

February is the month of love! And let me tell you, I LOVE 4-H! As we roll into an unusually warm February, I begin to feel like it is spring. There are baby animals, do I see a hint of green grass? Don't be fooled yet as there is more snow to come!

This year, we have an extra day in February. 24 whole extra hours. Wouldn't that be a great thing to happen in the summer when we need just one more day to finish a project? Take that extra day now, and get some project work done. We have discussed in previous months how to set your goals. Remember to be SMART. Here are some other things that you can be working on now:

-Research (or in my world- Googleing)- You have goals, but what is it that you want to do. I like to take a topic and search the web or talk to others about my idea and help it to grow.

-Community Service- Did you get your Record Book back with comments on this section? Why not take this month of love to give back. Go outside in the warm weather and pickup trash. Or during the next snow, write some valentines cards for someone else.

-Update Your Record Book- We have ¼ of the 4-H year behind us, take your extra day or a few hours to add your work to your Record Book. Remember that we have many options to complete your book- zSuite, hard copy, and a fillable PDF.

-Read your Newsletter- if you are at this point, you probably are reading your newsletter. So tell your friends to read theirs as well! P.S.- DO THE

DRAWING! We have really neat hammocks that you can possibly win. Do this for each newsletter!

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Ve have a winner To Rellem Jace Olsen

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Newsletter Highlights

Band Directions Internship Position Horse ID's



Are you reading the newsletter? If so, you could WIN! Each month, we will have a drawing for 2 winners! Complete the code and you will be entered to win!

http://tiny.cc/blastdrawing

February

- 1: Ownership deadline for Beef
- Tagging Deadline for Market Beef & Supreme Cow
- 10: Fun Shoot
- 15: Scholarships Due

March

- 9: Children's Festival
- Summer Day Camp Enrollment Begins
- 25-29: Project Week

April

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- 1: 4-H Camp Enrollment Begins
 - · 6: Jackpot Shoot
 - · Day of Service & Trash Pickup

1: Dog & Horse ID's Due

· County Shoot Entries Due

Youth Livestock Sale Meetings

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- 1: Enrollment Deadline
- 1: Ownership deadline for ALL livestock
- 1: Rabbit ID's Due
- 1: Camp Registration Due
- Market Livestock Tagging Deadline
- 3-5: Cake Conference
- · 6-9: County Shoot
- 10-14: Sewing Conference
- 18-20: Showcase Showdown
- Horse Progress Shows & Rodeos
- 17-20: 4-H Camp

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- Fair Entries & Horse Safety Certs Due
- 9-11: Cloverbud Camp • 11-14: State Shoot
- 19-28: Campbell County Fair

August

• 13-17: Wyoming State Fair

October

RECORD

https://4h.zsuite.org/

- 1: New Year Begins!
- 1: Record Books Dues

4-H GROWS HERE HANDS HEALTH HEART Happening Monthly



Air Pistol & Rifle

Practices 2024

Beginning January 9th -

Tuesdays from 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm

& 6:30 pm to 7:30 pm

Every Other 2nd Monday EVERY OTHER MONTH 4-H Council 7:00pm

> Every 3rd Wednesday Cloverbuds 4:00pm

> Every 4th Monday Young Leaders 6:00pm

Make Valentines cards for the COMMUNITY elderly or kids for cancer. Bring to the Extension Office

for us to distribute.



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LEADERSHIP



Did you help serve, clean up, or bring cookies for Chili Bingo? Make sure to add it to your record book!

Share photos from throughout the year, show your growth and not just fair.





OVERALL



Use dividers to separate sections. This helps judges to locate all your areas.

@ Clover Corrals First Come First Serve

Practices 2024

6:45 pm & 6:45- 7:30 pm

@Rocky Mountain Discount Sports

First Come First Serve

*If you have multiple jr/int/sr in your family you can go one night or the other. Just note that Jr will have priority on Monday nights.

Wright Archery & Rifle/Pistol Practices 2021

Beginning January 7th -Archery - Sundays 6-7pm Rifle - Following Archery

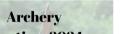
Please show up for practices that work for you. First practice you attend Mandatory Meeting Paperwork will be completed.





Starting on: Juniors - Jan 8th - Mondays 6:00-

Int/Sr - Jan 12th - Fridays 6:00 pm-6:45 pm & 6:45 pm-7:30 pm



FEBRUARY CALENDAR

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	hursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Beef ownership deadlineLast day to get tags	2	3
4	5	6	7 Beef Tagging information due to the Fair Office Robotics Ponderosa 2:00 pm	8	9	10 4-H Fun Shoot Barn 3 9:00 am
11	12	13	14 4-H 101 GAMB 5:30 pm	15 Scholarships are due to the Extension Office by 5:00 pm	16	17
18	Training Class	20 Fair Board Meeting Cam-Plex 6:00 pm	21 Cloverbuds Cottonwood Rm 4:00 pm	22	23	24 Needle and Fancy Ponderosa Rm 9:00 am Cornhole Tournament American Legion 10:30 am
25	26 Young Leaders Cottonwood Rm 6:00 pm	27	28	29		3

MARCH CALENDAR

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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	4	5	6 Robotics Cedar Room 2:00 pm	7	8	9 Children's Festival
0	11 Council Meeting Cottonwood Rm 7:00 pm	12	13 4-H 101 Ponderosa Rm 5:30 pm	14	15 Summer Intern Applications due to the Extension Office by 5:00 pm	16
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JOIN US FOR CLOVERBUDS! ** **

FEBRUARY 21ST March 20th April 17th

T VET SCIENCE Gardening Cake Decorating 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

4-H101 Club 🛞

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

2nd Wednesday at 5:30pm in the Ponderosa Room at the GAMB



THE BLUE & GREEN CHALLENGE

Wyoming Legislation has launched a match funding challenge for the Wyoming State Fair Endowment. If we can raise \$500,000 by June 1, 2024, they will give us \$500,000. To meet this goal we need your help! We have already launched a Text2Give donation option and hosted a Fundraising concert but there is still much to do!

Some 4-H Clubs and FFA Chapters are joining forces with us to help meet this goal. We've crafted a fun and unique way for them to participate, and their hard work will be handsomely rewarded. The club or chapter that raises the most funds will receive an exclusive first pick of our exciting rewards. We are immensely grateful to Wyoming FFA & 4-H for their invaluable support and dedication to the Wyoming State Fair's vibrant future.

> For more details or to join this campaign, please reach out to Rindy West. Your involvement is crucial in securing the future of the Wyoming State Fair. Together, we can make this happen! Thank you for supporting the WSF Endowment Campaign!

RECOGNITION LEVELS

- \$500 Donations
- \$1000 Donations
- Top 3 Donations



PRIZES FOR THE TOP 3 CONTRIBUTORS

- Golf Cart for the week of State Fair
- First choice of a livestock trailer spot
- Old-fashioned ice cream party at State Fair



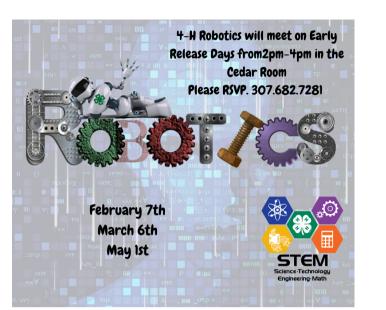
TEXT "WYFAIR" TO 243725 To Donate Now

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Sunflower Embroidery March 23rd 2024 9am-4pm Ponderosa Room at the GAMB RSVP by Monday February 19th to the Extension Office at 682-7281



Join Denice Roush to learn new skills and improve on those you already have! And leave with a cute project! Bring your own lunch.



PROJECT WEEK 2024!

March 25th-29th during Spring Break!!

If you have ideas/suggestions for a class or would like to teach a class please fill out the google form using the QR Code or contact Makala at 307-682-7281 or Makala.Riley@campbellcountywy.gov



4th FRIDAYS of Every Month

February 23 March 22 April 26 May 24



10am-12noon 4-H Members (8-18) Project Class

Wright Library - Conference Room Class size limited - RSVP at 682-7281







Campbell County 4-H Remind Me App Text To= 81010 Message= Code

Livestock- @4-hlivest

Beef Goats Llamas & Alpacas Poultry Rabbits Sheep Swine Veterinary Science

Judgings- @4-hjudge

Horse Judging Livestock Judging Meats Judging Vegetable Judging Wool Judging

Small Animals- @4-hsmallan

Cats Dogs Pocket Pets

Healthy Living- @4-hhlthliv

Food & Nutrition Gardening/Horticulture Health Outdoor Recreation

Science & Technology- @4-hscitechn to sign up. https://band.us/n/a3a498xfY2116

Aerospace Computers Electricity Robotics Welding

We can sign you up!

Expressive Arts- @4-hxprsart

Cake Decorating Crocheting Fabric & Fashion Interior Design Knitting Leathercraft Photography Quilting Ropecraft Self-Determined Visual Arts Woodworking

Natural Resources- @4-hnatrsed

Entomology Geology Nature & Ecology Range Management

Horses- @4-horse <u>Cloverbuds</u>- @4-hclover <u>Club Leaders</u>- @4-hclubldr <u>Young Leaders</u>- @4-hyoung <u>4-H Events & Fun</u>- @4-hextfun

<u>Shooting Sports:</u> 4-H Shooting Sports uses the BAND App for communication – use this link to sign up. <u>https://band.us/n/a3a498xfY2116</u> OR scan the QR CODE. It will ask you to sign up using an email or phone number.



Young Leaders



"Leadership is the capacity to translate a vision into reality." —Warren Bennis

4H members 13+

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Central Wyoming

Join other Wyoming 4-H Teens (13-18), to strengthen your leadership skills.

MAY 4TH-5TH

Casper Fair Grounds 2011 Fairgrounds Rd. Casper, WY 82604 \$20 to Attend Contacts: Makala Riley, Campbell County Emily Swinyer, Sheridan County Joshua Bliss, Natrona County



RSVP by April 22nd at NOON https://forms.gle/K6f1ypVeYsHAz4YEA

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4-H SUMMER INTERNSHIPS



Campbell County 4-H is accepting Applications! Due March 15th

Campbell County 4-H has paid summer internships. Internship positions are designed for those who are 18 or older and are seeking experience in the 4-H office setting. Interns will assist in planning summer 4-H activities including; 4-H Camp, Sewing Conference, Cloverbud Camp, animal showmanship and project workshops. In addition, intern will be expected to attend 4-H Camp, County Fair, and State Fair. Successful applicants must b able to pass a Wyoming background check and possess a valid driver's license.

To apply, please fill out the County Application and a 1 page letter stating why you would like to be a summer intern. The county application can be found at: https://www.campbellcountywy.gov/DocumentCenter/View/17750/County-Employment-Application and sent to Kim at the Campbell County Extension Office.

> Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. If you have any questions please call Kim at 682-7281.





State Scholarships DUE FEB 15TH WWW.WYOMING4H.org/4HFOUNDATION/SCHOLARSHIPS/

HTTP://WYDEXTENSION.ORG/CAMPBELLCOUNTY/4H Youth-development/forms-and-registrations/

WORK ON YOUR SCHOLARSHIPS NOW!



Cover Letter

Transcripts



Application Resume Letters Oh Rec

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Leader

WYOMING 4-H

VOLUNTEER TRAINING SERIES

What's Your Job? Discussion of 4-H Volunteer Roles

February 19, 2024 6:30 to 7:30 pm <u>https://uwyo.zoom.us/j/92438361355</u>

Each year, when you sign up to be a leader, you can choose a volunteer role. What is the difference between the roles? What are the different opportunities to get involved in your county program? This is a great session for current and prospective volunteers to learn more about how they can engage in the 4-H. Being a volunteer can be as simple as managing a Facebook Page to as complicated as running a committee or club. Find out



Talk to your local 4-H Educator about hosting a watch party at the Extension Office!



4-H Shooting Sports Leader Training Opportunities

<u>HTTPS://WWW.UWYO.EDU/4-</u> <u>H/VOLUNTEERS/ADDITIONAL-</u> <u>TRAININGS.HTML</u>

NORTHEAST AREA - WESTON COUNTY, NEWCASTLE MARCH 23-24 REGISTRATION DUE MARCH 11, 2024

CENTRAL AREA - NATRONA COUNTY, CASPER APRIL 27-28, 2024 REGISTRATION DUE APRIL 15, 2024

OTHER OPPORTUNITIES IF THESE DO NOT WORK FOR YOU USE THE LINK TO REGISTER

Shooting Sports





ALL REGISTRATION NEEDS TO BE DONE ONLINE AT WYOMING GAME AND FISH IN THE EDUCATION DROP DOWN, SCROLL TO THE BOTTOM. THEN "FIND A COURSE" IN GILLETTE. DEANA, RICK OR JD WILL BE LISTED AS THE INSTRUCTOR, THEY WILL TEACH AT A YOUTH'S EDUCATION LEVEL. THE COURSES WILL BE OPEN FOR REGISTRATION 30 DAYS BEFORE THE START OF THE CLASS. HTTPS://WYOMING.STOREFRONT.KALKOMEY.COM/EM/PROGRAMS/41?PAGE=2



Horse



Participating in Horse is a 3 Step Process (If the box is checked you have completed that step)

make sure it says "active" by your name.

STEP 1: 4-H enrollment! You must be a 4-H member with active status to participate in any horse activity. This means your Zsuite profile must be current and your fee paid. To check your status visit 4h.zsuite.org and



STEP 3:

Horse Safety Certification. This is the green sheet that a volunteer quizzes you over and then signs off on. Most of you already have this done unless you are new. To check if your horse is safety certified visit https://tinyurl.com/5e8frfxt

Horse ID Sheet. If you ID'd your horse last year, please contact the office if you plan to use that horse again this year. If you need to ID a new horse you can print the ID Sheet off our website at https://tinyurl.com/7j86vw3v YOU MUST ID EVERY HORSE YOU PLAN TO USE AT FAIR!



STEP 3 MUST BE DONE BY MAY 1st



Campbell County Horse I.D. Due in the Extension Office by May 1 st				
	Member Information			
Member Name:				
Club:	Parent's Daytime Phone:			
ноне <i>н</i>	Horse Information			
Horse Nickname: Horse Registered Name:				
	Breed/Type:			
	Registration Assoc: Grade (non-papered)			
Owned Leased Owner's Name: Date Obtained:				
Please list colors, brands, markings, and scars and	d mark these characteristics on the diagram below. Be as thorough as possible.			
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Livestock

	Ownership Deadline	Tagging/ID	Fair Requirements Beyond Entries		
Horse	June 1	May 1	Safety Certifications		
Members must have 3	Safety Certificatio	ns and IDs for E	EACH horse. Safety Certification		
only need to	only need to be completed once. IDs must be completed EACH YEAR.				
Market Beef	February 1	February 7	Youth Livestock Sale & Born Raised Requirements		
Breeding Beef	February 1		•		
Supreme Cow	February 1	February 7	Must enter in Breeding Class		
Dairy Cattle	February 1				
	ket Animals need	Brand Inspectio	on &/or Bill of Sale.		
Market Sheep	June 1	June 10	Youth Livestock Sale & Born o Raised Requirements		
Breeding Sheep	June 1				
All sheep are 1	equired to have S	crapies Tags, the	ese come from the breeder.		
Market Goat	June 1	June 10	Youth Livestock Sale & Born & Raised Requirements		
Breeding Meat Goat	t June 1		<u> </u>		
Dairy Goat	June 1				
	equired to have S	crapies Tags, the	ese come from the breeder.		
Market Swine	June 1	June 10	Youth Livestock Sale & Born		
		-	Raised Requirements		
Breeding Swine	June 1		*		
Meat Poultry	June 1		YLS Requirements		
Breeding Poultry	June 1		je statistica de la constatistica de la const		
	Limit	of 25 Fair Entrie	es		
Meat Rabbit	July 1/ Fair Entry Deadline	July 1	YLS Requirements		
Breeding Rabbit	June 1	June 3			
			ets must be completed per year		
	s on ID sheets if j		w them with photos due July 1).		
Dog	May 1	May 1			
			urrently vaccinated: Rabies curre		
		mper-parvo ann			
Cat	June 1	1 - 1	Health/Vaccinations July 15		
Cats must be cu	rrent on Rabies T	Distemper, and F	eline Leukemia Vaccinations.		

Animal Deadlines and Important Information-2024

Safety Certifications and ID Sheets can be found: https://wyoextension.org/campbellcounty/4hyouth-development/

Just because you are ENROLLED in 4-H and have completed items such as tagging/ID deadlines DOES NOT MEAN YOU HAVE ENTERED FOR FAIR! Entries must be done at https://www.campbellcountywy.gov/1536/Youth-Information Due July 1* by midnight!

In order to participate in the Youth Livestock Sale, youth must attend one of the Mandatory Meetings in April or May! Members must have Social Security Number at the meeting!



Project Area Demonstrations is an opportunity for 4-H members to share learning and help others gain knowledge and skills in Project Areas. Successful 4-H Demonstrations do not have to be a new idea, just one that you would enjoy sharing and someone else might benefit from. This is an opportunity to demonstrate on a skill or project area that you enjoy to promote 4-H and your exhibits to the community.



OOI Judging Practice Practices Eebruary 11th, 18th 25th March 3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th April 7th and 14th 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm @ Clover Corrals

Contact Sandi for more info- 680-2453



Council

January 8, 2024

American Pledge: Led by Claire **4-H Pledge:** Led by Kiley

Secretary's Report: Claire moved to approve the secretary's report and seconded by Mika and motion passes **Treasurer's Report**: Kristi reported that the council has \$28,168.73 in checking and savings is \$1920.79. Rylee moved to approve the treasurer report and Scott seconded it and motion passes.

Correspondence: 4-H Council received a thank you from Faith on her 4-H scholarship and what she been up and able to do it with.

Old Business: Jody nominated Kelsey Shepherd as 4-H Council Secretary and it moved by Mika to approve the nomination and it was seconded by Claire and motion passed. Barn Bums reported that for the Christmas baking fundraiser they made 86 cookies, 69 loaf of bread and 720 nut clusters. They had a profit of \$1654.00. Chili Bingo is January 27th at the College Tech Center.

New Business: None

Club Presentations:

21 Butte was represented by Rylee and Kiley. Rylee reported that their club did many activities last year, like serving the sheriffs, blessing in backpack, cards for senior and cancer kids, goodies for WYDOT, and May Day baskets for the YES house. The club meets the 2nd Sunday of each month and plans to parliamentary procedure teaching for younger kids and community service. She mentioned the club was honored to receive Club of Year. Blue Ribbon was represented by Mika and Emily. They reported the club has done Secret Santa from the rec center, and Valentine Day cards for Primrose. They meet the 2nd Monday of each of Month and the best part is when meetings are at Deana's house.

Clover Express was represented by Scott and Dakota. They reported that have done bingo calling at Primrose, ornaments for seniors, they do concession stands for Jackpot and County Shoot and sell world finest chocolate. They also do crafts and games at their meetings.

Scott came and shared about this 4-H trip to Ireland. He thanked the council for the help they gave to him to go. He shared all the really cool experiences with pictures. He had earned most of the money to go and he did that by working and doing jobs for others.

Special Requests:

Barn Bums are a new club and are working hard to get enough money for the club to do what want to do. They have asked to do a couple more fundraisers. It was moved by Kiley to allow these fundraisers and seconded by Scott and motion passed.

Clover Express asked for permission to do the concession stands at County and Jackpot and the world finest chocolates again. It was moved by Claire to approve these fundraisers and seconded by Caycee.

Kim and Makala:

Kim and Makala shared club and leader trainings will be January 30 they will be doing covering training in Parliamentary Procedure. They shared about the new thing they are doing that it is called stat/stocks. Members are encouraged to record a video of 4-H demonstrations to teach new members.

Kiley moved to adjourn the meeting and Caycee seconded and motion was passed.

Present: Deanna Maul, Jody Fenster, Kristi Olsen, Kim Fry, Makala Riley, Kelsey Shepherd, Scott Shepherd, Kiley Olsen, Dakota Campigotto, Caycee Jackson, Oaklie Ruff, Claire Jackson, Halie Ruff, Brandi Hudson, Jay Hudson, Rylee Hudson, Mika Wilken, Emily Willaredt, and Belle. Respectfully submitted by: Kristi Olsen, 4-H Treasurer







2024 Tree Sale

Pick up forms at: Extension Office 412 S. Gillette Ave. Gillette, WY

Contact the Extension office at 307-682-7281 for questions. Large Lot Print and Fill Form:



Small Lot Print and Fill Form:



https://wyoextension.org/campbellcounty/agriculture-natural-resources/master-gardener/

UW Extension Service US Department of Agriculture Campbell County Extension Office 412 S. Gillette Ave. Gillette, WY 82716-4200

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For questions call 682-7281 or email Makala.Riley@campbellcountywy.gov

1. LEARN ABOUT CAMP

Kids will enjoy biking, field trips, science, crafts, swimming, fair exhibits and more... There is lots of biking and fun hands on learning activities. NO training wheels.

-Daily expenses will occur with cash only

Ages: 8 to 12 years old (as of Jan 1, 2023)

2. PICK A SESSION(S)

This year we will have 3 two-week sessions for you to choose: 1,2, or 3! Hours: Mon-Thursday 8am- 5pm No Fridays! Session 1: June 3rd - June 13th Session 2: June 24th - July 3rd (Closed 07/04 for holiday)

Session 3: July 8th - July 18th

3. GET SIGNED UP

Sign ups begin March 1, 2024 at the Campbell County Extension Office 412 S. Gillette Ave 8am-5pm Spots are LIMITED! https://forms.gle/TiJjXxYMyWiFR2dq5 Pay with cash or check ** No CC **

\$20 4-H Insurance Fee (non-refundable)\$100 Camp Enrollment Per Session.