



Shooting Sports Kick-Off in January

All FIRST YEAR 4-H members enrolled in the archery, muzzle loading, pistol, rifle and/or shotgun projects need to attend the shooting sports organizational meeting on Tuesday, January 4th.

The meeting will be held at 6 pm in the Indoor Shooting Range. Hunter Safety will begin on Thursday, January 6th! Questions or more info, please call Roy 760-1892



Market Beef and Supreme Cow Ownership Deadline is February 1st, 2022



NOTICE THE TIME CHANGE!!

2022 MARKET ANIMAL WEIGH-IN DATES

Market Beef and Phase I Supreme Heifer Market Beef and Phase I Heifer early weigh day

Feb. 5, 8-10am

Feb. 2 4-6pm

- Supreme Cow Program: If you plan to be involved in the Supreme Cow Program this year, please be sure to list "Breeding Beef" in your ZSuite enrollment.
- Market Beef Kids: You must be enrolled in the market beef project PRIOR to tagging/weigh-in in February....all it takes is logging into your ZSUITE account and adding the project!

Market Swine, Market Sheep, and Market Goat Market Swine, Sheep and Goat early weigh-in

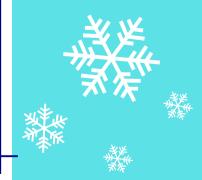
Market Poultry Poultry Early weigh-in

June 4, 8-11am June 1, 4-6pm

June 4, 11-1 pm June 1, 5-6pm

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Meeting Minutes

Albany County 4-H Foundation

No December meeting

Albany County 4-H Council

No December meeting

Fair Board Corner

Comments are still being accepted for the residency rule change. Please send them to manager@albanycountyfair.org before the deadline.

CLASSIFIED INFORMATION

Ads may be modified by Extension Staff to fit in the ad space available

All ads must be submitted to the Extension Office no later than the 3rd Friday of every month.

Classified ads must apply to 4-H projects or to 4-H members or leaders.

Ads will remain posted for two months or until the office is notified that the product is no longer available.

Project News



Informational meeting will be the end of February or beginning of March. Watch Daily Dose for exact date!

> Archery Key Leader: Shawn Hayes 760-7741



Saturday, January 8th, 4pm **Extension Meeting Room**

For our first Meeting, please bring cat, harness, carpet square, carrier. We will be practicing showing and going over rules.

Please RSVP by 3 pm on January 7th. If I do not have anyone RSVP it will be canceled. Please call with questions.

> Cat Leader: Connie Bierman 399-8092



Tues. January 25th, 5:45 **Extension Meeting Room** (youth 5-8yrs old) See you there! Contact Mary Louise with any questions

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Advanced: January 12, 19, 26 1st year: start January 19, 26 5:30–6:30, Fairgrounds Activity Building

If this time doesn't work for you, give Vicky a call and she will make other arrangements with you!

1st years DO NOT bring your dog on the 19th, just bring shot records and Dog ID's. There's a S10 discipline fee when starting the project. (Advanced can bring dogs.)

Please remember:

• bring all dog equipment (lease, leads, collar, vinegar water, plastic bag, etc..) to every meeting!

Link for Dog ID's:

https://www.uwyo.edu/4-h/projects/_files/dogs/dogid.pdf

Dog Leader: Vicky 760-4932

Crochet/Knitting



Tuesdays, Jan. 4, 11, 18 NO Class Jan. 25th! **Extension Meeting Room**

All are welcome! Meetings are weekly. Items you will need to bring each week: Hook or needles Practice Yarn Practice piece

Project Leader:

Gretchen Hulett gretchenhulett@gmail.com



January 22, Beginners: 9-11am, Int/Adv: 1-4pm **Extension Meeting Room**

Beginners will be making a pillow. You will need:

- half yard of woven fabric such as cotton or flannel (no fleece or other stretch fabric)
- matching thread
- bag of stuffing.

Please prewash and iron your fabric before you come to the sewing day.

**If you have a portable sewing machine that you like to use, please bring it. We will have sewing machines for those who do not have one that they can bring. **Please also bring your sewing basket with pins, scissors and a seam ripper. Remember to practice sewing a seam and threading your machine before you come to the class if you have a sewing machine at home.

Intermediate/Advanced sewers will work on projects they have selected.

If you want help selecting a project, you may contact Freda (742-0506) or Mary Louise (721-2571). Some wool fabric has been donated to the 4-H sewing project and will be given away free for anyone who wants to compete in the Make It With Wool Contest in October. Please come to class to see what fabric is available and we can talk about possible projects. We will meet once a month until fair.

Please RSVP by January 20th to the Extension Office (721-2571)or mwood8@uwyo.edu and let us know if you need a sewing machine. Parents are always welcome to attend!

If you have questions please contact Freda Dixon 742-0506 or fdixon@bresnan.net

Project News



Jan. 4, 11, 18, 25 6-8pm Roping/Cattle: Jan. 9, 16, 23, 30 3pm UW Hansen Arena

Please be sure and clean up after yourself and your horse. We are using someone else's facility. <u>Also watch the Albany County Horse Facebook page</u> for more information!

> <u>Questions please contact:</u> Janette Parker 760-8589

HORSEMANSHIP will start Jan 5th, and be Wednesdays from 6-8pm, Range Arena The project won't start with horses right away, but stay tuned to your emails and FootNotes for further updates! *More info on page 6

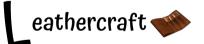
> For Questions, please call Joe Wolf 399-7399



Tues/Thurs. Jan. 6, 11, 13, 18, 20, 25, 27 Indoor Shooting Range, 6-8pm

Please plan to attend ALL classes.

<u>Ouestions please contact</u> Roy Kern 760-1892



Leatherwork 1 (beginner) Jan. 5, 19 at 4:45pm Leathercraft 4 Jan. 12, 26 at 4:45pm Leatherwork 3 Jan. 12, 26 at 5:45pm Extension Meeting Room NO NEW MEMBERS WILL BE ABLE TO JOIN AFTER 1ST

WED. IN JANUARY

<u>Ouestions, please contact leader:</u> Dan Lehman 761-1045



Watch FootNotes and Daily Dose for more info!

<u>Questions, please contact:</u> Leslie Lund 399-6898 <u>wyogirl.leslie@gmail.com</u>



First meeting will be in February! Extension Meeting Room

> Poultry Key Leader: Ellie Riske 343-0053



Rabbit classes will resume February 28th. Hopping and Agility practice will begin February 17th.

> <u>Ouestions please contact</u> Freda Dixon 760-9728.



Practices will begin in February New shooters (1st year in project) on Tuesdays Previous shooters on Thursdays Practices will be held at the indoor shooting range

> Rifle & Pistol Key Leader: Roy Kern 760-1892



Organizational Meeting: (Only 1st year members need to attend) January 4th, 6pm Indoor Shooting Range Hunter Safety: Jan. 6, 11, 13, 18, 20, 25, 27 Indoor Shooting Range, 6pm

For more information, please contact Roy Kern at 760-1892

Project News 😼



January 27th, 6pm Extension Meeting Room

<u>Questions, please contact:</u> Jeff 760-2404



January 23rd at 4pm Extension Meeting Room

<u>Questions, please contact leader:</u> Diane Martinez 760-9996



Jan 4th, 4:30-5:30pm Extension Meeting Room

This month we will be working with yarn and beads. We will use various colors of yarn and different beads to make unique handmade items. Possible items might include: a tree of life 'wreath';

beaded yarn tassels; pom pom animals; yarn balloon orbs; yarn feathers; etc. The exact techniques will be taught at our Jan meeting based on the materials I can acquire for this activity.

<u>Cost will be S5 per participant to cover costs of</u> <u>materials</u> - yarn, beads, glue, rings, etc. Any and all are welcome! This will be a fun hands on craft to celebrate the start of a new year.

***There is a chance this class could be cancelled. I will be flying to Ohio on the 6th of Jan and if life gets away from me, I may not be able to pull off a class that week. I will notify Mary Louise to post in the Daily Dose and will let anyone who has RSVP'd know as soon as I know. I am planning to keep life status quo so there will hopefully be no cancellation.

Please RSVP to lizwillij@gmail.com in advance so I can be sure to have enough materials on hand. <u>Project leader</u> Liz Williams 513-378-9189



TO <u>LEA ARGUELLO</u>! YOUR DESIGN WILL BE THE COVER OF OUR 2022 ALBANY COUNTY 4-H MEMBER



CALENDAR!

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Upcoming events

🛞 National 4-H Opportunities 🛞

National 4-H Conference: March 20-24, 2022

https://4-h.org/parents/national-4-h-conference/

CWF - Citizenship Washington Focus:

6 sessions available from June 5-July 15, 2022

https://4-h.org/parents/citizenship-washington-focus/

Citizenship Washington Focus is a leadership and sightseeing experience in Washington, D.C for youth ages 14 and older. Youth will travel with other youth from Wyoming to learn more about our nationals capital. Youth stay at the National 4-H Center where they participate in workshops and other fun activities. Youth will travel the city and see monuments and historical sights. Youth will also meet with the Wyoming representatives to share their thoughts and learn. The dates of this trip are June 20-27th. The cost will vary but the total trip cost is around \$1900 for everything (meals, transportation, lodging, program fees). We offer scholarship and counties and clubs are encouraged to help too! Registration is due March 15th or will shut down when the trip slots are full!

National Congress: TBA

http://national4-hcongress.com/

This trip is for youth ages 14 and older who have a true passion for making change! Youth who attend this conference focus on issues that are relevant to them and work with other youth from throughout the United States to create change projects that they then present to different agencies in Washington, D.C. If you are at all interested in politics and the political change process this conference is for you. In addition youth will see some of the D.C. sights and meet with Wyoming representative to present issues and talk about their views on Wyoming issues. The cost of this trip is about \$1700 for everything (meals, transportation, lodging, program fees). We offer scholarship and counties and clubs are encouraged to help too!

ALBANY COUNTY - 4H HORSEMANSHIP

LEADER: JOE WOLF (307) 399-739

Horsemanship has something for every horseman!

What we do:

Classroom

We learn some useful knots, learn basic terminology of the horse: Anatomy, Colors, Tack, etc. We clean and safety check our tack.

Arena

We learn to properly lead and tie your horse, learn to catch and halter your horse, learn to load your horse. We ride, LOTS OF RIDING. We work on the basics, backing up, side passing, overall control. We practice barrels, poles, and trail.

Benefits include:

- We start at the very beginning so its perfect for those that are just starting.
- Confidence building for Horse and /or Rider: Anyone who needs some help to have more fun, less fear and less frustration about riding
- Practice: There is no better way to improve skills than miles in the saddle and spending time with other horsemen.
- Safety Certifications: We work on safety during the year, working towards a complete safety certification. You don't need to pass the safety cert in order to start horsemanship.



ITEMS NEEDED:

- A Horse
- Tack: Saddle, bridle and halter.
- A way to get your horse to and from practice.
- The desire to improve your horsemanship.

Practice starts January 5th and runs until Fair. Wednesdays 6-8:00pm at the Range Arena (behind Gem City Vet)

*KEEP AN EYE ON THE FOOTNOTES /DAILY DOSE FOR ANY UPDATES!

Are you New to 4-H?

Mary Louise will be offering a "New to 4-H" opportunity on <u>JANUARY 20TH</u> <u>AT 6PM</u> for any new or relatively new members to learn some of the ins and outs of 4-H and ask questions. Dinner will be provided, so please RSVP by January 19th to: mwood8@uwyo.edu or call the office 721-2571. Hope to see you there! **This is for the ENTIRE family!



Upcoming events

2022 4-H Shooting Sports Leader Certification Trainings

The Shooting Sports Training Team will be coming to a county near you! If you are a new shooting sports leader or have reached five years since your last certification, plan to attend one of these certification/ training opportunities.



CHANGING THE FUTURE OF YOUTH SHOOTING SPORTS





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Sheridan County, Sheridan

- Dates February 5-6, 2022
- https://wyoming4h.formstack.com/forms/shooting_sports_certification_sheridan

Park County, Cody

- Dates February 26-27. 2022
- https://wyoming4h.formstack.com/forms/shooting_sports_certification_park

Carbon County, Rawlins

- Dates March 19-20, 2022
- <u>https://wyoming4h.formstack.com/forms/shooting_sports_certification_carbon</u>

Sublette County, Big Piney

- Dates April 9-10, 2022
- https://wyoming4h.formstack.com/forms/shooting_sports_certification_sublette

Shooting Sports Development Committee Meeting

Date - February 19, 2022 ,Casper

You can register using the links above or visit the Wyoming 4-H webpage at: http://www.uwyo.edu/4-h/ then select "Volunteers" and "Additional Trainings."





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<u>January 2022</u>

Club Leaders: Have you checked you mailbox at the Extension Office lately??



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday		
						1 HAPPY YEAP		
2	3 CENTENNIAL VALLEY WILD BRUMBIES	4 Horse Visual Arts Crochet/Knit Project Shooting Sports- Organizational Meeting	5 Horsemanship Leathercraft 1 Dog Project-New & Adv.	6 Hunter Safety	7	8 Cat Project		
		4-H Council	v	Western National Roundup Jan.5-9				
9 HARMONY HUSTLERS ROCK CREEK VALLEY SMOKIN' GUNS Horse-Roping Western N'tl Roundup Jan.5-9	IO YELLOW JACKETS Fairboard	11 Crochet/Knit Project Horse Hunter Safety	12 SPEED GOATS Horsemanship Leathercraft 3 & 4 Dog Project-New & Adv.	13 LITTLE HORSE POWER Hunter Safety	14	15		
16 Horse-Roping	17 CORDUROY Q&K HIGH PLAINS LITTLE LARAMIE VALLEY Equality Day- Office Closed	18 Crochet/Knit Project Horse Hunter Safety	19 Horsemanship Leathercraft 1 Dog Project-New & Adv.	20 Hunter Safety New to 4-H	21	22 Sewing Project		
23 STOMPIN' STEAMBOATS Survival Class Horse-Roping Horse-Roping 30	24 Robotics JR. LEADERS 31	Horse Hunter Safety Cloverbuds	26 Horsemanship Leathercraft 3 & 4 Dog Project-New & Adv.	27 Hunter Safety Sportfishing	28	29		

Any information you would like included in the February Footnotes is due by: January 19th!!

Email Sarah: albanyco@uwyo.edu

Sincerely,

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Mary Louise Wood, 4-H/Youth Extension Educator

Sarah Gonzalez

Sarah Gonzalez, Administrative Assistant

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Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8am-Noon & 1–5pm

Footnotes available online at: www.uwyo.edu/ces/county/albany/newsletters.html

February 2022 🍄

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
		Crochet/Knit Project Horse Visual Arts	Horsemanship Leathercraft 1 Dog Project	Previous Shooters		Weigh-in Beef 8-11am & Market
		4-H Council Beef ownership deadline	Early Weigh-in Beef 4-6pm			
6 ROCK CREEK VALLEY	7 CENTENNIAL VALLEY	8	9 SPEED GOATS	lO LITTLE HORSE POWER	11	12
Horse-Roping	GEM CITY WILD BRUMBIES	Crochet/Knit Project Horse New Shooters	Horsemanship Leathercraft 3& 4	Previous Shooters		Sewing Project
		4-H Foundation	Dog Project			Sportsman's Banquet
13 HARMONY HUSTLERS	14 YELLOW JACKETS	15	16	17	18	19
SMOKIN' GUNS STOMPIN' STEAMBOATS Horse-Roping	Fairboard Valentine's Day ()	Crochet/Knit Project Horse New Shooters UW & 4-H Scholarships Due	Horsemanship Leathercraft 1 Dog Project	Previous Shooters Rabbit Hopping & Agility	Poultry	Cat Project
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Horse-Roping Survival Class	CORDUROY Q&K HIGH PLAINS LITTLE LARAMIE VALLEY President's Day	Crochet/Knit Project Horse New Shooters	Horsemanship Leathercraft 3 & 4 Dog Project	Previous Shooters Cloverbuds		
27	28	•	~~~			
Horse-Roping	Rabbit Robotics	*				



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Important meetings:

<u>4-H Council--EXTENSION MEETING ROOM</u> Tuesday, January 4th 6:30pm

<u>Fair Board--FAIRGROUNDS ACTIVITY BLDG</u> Monday, January 10th 6:30pm

<u>4-H Foundation--EXTENSION MEETING ROOM</u> No January meeting scheduled



Did you know?

FOOTNOTES IS AVAILABLE ONLINE BY LOGGING INTO YOUR 4H.ZSUITE.ORG ACCOUNT

