to refill around campus.
- **Swimsuit and towel and plastic bag** (for wet swimsuits/towels)
- Socks / Undergarments
- Toothbrush
- Toothpaste
- Shampoo/conditioner
- Soap
- Deodorant
- Shaving products
- Hair products
- Hairdryer (if needed)
- Medication
- Sleepwear
- Shower Flip Flops
- Slacks or Jeans
- Tee Shirts
- **Sweatshirt and Jacket AND Rain Jacket!!** (Yes, the days are warmer, but it still gets chilly at night!)
- Camera (optional)
- Umbrella or poncho
- Light Weight Coat
- Sneakers
- Alarm Clock/Watch
- Sunscreen
- **DORMS PROVIDE SHEETS, BLANKETS, PILLOWS, AND A TOWEL FOR THE SHOWER**
- Extra money NOT needed - all food, etc is provided

### Important Information-

- Shorts, skirts, and dresses must be a respectable length. Respectable length defined as: Being as long as or longer than the tips of the individual's fingers when arms are fully extended at their side.
- Tube top/strapless shirts will not be allowed during the 4-H@UMaine program.
- Spaghetti strap clothing will not be allowed during the 4-H@UMaine program.
- Tank-Top/Sleeveless shirts must have straps wider than two fingers.
- Cropped shirts and extreme low-rise pants are not allowed.
- Ripped clothing, cut-off shorts, T-shirts with offensive slogans or messages that are in bad taste, muscle shirts, and similar items are not allowed.
- Shoes and shirts must be worn at all times.
- Please keep all clothing in good taste. No pajamas will be worn outside of the dorm.

### Suggested Dress Guidelines:

- Casual
- Clothes that may get wet and dirty; must follow the above requirements
- Shorts of respectable length, jeans, T-shirts, and appropriate shirt



## 4-H @UMaine: Connecting You to Campus

### 2019 Schedule

#### Friday May 31, 2019

##### Bus Pick-up

**1:15pm Lewiston**

Bus Departs (1:45pm)

**2:15pm Waterville**

Bus Arrive 2:15 pm

Bus Departs (2:35 pm to Orono)

**3:00-4:30 pm Check-in Androscoggin**

##### Hall

Bus Arrives-4:00 pm

**4:30pm Floor Meeting**

Check with your color group leader for location.

**5:30pm Dinner**

6:15pm Wells Commons

**6:15pm Orientation/Opening**

Large group activity/photo on the mall  
(Neville in case of rain)

**7:55pm** Mall to Recreation Center

##### SESSION 1

**8:00pm** -Pool

8:50pm -MAC

-BB Court

##### SESSION 2

**9:00pm** -Pool/MAC/BB Court

9:50pm

All Groups

**10:00pm** **Snack & Social Time**

10:30pm

Return to Dorms (10:30)

**11:00pm** **Lights Out**

Androscoggin Hall

#### Saturday June 1, 2019

Kids rise by 6:15

6:50 am 1<sup>st</sup> floor/Outside-Assemble in Color Groups

Leave Androscoggin 6:55 am

**7:15am**

7:50am

**Breakfast**

Wells Commons

**8:00am**

8:45am

**Keynote**

DP Corbett Auditorium

**9:00am**

10:15am

**Workshop Session 1**

**10:25am**

10:50am

**Break/Snack**

DP Corbett Atrium

**11:00am**

12:15pm

**Workshop Session 2**

**12:25pm**

1:15pm

**Lunch**

Wells Commons

**1:30pm**

2:45pm

**Workshop Session 3**

**3:00pm**

4:00pm

**Closing Ceremony**

DP Corbett Auditorium

Parents Welcome

**4:15pm**

4:30pm

**Pack for home**

Androscoggin Hall

Check rooms with Adult Chaperone

**4:30pm**

4:45pm

**Parent Pickup and sign-out**

Bus Depart w/Box Lunch

**5:45pm**

6:45pm

**Waterville** Bus Drop off

**Lewiston** Bus Drop off

- VISITOR permits authorize parking in any black lot or visitor space.
- Black Permit Lot Commuter Parking
- Signs governing lots take precedence over all maps and permits



**Welcome!**  
to the University of Maine, Orono

Please respect that UMaine is a walking campus  
Pedestrians have right-of-way at all times

DISTANCE 1/8 MILE  
Walking time 2-3 minutes