

## WAYS TO GIVE

You can contribute to the Cortland County 4-H Foundation through donations, participation, and/or bequests. All contributions are tax deductible.

**Gifts of Cash:** Tax considerations make this a convenient and simple method of giving.

**Gifts of Securities and Real Estate:** Gifts of appreciated securities and appreciated marketable real estate are encouraged, and provide substantial tax benefits to the donor.

**Planned Gifts:** A variety of deferred gift options, as well as opportunities to make cash gifts over an extended period are available. Capital funds or property set up as living trusts provide a lifetime income to the donor, a beneficiary, or both. The principal passes to the 4-H Foundation upon the death of both parties. A life insurance policy owned by the donor or purchased to be donated to the 4-H Foundation also offers another option for giving.

**Memorial Gifts:** A donation in memory of a family member, friend, or colleague is a particularly fitting tribute. Honoring living individuals with gifts that support 4-H work is another means of ensuring that young people will be given opportunities for education and personal development.

*Think of us now,  
remember us in your will.*

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**ROBERT P. BLATCHLEY**  
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**INVEST IN THE YOUTH**  
**OF**  
**CORTLAND COUNTY**

## The Robert P. Blatchley Cortland County 4-H Foundation, Inc...

...was incorporated in 1972 to assist the Cornell Cooperative Extension of Cortland County in promotion of county-wide 4-H Youth programs.

### What is 4-H?

Young people involved in 4-H experience a broad spectrum of education in life skills and human development. 4-H reaches boys and girls in a variety of ways: as members of organized community 4-H clubs, as participants in special interest groups, through school enrichment programs, and 4-H camp.

### The 4-H Pledge

I pledge my head to clearer thinking,  
My heart to greater loyalty,  
My hands to larger service, and  
My health to better living,  
For my club, my community, my  
country, and my world.

The Foundation's basic strength is that its support is only from private sources. Recognizing the value of the 4-H program, local industry, business, agriculture, and individuals invest in tomorrow's leaders.

Contributions may be made for general program use, or allocated for a designated program. Dollars are invested in the highest interest-yielding accounts available. Funds are held until needed to implement approved programs.

Since its inception in 1972, the Foundation has provided over \$70,000 for youth projects in Cortland County!

Some of the programs and materials that the Foundation has funded include:

- Camperships to 4-H Camp Owahta
- A groundwater flow model
- Materials for the Science Experiences and Resources for Informal Education Settings (SERIES) program
- Support of construction and remodeling at 4-H Camp Owahta
- Purchase of a video camcorder, digital camera, and TV/VCR/DVD unit for 4-H use
- Improvements to Junior Fairgrounds
- Assistance with 4-H Teen Council College Scholarships
- Purchase of kayaks for 4-H Camp Owahta

## Yes, I want to help Cortland County's 4-H Youth!

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone ( \_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Enclosed is my tax-deductible donation of  
\$500 \_\_\_ \$250 \_\_\_ \$100 \_\_\_ \$50 \_\_\_ \$\_\_\_\_\_

I would like my donation to support:

- Cortland County Junior Fair
- Cortland Co. 4-H Foundation, Inc.
- 4-H Camp Owahta Camperships
- 4-H Teen Council Scholarship Fund
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

Please make check payable to:  
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**Thank you for your support!**