



CANADA  
4-H Manitoba

# Featured 4-H Alumnus



## Brian Pallister

**Hometown:** Portage la Prairie, Manitoba

**4-H Club:** Poplar Bluff Beef Calf Club

**Years in 4-H:** 1965-1972

**Projects:** Youth Mentorship

**Favourite Leader:** Terry Simpson, Allan Munro, and Alex McKay  
because they were dedicated volunteers



Community Engagement  
& Communications

**Career History:** Teacher, Self Employed Business Person, Elected Official at Federal and Provincial levels

**Current Employer/Position:** Premier of Manitoba

**My 4-H Story:** Besides our annual calf projects, club members engaged in a wide variety of volunteer and sports activities including conservation and charitable projects. I have never been more nervous than when I was involved in public speaking competitions and rarely more satisfied than when I sat down at the completion of my speech.

My first time on an airplane was as a delegate to the National 4-H Young Leaders Conference in Ottawa.

When I served in Provincial cabinet in the 1990's there were 7 cabinet ministers who had been in 4-H clubs.

This speaks to the tremendous value of the programs 4-H offers.

I will always feel blessed and thankful for the experiences and friendships 4-H has provided me in my life.

When I took my oath as Premier of Manitoba I completed it by reciting the 4-H pledge.

**Learn To Do By Doing**