

# STAFF SPOTLIGHT

## DISTRICT 4-H PROGRAM MANAGER

MELISSA BAXTER

CLAY CENTER OFFICE



### **Melissa's Biography**

“Melissa is from Hope, KS. Her family is big in supporting 4-H, she was a 4<sup>th</sup> Generation 4-H'er. Melissa has a Bachelor's Degree in Elementary Education from Kansas State University. Melissa and her husband, Matthew live in Morganville, KS with their two children, Anna and Ryan. Aside from supporting 4-H they are active with their Local FFA Alumni as well as at the State level. They are big Wildcat fans and enjoy taking in a game with their kids. Anna and Ryan keep them busy with their 4-H projects, summer sports and other activities. They also enjoy working in their yard and going fishing as a family.”

### **What is one of your favorite things about your job and why?**

“I love getting to work with the kids and help them find that project that they are passionate about and see where they go with it. It is so awesome to see the light in their eyes when they find their spark.”

### **If you could have one superpower what would it be and why?**

“To clean my house with the snap of my fingers. (Mom Dreams! Haha)”

### **If you won the lottery, and you were debt-free, what would you spend your money on and why?**

“Probably more farm animals. We have to keep adding to our Funny Farm!”