

Education Center

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Dear Friend,

The 2016 Have a Heart for 4-H Benefit Dinner, a "Green Tie Affair," will be held on February 28, 2016. Over 150 youth will be helping serve up to 800 community members a delicious buffet dinner. We are currently in need of donations to help offset the costs incurred in hosting such a large dinner.

Due to cuts in the County and State funding, Chautauqua County 4-H, a program of Cornell Cooperative Extension, has found itself in need of raising funds to continue to offer our youth this outstanding program. Chautauqua County 4-H is a youth organization that empowers young people to reach their full potential. A vast, family-oriented community of more than 500 youth and over 150 adults working together for positive change, 4-H enables America's youth to emerge as leaders through hands-on learning, research-based 4-H youth programs and adult mentorship, in order to give back to their local communities. 4-H is a positive youth development organization that is in need of your support at this critical time.

As always 100% of proceeds will help support the 4-H Youth Development Program for 2016 and beyond. Additional funds raised over the need for 2016 operating will be placed in the 4-H Endowment Fund at the Chautauqua County Region Community Foundation, which will ensure future support of Chautauqua County 4-H Youth Development.

We hope that you will be able to either make a monetary or product donation to help our cause. We thank-you for all your support in helping us continue to offer this outstanding program to Chautauqua County youth.

Donations can be mailed with the enclosed form to CCE 4-H; Attn: Kate Ewer; 3542 Turner Road; Jamestown, NY 14701.

Sincerely,

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