

# The Clover Blast

October was a busy month with the 2020-2021 year coming to an end on September 30th and 2021-2022 beginning October 1st. The next week brought National 4-H Week and the Western Junior Stock Show and Family Consumer Science Show from October 6-10<sup>th</sup> where several of Campbell County members attended and completed.



October was also very busy with new class opportunities to kick off the new 4-H year. Needle and Fancy SPIN Club, Beginning Cake Decorating, AREA 59 - 4-H only classes, Jr. Master Gardner Series and Horse Challenge all kicked off with great success. We also had an introductory to leather craft begin. Look for more information inside and watch online & Remind for class updates.



As we beginning a new year, think of new things you may want to try or revamp how you did something that didn't work out the way you wanted in past years. 4-H is all about trying new things, retrying something from last year that didn't quite pan out and investing in yourself and making you a more rounded person. Maybe you want to help others more and share your skills, do more community service or help out at a 4-H event. The opportunities in 4-H and our community are endless.

## November/December 2021

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### Special points of interest

- Hat & Mitten Drive
- Record Book Tips
- Council Budget



# Member

## December

- 29, 30: Mandatory Shooting Sports Meetings

## January

- 3, 4: Mandatory Shooting Sports Meetings

## February

- 1: Ownership deadline for Beef
- Tagging Deadline for Market Beef and Supreme Cow
- Scholarships Due
- 12: Chili Bingo

## March

- Summer Day Camp Enrollment Begins
- 12: Children's Festival

## April

- 4-H Camp Enrollment Begins
- Day of Service & Trash Pickup

## May

- 1: Dog & Horse ID's Due
- Youth Livestock Sale Meetings
- County Shoot Entries Due

## June

- 1: Enrollment Deadline
- 1: Ownership deadline for ALL livestock
- 1: Rabbit ID's Due
- 1: Camp Registration Due
- Market Livestock Tagging Deadline
- County Shoot
- Showcase Showdown
- Horse Progress Shows & Rodeos
- 20-23: 4-H Camp

## July

- Fair Entries & Horse Safety Certs Due
- State Shoot
- Cloverbud Camp
- 29-Aug 7: Campbell County Fair

## August

- 16-20: Wyoming State Fair

### 4-H GROWS HERE



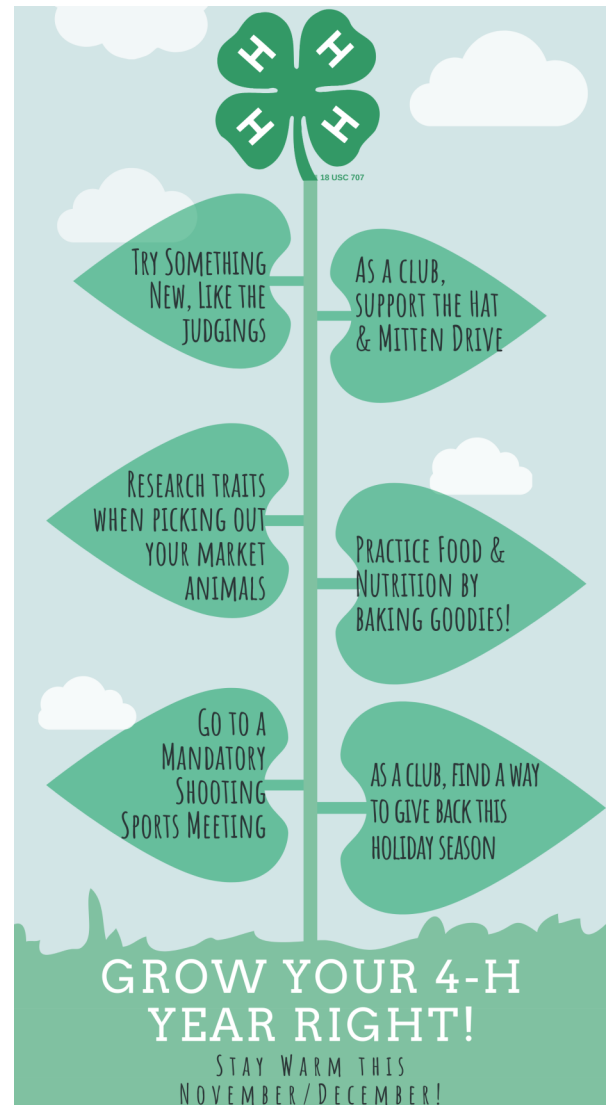
# Happening Monthly

**Every 2nd Monday**  
Livestock Committee 5:30pm  
EVERY OTHER MONTH 4-H Council 7:00pm

**Every 3rd Tuesday**  
HDC 5:00pm

**Every 3rd Wednesday**  
Cloverbuds 4:00 pm

**Every 4th Monday**  
Young Leaders 6:00pm







| Sunday  | Monday   | Tuesday  | Wednesday                                | Thursday                                     | Friday                                       | Saturday   |
|---|--|--|--|--|--|--|
|   | 1  | 2<br>Beginning Cake<br>Ponderosa Rm<br>5:30pm  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6<br>Needle and Fancy<br>Ponderosa Rm<br>2:00pm  |
| 7<br>Wool Judging<br>Clover Corrals<br>Juniors 4-5<br>Int/Sen 5-6   | 8<br>Livestock<br>Committee<br>Meeting<br>5:30<br><br>Council Meeting<br>Cottonwood Rm<br>7:00pm | 9<br>Jr. Master<br>Gardeners<br>4:30 pm<br>Cottonwood Rm<br><br>Beginning Cake<br>Ponderosa Rm<br>5:30pm | 10<br>4H101<br>GAMB<br>5:30              | 11<br>Office Closed<br>for Veterans<br>Day   | 12   | 13<br>Horsemanship<br>Challenge<br>KPH Arena<br><br>Royalty Tryouts<br>KPH Arena<br>3:00pm |
| 14<br>Wool Judging<br>Clover Corrals<br>Juniors 4-5<br>Int/Sen 5-6  | 15   | 16<br>Beginning Cake<br>Ponderosa Rm<br>5:30pm   | 17<br>Cloverbuds<br>Cottonwood<br>4:00pm | 18   | 19   | 20<br>Stained Glass<br>Area 59<br>1:00pm<br><br>Needle and Fancy<br>Ponderosa Rm<br>2:00pm |
| 21<br>Wool Judging<br>Clover Corrals<br>Juniors 4-5<br>Int/Sen 5-6<br><br>Horsemanship<br>Challenge<br>KPH<br><br>Advanced Cake<br>Decorating<br>3:00pm<br>GAMB | 22<br>Young Leaders<br>6:00pm<br>Cottonwood Rm   | 23<br>Jr. Master<br>Gardeners<br>4:30 pm<br>Cottonwood Rm<br><br>HDC<br>Budget Meeting<br>5:00pm<br>GAMB | 24                                       | 25<br>Office Closed<br>Happy<br>Thanksgiving | 26<br>Office Closed<br>Happy<br>Thanksgiving | 27   |
| 28  | 29   | 30<br>Beginning Cake<br>Ponderosa Rm<br>5:30pm   |  |  |  |  |





# DECEMBER

## CALENDAR

| Sunday  | Monday  | Tuesday  | Wednesday  | Thursday   | Friday | Saturday  |
|---|---|--|--|--|--------|---|
|   |   |  | 1  | 2  | 3      | 4   |
| 5<br>Wool Judging<br>Clover Corrals<br>Juniors 4-5<br>Int/Sen 5-6   | 6   | 7<br>Jr. Master<br>Gardeners<br>4:30 pm<br>Cottonwood Rm                               | 8<br>4H101<br>GAMB<br>5:30                                   | 9  | 10     | 11  |
| 12<br>Wool Judging<br>Clover Corrals<br>Juniors 4-5<br>Int/Sen 5-6  | 13<br>Livestock<br>Committee<br>Meeting<br>5:30 | 14   | 15<br>Cloverbuds<br>Cottonwood<br>4:00pm                     | 16   | 17     | 18  |
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| 26  | 27  | 28   | 29<br>SS Mandatory<br>Meeting<br>6:00 pm<br>Wright Fire Hall | 30<br>SS Mandatory<br>Meeting<br>6:00 pm<br>Sheriff's Office | 30     |   |



# Member



## 4-H 101 Club

ALL 1ST YEAR & NEW 4-H FAMILIES ARE INVITED TO JOIN THE 4-H 101 CLUB!

2nd Wednesday at 5:30pm

Come learn about 4-H and meet new friends!

PLEASE RSVP  
682-7281



## JOIN US FOR CLOVERBUDS!



NOVEMBER 17TH POULTRY  
DECEMBER 15TH INTERIOR DESIGN  
JANUARY 19TH ELECTRICITY

EXPERIENCE DIFFERENT 4-H PROJECTS AND ACTIVITIES DESIGNED SPECIFICALLY FOR YOUR 5-7 YEAR OLD!

4:00 - 6:00 PM  
3RD WEDNESDAY EVERY MONTH  
COTTONWOOD ROOM- GAMB

## Check out our New Email Addresses!

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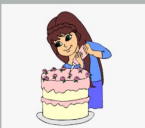
Treasure.Boller@campbellcountywy.gov  
Administrative Assistant



Beginning Cake Decorating Classes with Katie Hudson  
5:30-6:30 pm  
(Please bring 6 cup cakes for practice each class).

- 11/02 - Pull out dot technique - using simple tools. (Ponderosa Rm.)
- 11/09- Rosette covered cake - Piping Control ( Ponderosa Rm.)
- 11/16 - Drop flower tip, petal tip, leaf tip techniques (Ponderosa Rm.)
- 11/30 - Borders, writing, tip review (Ponderosa Rm.)

Cake curriculum will be available for those who would like it. Please RSVP for each class, at 307-682-7281



## Intermediate & Advanced Cake Decorating Class

You must have must have at least 3 years of experience decorating for this class.



PLEASE RSVP TO DARLENE AT 307-689-6261 BY PHONE OR TEXT SHE WILL EXPLAIN THE SUPPLIES NEEDED AT THAT TIME.



SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 21ST  
FROM 3-5 PM  
IN THE COTTONWOOD ROOM  
CLASS LIMITED TO 14 PARTICIPANTS



# Member

4-H, FOOD, & FUN!

**CHILI BINGO**  
**SATURDAY**  
**FEBRUARY 12TH**

CAM-PLEX CENTRAL PAVILION

Proceeds benefit Campbell County 4-H  
 For more information call: 682.7281

**5:30 PM- CHILI**  
**6-8 PM- BINGO**



November 20 - Christmas Ornaments on the laser cutter, 1:00 - 3:00, Ages 9-14,  
 Cost: \$4, 12 students max

4H Participants Only. Thank you!  
 Maker Classes for the community:

<https://nwccd.formstack.com/forms/area594h>  
 One registration form must be completed for each participant.

Children 9-14 years of age must be accompanied by a Parent/Guardian. Only one (1) project allowed per partnership.  
 If child and Parent/Guardian would each like their own project, both will need to register and pay separately.

4H Maker Classes  
 November 20 - Christmas Ornaments on the laser cutter,  
 1:00 - 3:00, Ages 8+, Cost: \$4, 12 students max

## RECORD BOOK TIPS!

<https://4h.zsuite.org/>

**GOALS!** Now is the time to pick out project areas and create goals. Look at SMART Goals. Specific, Measureable, Attainable, Realistic, Time bound.

### PROJECT SHEET



### COMMUNITY SERVICE



Partake in the Hat & Mittens Drive! These items will help out community members in the cold months to come.

### AWARDS & RECOGNITION



Put in your awards from Achievement Night! Record Book, 1st Year, etc. Make sure to get these added!

### OVERALL



Project, Picture, & Story are Yearly. Awards, Leadership, Community Service, Participation are On-Going.

## Needle & Fancy SPIN (Special Interest) Club

Every other Saturday 2 pm- 4 pm in the Ponderosa Room with Denice Roush -  
 Supplies will be provided for classes. Please RSVP the Extension Office 307-682-7281.

10/30/21 & 11/06/21 - Needlepoint working on Christmas ornaments, continue developing skills, continue working on project in second class.

11/20/21 & 12/04/21 - Needlepoint Sampler - work on needlepoint skills, continue working on project in second class.

12/18/21 & 01/08/22 - Counted Cross-Stitch Techniques (Regular & Chicken Scratch) Chicken scratch - Another name for chicken scratch embroidery is Amish embroidery, depression lace, or snowflake embroidery. This is mainly due to the design the stitching makes. They look like lace or snowflakes along the gingham fabric. This style of stitching is an inexpensive version of creating a lace look. Regular Cross-stitch is a form of sewing and a popular form of counted-thread embroidery in which X-shaped stitches in a tiled like pattern are used.

01/22/22 - Cross stitch - Blackwork Technique - Like counted cross-stitch, blackwork can be worked over one or two threads of fabric.

02/05/22, 02/19/22 & 03/05/22 - Hardanger Embroidery - Hardanger is a combination of a few types of stitches. Embroidery, satin stitch, drawn work, cut work, white work, needle weaving, etc.. Believe it or not, Hardanger is not difficult to do.

03/21/22 - Friendship Bracelet Project Week.



# Member

## ZSuite 4-H Enrollment! Enrolling in Wyoming 4-H

1. Go to <https://4h.zsuite.org/> (open in Google Chrome, not Internet Explorer)

2. Click **Sign Up**

- Fill in the required fields (you can use your same email and password from 4HOnline).

Register New Household

1 You are setting up your parent/guardian account for the household

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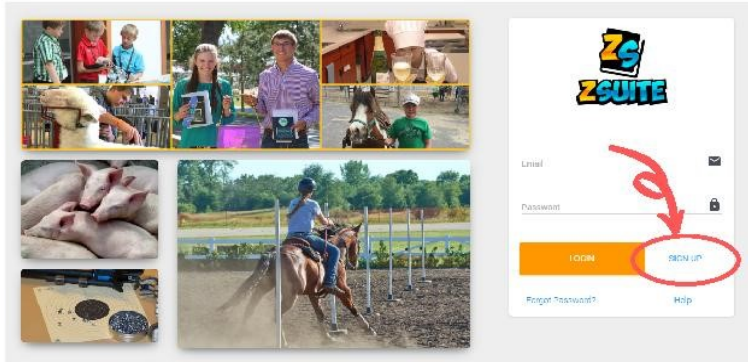
Adult Email

Adult Email Confirmation

Password (Must be 6 or more characters)

Confirm Password

BACK LET'S GO



- Create a pin number (we recommend an easy to remember four-digit number, like the last four numbers of your phone number).
    - REMEMBER your password and pin number, you will need it to access your enrollment!
  - Select Wyoming and your home County.
3. Click **Let's Go**

### Add members of family

You should now be directed to the **Dashboard** screen.

1. To add members, in the black drop down menu, select household members.

2. On the next screen, select

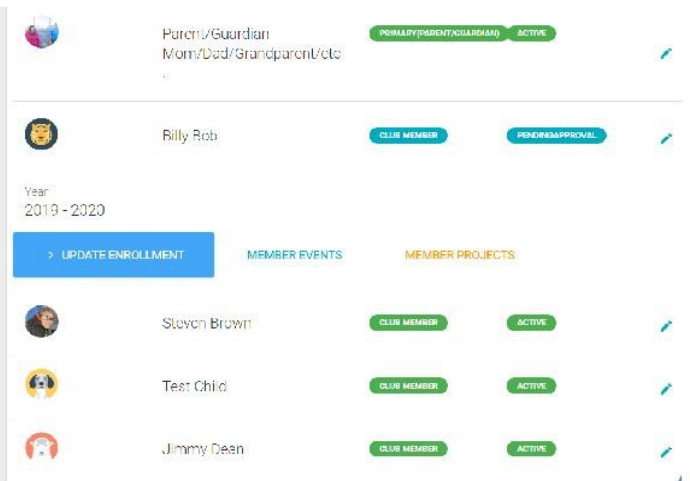
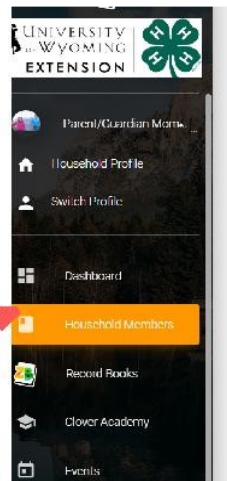
+ HOUSEHOLD MEMBER

3. Fill in the required fields for one of your members.

4. Don't forget to add a club! Click **ADD CLUB**

5. You will also need to select projects for each club by clicking **ADD PROJECT** then selecting a project from the drop down menu

5. Finish by clicking **SUBMIT**



\*Should you have any questions, you can always use the **Live Chat** located at the bottom right of the screen.

LIVE CHAT

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ZSuite Live Chat Support

You will return to the **Household Members** screen.

The member you added should appear in the list along with yourself. Repeat this process for the other members of your household.



# Leader

## 2021 Achievement Night Awards

### Outstanding 1st Year Leader

Sarah Mooney



### Outstanding General Leader

Ryan Villmow



### Outstanding Agriculture Leader

Russell & Kathy Bell



### Outstanding Overall Leader

Shannon Hudson



### Friend of 4-H Individual

Mandy Reynolds



### Friend of 4-H Business

Campbell County Fair



### Club of the Year

Wild Horse 4-H Club



### Helping Hand

Chance Knighten & Rachel Snyder



## Highlights!

12 Cloverbuds,

133 1st Year,

13 Last Year

Members

& 31 Adult

Awards

120 Record Book

Awards

Over 500 Awards

handed out!

200+ Attendees





# Shooting Sports

## Shooting Sports Mandatory Meetings

Wednesday, December 29th 2021 in Wright Fire Station @ 6:00 pm  
Thursday, December 30th 2021 at the Sheriff's Office @ 6:00 pm  
Monday, January 3rd 2021 at the Sheriff's Office @ 6:00 pm  
Tuesday, January 4th 2021 at the Sheriff's Office @ 6:00pm

*You must attend 1 meeting to participate in Shooting Sports*

## Hunter Safety Dates 2022:

ALL REGISTRATION NEEDS TO BE DONE ONLINE AT WYOMING GAME AND FISH IN THE EDUCATION DROP DOWN. THEN "FIND A COURSE" IN GILLETTE. DEANA, RICK OR JD WILL BE LISTED AS THE INSTRUCTOR.  
THE COURSES WILL BE OPEN FOR REGISTRATION 30 DAYS BEFORE THE START OF THE CLASS.

### Class 1- January 6th-9th (CCSO)

(5:30pm-8:30pm Thurs, 5:30-9pm Fri, 9am-5pm Sat, & 9am-2 pm Sun)

### Class 2 – January 13th-16th (CCSO)

(5:30pm-8:30pm Thurs, 5:30-9pm Fri, 9am-5pm Sat, & 9am-2pm Sun)

### Class 3 – Jan. 24, 26, 28, 30, Feb. 2,4 (CCSO)

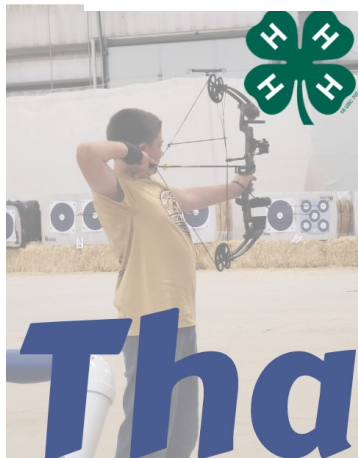
(5:30pm-9pm each night)

### Class 4–February 18th-20th

(5:30pm-9pm Fri, 8:30am-5:30pm Sat & 9am-2pm Sun)

### Class 5 Wright March 11th -13th

(5pm-9pm Fri, 9am-6pm Sat, & 9am-4pm Sun)



# Thank You NRA!

# Young Leaders

TEENS COME AND JOIN IN  
THE FUN, LEADERSHIP, AND  
COMMUNITY SERVICE!  
OPEN TO AGES 13-18

## YOUNG LEADERS

4th Monday EVERY Month!  
6-7pm @ GAMB  
Remind- Text @4-hyoung to 81010



# Horse



## HDC Royalty Tryouts

November 13th @ 3:00pm New Opportunities this Year!  
KPH Arena

For more information contact  
Maurica Hanson @ 307-660-2126

Great opportunity to build your resume  
with leadership and community service

Community Service  
Fundraising  
Community Appearances



### Meeting highlights include:

- Horsemanship Challenge
- Royalty
- Rodeo & Progress Shows
- Awards
- Clinics
- New Year Plans!

# H D C HORSE DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

Happening Monthly - Every 3rd Tuesday - 5pm - GAMB



# Livestock

## Livestock Committee

2nd Monday of Every Month @ 5:30PM  
CAMB

WANTS TO HELP YOU HAVE A SUCCESSFUL LIVESTOCK PROJECT!

- REMIND @4-HLIVEST
- FACEBOOK PAGE
- MONTHLY MEETINGS

MOVING FORWARD, WE ARE GOING TO HAVE MORE ORGANIZED PER SPECIES MONTHLY MEETINGS!

NOV - SHEEP/GOAT/SWINE  
DEC- POULTRY/RABBIT

We will take everyone!  
Youth,  
Leaders,  
Parents,  
Anyone!



## Wool Judging Practice

Sundays at Clover Corrals starting in November

Juniors 4:00-5:00pm

Intermediates and Seniors 5:00-6:00pm

November 7th

November 14th

November 21st

December 5th

December 12th

December 19th

Contact Sandi for more info- 680-2453

## Cluckers and Quacks



Meetings will be the 4th Tuesday each month @ 5:30pm in the Fuel Business Building @ 345 Sinclair St., unless otherwise noted.

If you have any questions please call Amanda Langley 307-689-1547



## HOW TO PREPARE CHICKENS AND THEIR COOP FOR WINTER – WINTERIZING 101

### Preparing Your Chickens...

First, let's start with the chickens. Chickens burn a lot more calories in the winter trying to stay warm. And that means their diet has to be adjusted accordingly.

In the wintertime, chickens benefit greatly from added carbs. Start by making sure your feed is a well balanced blend of nutrients with protein and carbs. Pelleted feeds are usually fairly well balanced, and perfect for winter feeding.

But from there, you can also give them a few supplements to provide even more carbs. [Cracked corn](#) is one of the best and one of our favorites. Not only does it help to fill them up, it also gives them an energy boost of carbs to keep warmer.

Black oil sunflower seeds and scratch grains are also excellent choices for supplemental feeding too. All help to provide the additional nutrition chickens need and use in the winter.

### Winterizing The Chicken Coop

Now that we have covered the chickens and their diet, it's time to look at making their home as safe and warm as possible for winter.

#### Cover Open Windows

First and foremost, it is important in cold winter climates to keep wind, drafts, and precipitation out of the coop. Open or screened windows can easily let blowing snow or chilly rains find a way into the coop. And when that occurs, it isn't long before their straw and bedding material becomes saturated as well.

As nightly temperatures begin to drop, closing off windows and screens with glass, plexiglass, or even clear plastic is a must. This not only keeps drafts out, but allows light into the coop. And that light can be vital to both egg production and the chicken's health.

In years past, we have used old window pane sashes to cover the screened windows of our coop. This year, with the new coop, we opted to use 1/4" plexiglass, screwing it right into the window frames to keep the air and precipitation out.

*These tips were found at <https://oldworldgardenfarms.com/2020/10/29/winterizing-a-chicken-coop/>  
There are several more great tips for winterizing your coop! Go check it out.*





# Council

## Proposed Budget from 2021-2022 4-H Council

| Income          | 20-21 Amount        | 21-22 Proposed |
|-----------------|---------------------|----------------|
| Enrollment Fees | \$ 13,259.89        |                |
| Chili Bingo     | \$ 740.89           |                |
| Donations       | \$ 3,773.03         |                |
| <b>Total</b>    | <b>\$ 17,773.81</b> | <b>\$ -</b>    |

| Expense                 | 20-21 Amount        | 21-22 Proposed      |
|-------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Insurance/UW            |                     |                     |
| Judgings/National Trips | \$ 1,371.94         |                     |
| Bookkeeping             | \$ 3,650.00         | \$ 500.00           |
| Scholarships            | \$ 1,650.00         | \$ 2,000.00         |
| Chili Bingo             | \$ 320.13           | \$ 1,000.00         |
| Achievement Night       | \$ 1,731.84         | \$ 2,000.00         |
| Trailers                | \$ 232.65           | \$ 1,000.00         |
| Clover Corrals          | \$ 1,552.44         | \$ 5,000.00         |
| Program Support         | \$ 131.24           | \$ 1,000.00         |
| Leader Appreciation     | \$ 1,481.34         | \$ 2,000.00         |
| Leader Development      | \$ 199.92           | \$ 2,000.00         |
| Advertising             | \$ 25.00            | \$ 1,000.00         |
| <b>Total</b>            | <b>\$ 12,346.50</b> | <b>\$ 17,500.00</b> |

### Variable Requests:

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|--|
| *Leader Development- Leaders can apply to use funds for development and trainings  |
| *State 4-H Contests- Hotel and Registration paid for members competing and coach   |
| *National Contests- Registration and \$100 per member competing and coach  |
| *National Trips- Awarded up to \$200   |
| For Individuals Applying for funds- a form must be filled out and proposed to the council. After the competition/training, a presentation must be made to the Council on what was learned. Requests are up to the discretion of the 4-H Council. |

With Financial Guidelines coming down from the University, an Executive Committee met on October 27 to evaluate and propose a sustainable budget for the upcoming year and years to come. The budget focuses on investing in our youth and leaders. The budget will be voted upon at the November 8, 2021 Council meeting.

# 4-H COUNCIL UPDATES!



November meeting we will be voting for Officers and approving the above budge!





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# Hat & Mitten Drive



**NOVEMBER 6TH-DECEMBER 10TH, 2021**

UW/Campbell County 4-H & Coal Country FFA are asking you to join us in helping provide hat, mittens and gloves to kids and families in our community.

## Current drop off locations:

Campbell County Extension Office  
1st National Bank (Downtown Location)  
Campbell County Recreation Center  
Coal Country FFA - TBHS  
Wright - Campbell County Library

