CAARBON COUNTY 4-HINEWSLETTER

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It is important to read the 4 H newsletters, Facebook, emails, and mailings very carefully as they will contain valuable information about due dates, upcoming opportunities and any other changes that may occur.

\*\*Just a reminder to all of you 4 H'ers start working on your Portfolios! You should have your goals written. This will make finishing out your portfolios in August much easier!!

https://www.facebook.com/CarbonCounty4H



FYI: There is not a deadline to enroll in 4-H, however there are enrollment deadlines for some 4-H projects to participate in fair and other exhibiting opportunities such as county and state shoot.

Looking Ahead

#### March:

- March 15—Registration due for the Southeast Area 4H Judges Training
- March 18—Sled Dog Ed Op (10am @ Ryan Park, Please RSVP by March 10th)
- March 24-30—National 4-H conference—Washington DC

#### April:

- April 1st—Carbon County 4H Foundation Scholarships Due (see pages 20-21)
- April 1st— Southeast Area 4-H Judge's Training (10am Rawlins or Wheatland)
- April 2nd—Carbon County 4-H Swap Meet
- April 2nd—Custis Swine Sale
- April 7th—Carbon County Stock Growers Scholarship Due (see pages 20-21)
- April 8—High Country Lamb & Goat Sale
- April 15th—Carbon County Farm Bureau Scholarships Due (see pages 20-21)
- April 21-22 Meat and Wool Judging Contest—Laramie
- April 30th—National Shooting Sports Invitation applications due
- April 30th—Carbon County Commissioners Scholarships Due (see pages 20-21)

#### Later Dates:

- May 1st—Wyoming Association of Fairs Scholarship (see pages 20-21)
- May 1st—Steer and Heifer Show Scholarship (see pages 20-21)
- May 31—State 4-H Leadership Team applications due (interview at showcase showdown)
- June 8th—County Shoot Registrations Due!
- June 10—Youth Hunter Ed Challenge (Upton)
- June 10— County Shoot (LSRV 8am)
- June 10-17—Citizenship Washington Focus (Washington DC)
- June 15-18—Wyoming 4-H Horse Camp—Douglas
- June 20-22—Showcase Showdown—Laramie
- July 6-9—State Shooting Match—Douglas
- July 16-21—Leadership Washington Focus—Washington DC
- August 12-19—Wyoming State Fair—Douglas
- September 2017—Shooting Sports Awards Trip—Raton NM
- November 24-December 28—National 4-H Congress—Atlanta

You can find more dates as they become available on the state 4-H website:

http://www.uwyo.edu/4-h/



Don't forget to enroll and re-enroll each year on 4-H Online!! After you have enrolled you will be pending until we activate you. You must be enrolled to participate in 4-H. If you have any questions at all please contact our office. If you were in 4-H last year please re-enroll with your <u>original profile</u>. It is important to NOT make another profile if a profile already exists. You will be contacted to enroll with your original profile if you have made another. If you have forgotten your login information please contact us. **Leaders please let us know if you are NOT planning on re-enrolling this year**.

307-328-2642,

ccraig@uwyo.edu



## 4-H SWAP MEET

Come, Buy-Sell- Trade

**Sponsored by the Rawlins Reliables 4-H Club** 

#### Items relating to 4-H projects such as:

- Animal Items; Halters, Brushes, Sticks, clothes, cages, feeders, etc. and all those things we bring to fair.
- Items for sewing, cake decorating, wood craft, leather craft, or any other static (miscellaneous) project.

If you are already attending the Custis Pig Sale that day, this would be a great event to attend as well!



The idea is to have participants new to a 4-H project come to obtain start-up needs from those who have been-there and done-that.

The more people who participate makes for a great swap meet!

Sunday April 2nd, 2017 Carbon County Fair Grounds Exhibit Hall 11AM—1 PM Setup starts at 10:30 AM

UW Carbon County Extension—4-H 215 W. Buffalo Rawlins, WY 82301 PO Box 280 (307) 328-2642



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## 2017 Carbon County Shoot

#### Saturday June 10,2017

@LSRV 8am

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**Registration Due** 

#### Thursday June 8,2017 by 5pm

## 2017 State Shoot

#### July 6-9, 2017 in Douglas WY

**Registration Date to be released soon!** 

2017 4-H Shooting Sports Adult Leader Certification Trainings

Dates and registration for each training can be found below. Register for any of these trainings online at the Wyoming State 4-H Website <u>http://www.uwyo.edu/4-h/index.html</u>

Sweetwater County- March 11-12, Registration deadline: February 27, 2017

Johnson County- March 18-19, Registration deadline: March 6, 2017

Natrona County- April 1-2, Registration deadline: March 20, 2017

Hot Springs County- April 22-23, Registration deadline: April 10, 2017

#### Thanks to the ELLBOGEN FOUNDATION

The Pathways to Higher Education Program was developed with the generous support of the Ellbogen Foundation.

John P. "Jack" Ellbogen is the benefactor of the Foundation. He was a Wyoming native, born and raised in Worland. He had a great love for and commitment to his home state. Throughout his adult life, Jack believed in the importance of a quality education for all Americans. He believed that a teacher was the single most important factor to enhanced student learnings



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📽 Program Overview

The Wyoming 4-H program serves over 6,900 youth ages 8-18, with a significant number of those, 3,129 (45%), involved in livestock projects.

The Pathways to Higher Education Program draws on the rich history of the 4-H program, integrating real-life, handson animal science education with 4-H members' project experiences.

This program allows youth to enroll in a college course at the University of Wyoming to earn credit for their 4-H work and livestock projects. The multiyear, sequential course culminates with a capstone learning experience on campus at the animal science department and submission of a portfolio of their learning experiences.

38 Course Outline

Each year, members explore topics in nutrition, evaluation and selection, meat science, care and prevention, and reproduction, including in-depth studies of breeds of beef cattle, small animals (rabbits and poultry), sheep, horses, goats and swine.

#### PROGRAM CONTACTS

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#### 38 Program Details

Youth begin the program by signing up through 4-H Online for 4-H ANSCI 1009 activity. The course is designed to offer 1-4 UW credits after completion. For 4 credits, youth participate over a three-year period in a series of learning experiences throughout the state.

These learning experiences encompass online learning modules, classroom work, and hands-on experiences with at least one hands-on capstone event at the University of Wyoming.

Members submit their complete portfolio of learning activities for review and pay all fees associated with UW enrollment to receive final credit.

#### Wyming 4-H Your Pathway to HIGHER EDUCATION



Introducing 4-H ANIMAL SCIENCE ANSC 1009

Experience your first class at the University of Wyoming through 4-H!



### 🍀 Eligibility

Participation is limited to students who are freshmen in high school or older with at least one year of 4-H age eligibility left.

Scholarships may be available. Please contact Warren Crawford at 307.766.5679 or crawford@uwyo.edu.



	YEAR 1	YEAR 2	YEAR 3
SPECIES	Beef Poultry Rabbit	Sheep Horses	Goats Swine
NUTRITION	Balancing Rations	Digestion System	Feeds and Feeding
SELECTION AND EVALUATION	Anatomy	Industry Relationships	Live Animal Evaluation
MEAT SCIENCE	Cuts: Wholesale and Retail	Harvesting	Fabrication and Product
CARE AND PREVENTION	Diseases	Vaccinations	Monitoring and Husbandry
REPRODUCTION AND GENETICS	Reproduction	Genetics	Inheritability

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#### Carbon County 4-H Archery Coaches

Cale Woldrip-Leader- 321-2644

Cody Waldrip-Assistant

Jacinda Waldrip- Assistant -321-2643 (in process of completing requirements to be a 4-H Leader)

Welcome to the 2017 Carbon County 4-H Archery season! 4-H Archery practice in Rawlins is about to begin!

"Please be registered for 4-H Archery before attending the first meeting. Age Division: Make sure YOU know what 4-H age division category you shoot in. Ask the extension office for verification. "

4-H Archery will start, Monday. March 27th at the Rec Center. Practice will be from 6-7pm for Junior shooters and Intermediate/Senior shooters will practice from 7-8 pm, even on the first practice. Parents will need to attend the first practice to sign permission slips and pay Rec Center dues. Please come with a check, or cash to pay the Rec Center shooting range dues. The rec center usually works out a deal for us so the shooters only have to pay  $\frac{1}{2}$  the original cost.

<u>Prior to March 27th</u>- <u>All shooters</u> please schedule a time to meet with Cale to get your bow set up. By scheduling a time prior to the first meeting we are hoping to avoid all the craziness the first meeting brings. Call or Text: Cale- 307-321-2643 or Jacinda 307-321-2643

Equipment: If you are using 4-H equipment, we will get a bow setup for you when you schedule an appointment with Cale. For all kids who already have their own bow, please schedule a time with Cale to make adjustments to drawn length, and sights prior to the first practice.

Shooters will be required to purchase their own arrows. County and State shoot requires 5 arrows but we recommend purchasing a few extras to have on hand.

We encourage anyone who is truly interested in the sport to try and purchase their own equipment. By having their own equipment it will ensure they become a more accurate and confident shooter. There are lots of great youth bows out there and Cale would be more than happy to help you find the one to suit your needs.

<u>Practice Schedule</u>: Mondays at the Rec Center. Junior shooters will shoot from 6-7pm. Intermediate/Senior shooters will shoot from 7-8pm.

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## YOUTH HUNTER EDUCATION CHALLENGE JUNE 10, 2017 AT THE UPTON GUN CLUB



#### A FUN TIME, BEAUTIFUL RANGE, & UPBEAT ATMOSPHERE



THE CHALLENGE IS A CHANCE FOR YOUTH TO HONE THEIR HUNTING SKILLS BY SHOOTING SHOTGUNS, .22 RIFLES, AND ARCHERY; DISPLAYING THEIR HUNTING JUDGMENT AND LEARNING WILDLIFE IDENTIFICATION. -EVERY CONTESTANT GOES HOME WITH A PRIZE.

-THE BEAUTIFUL UPTON GUN CLUB IS NESTLED IN THE BOULDERS, PONDEROSA, AND SAGEBRUSH OF THE BLACK HILLS.



Registration forms can be downloaded on the Game & Fish website at http://wgfd.wyo.gov. For more information call (307) 281-9980.

#### 2017 WYOMING STATE NRA YOUTH HUNTER EDUCATION CHALLENGE Sponsored by: Wyoming Game & Fish Department Hunter Education Program, Cabela's, Upton Gun Club SHOOT-ING SPORTS PROGRAM, Wyoming Friends of the NRA



#### 2017 Wyoming Youth Hunter Education Challenge Saturday, June 10, 2017 at 7:00 a.m. Upton Gun Club

Participant Name:		Shirt size	youth or adult (Circle one)
Date of Birth:	YHEC Category:	Junior	Senior
Address:	City/State:		Zip:
Phone:	E-Mail address:		
Coach/Sponsor Name:		_Phone:	
Address:	City/State:		Zip:
Phone:	E-Mail address:		
Signatures:			
Parent/Guardian: Print	Signature		Date:
Participant: Print	Signature		Date:
Coach: Print	Signature		Date:
Copy of hunt			
Preregistration Form - Must be accepted.	be submitted by June 2, 2017	7 and only th	e first 80 participants will
MAIL TO: Wyoming YHE Rick Rothleutne		ored by: yoming Frien	ds of the NRA

NT OF CONTACT: Questions can be directed to the foll

PO Box 291

Upton, WY 82730

**POINT OF CONTACT**: Questions can be directed to the following individuals: Wyoming YHEC Director: Rick Rothleutner at (307) 281-9980

Wyoming Game and Fish Department

Upton Gun Club

## Enjoy An Evening With Temple Grandin

## **COME HEAR THIS EXTRAORDINARY WOMAN'S STORY!**

Join 4-H and FFA for an evening with Dr. Temple Grandin; professor, author, autism advocate, animal welfare and behavior expert. Diagnosed at a young age with autism, Temple went on to become a pioneer in the field of livestock handling and equipment design. Using her one-of-a-kind mind, she revolutionized cattle handling and continues to influence the perception of autism.





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## National 4-H

### **Opportunities**



Check out the AMAZING National 4-H opportunities that are available to you as a 4-H member!!

EXIT

- \*\* National 4-H Congress in Atlanta, Georgia (for ages 14-18) applications are due May 30
- \*\* Citizenship Washington Focus in Washington, D.C. (for youth ages 15-18) June 10-17
- \*\* Leadership Washington Focus in Washington, D.C. (7th 9th grade youth) July 16-21

You can find the links to these trips, as well as other opportunities on the State 4-H Website

#### http://www.uwyo.edu/4-h/youth/

Even if you aren't old enough to apply yet - check them out so you know what the application process requires. Some require a letter of recommendation, some require you to submit your 4-H Portfolio (record book), some include an interview process. If you know these things ahead of time you can prepare and work toward your goal of attending one or more of these trips!

## **Youth Leadership**



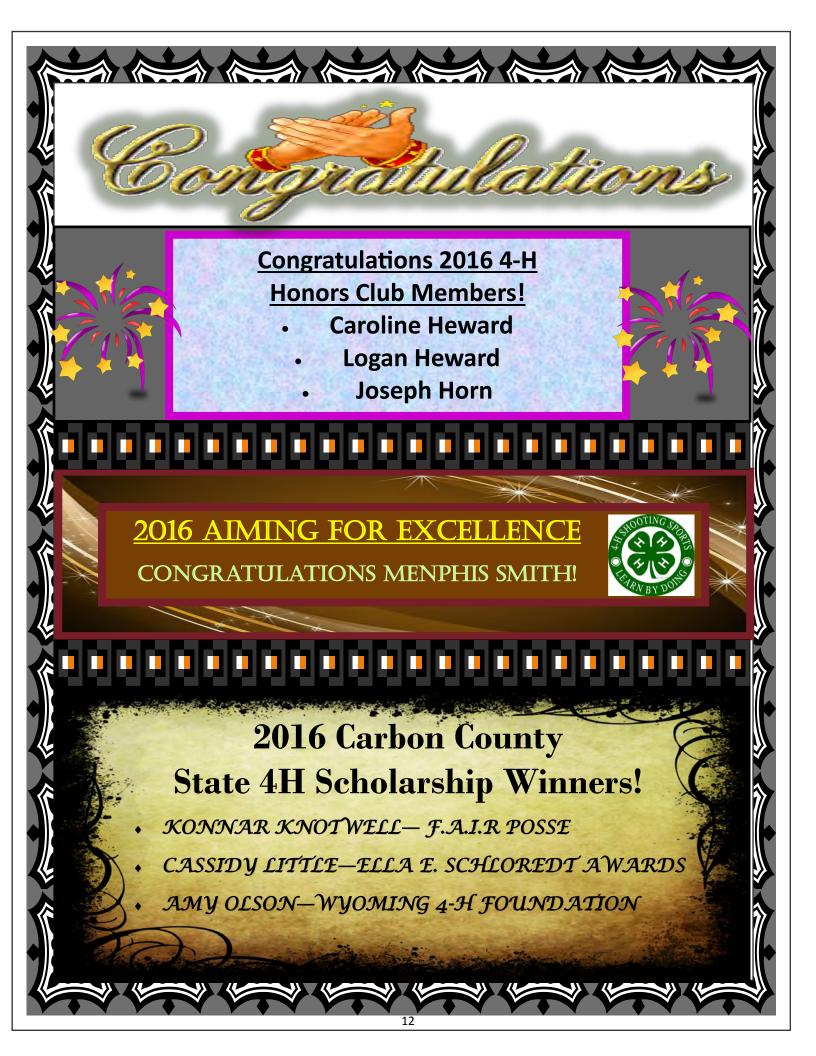
Another Fantastic State 4-H Opportunity - for 4-H Members (ages 14-18 as of January 1 of current 4-H year)

The Wyoming State 4-H Leadership Team is a seven-person team that represents Wyoming 4-H at all statewide events and activities. These functions include, state leadership team retreat, Showcase Showdown, Legislative Day, and the Wyoming State Fair. Team members are also involved in providing county or multi-county leadership workshops, assisting at all state 4-H contests and events, and representing 4-H at organizational meetings.

Wyoming State 4-H Leadership Team Application- Due May 31.

http://www.uwyo.edu/4-h/youth/leadershipteam/index.html

Even if you aren't old enough yet - take a look at the requirements and application process so you know what you will need to do in order to possibly be selected for this leadership team.



# PURPLE UP9 Saturday, April 15, 2017

April is Month of the Military Child

Honor our young "HEROES" by wearing the color purple!

Please send us photos of you or your group dressed in your purple attire! Send to Cathy Craig at: ccraig@uwyo.edu Purple

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WYOMING 4-H SPRING CONTESTS 2017

LARAMIE, WY

APRIL 21-22, 2017 WOOL CONTEST CHECKIN-APRIL 21 AT 4:00 PM

MEAT CONTEST CHECKIN-

APRIL 22 AT 7:30 AM

CONTACT YOUR LOCAL 4-H OFFICE TO REGISTER-REGISTRATION AVAILABLE MARCH 6- APRIL 14

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Livestock Judges' Training

## SAVE THE DATE

#### Date: May 11-13, 2017 Where: Spanish Fork, Utah

This is a great training for individuals wanting to judge livestock shows, 4-H volunteers working with youth and youth interested in livestock judging! Please help us share the message by passing the information along. One of this year's featured speakers: Chip Kemp

#### The Intermountain Judges Training

Committee would like to invite you to join them at this year's training. This 3-day workshop will include an adult track with livestock evaluation, judging showmanship, ring management, carcass evaluation and current industry trends. The youth will break off into their own track and intensely focus on evaluating livestock and giving oral reasons. Again this year -- youth will experience an actual judging contest.

#### Additional Information to come!

- Like us on facebook at:
- www.facebook.com/pages/Intermountain-Livestock-Judges-Training/314909911919853
- Visit our web-site at:

http://www.uintacounty.com/IMJT.

Dawn Sanchez Phone: 307-783-0570 E-mail: dasanchez@uintacounty.com E-mail: snash@uidaho.com

Scott Nash Phone: 208-317-4375

#### U.S. Targhee Sheep Association Starter Flock

#### Three Free Registered Targhee Sheep to be Awarded to Deserving Youth

The U.S. Targhee Sheep Association (USTSA) will again be offering a free registered Targhee Starter flock to a deserving youth at the 2017 USTSA National Show & Sale in Pierre, South Dakota, July 13<sup>th</sup> -15<sup>th</sup>. The winner must be present to receive the flock and will be awarded one (1) ewe lamb, one (1) yearling ewe, and one (1) brood ewe donated by members of the USTSA. Each animal will be a USTSA registered animal, and at least QR in Scrapie Codon 171 genotype. The winner will also receive a \$150 credit for use toward purchase of additional animals at the 2017 sale.

Applications, due April 1<sup>st</sup>, are now available to download at <u>www.ustargheesheep.org</u> or by contacting Mardy Rutledge at the USTSA office (<u>ustargheesheep@gmail.com</u> or 702-292-5715). Any young person, ages 9-17, as of January 1, 2017, may apply. Applicants should possess a keen interest in the U.S. sheep industry, commitment to raising Targhee sheep over time, and a firm belief in the abilities of the breed. Applicants must demonstrate proof of care, facilities, and transportation. Aside from receiving the flock of sheep, the winning youth, will be paired with a Targhee breeder living near them who will act as a mentor. The association is committed to helping the winner succeed.

Targhee sheep are one of the few breeds developed in the United States at the U.S. Sheep Experiment Station in Dubois, Idaho. Withstanding harsh environments and minimal human intervention, while still producing high quality lamb and wool are hallmark traits of Targhees. Mothering ability and gentle dispositions are additional positive traits of the breed.



#### WY 4-H Judges Certification Workshop

- Interested in becoming a judge for 4-H static exhibits?
- Need to know more about 4-H to become a better judge?
- Interested in judging more?
- Attend the certification workshop to become a certified judge for 4-H static exhibits.

#### Southeast Area 4-H Judge's Training

April 1, 2017 10:00am-3:00pm \$15 (includes meal, handbook & supplies) Rawlins or Wheatland *Please register by March 15, 2017* Registration at <u>http://bit.ly/2lMeYgv</u>

You will be contacted after March 15 with payment details.

Contact your local extension office for more information.



#### Judge's Certification Training

- Interested in becoming a static/ interview judge for 4-H?
- Need to know more about 4-H to become a better judge?
- # Interested in judging more?
- Attend a certification workshop and become a certified judge for 4-H Static Exhibits.

Leaders are invited to learn more about how projects are judged.





Attend a certification workshop and become part of a list for quality judges which recognize the goal in 4-H is youth development.

Training will include the following information:

- · How to provide feedback to youth.
- How to incorporate positive youth development into the judging process.
- Ages and stages of youth development.
- · Experiential learning model.
- Hands-on judging experience with youth.
- Interview judging questions and process.
- Common ribbon placing systems.
- · How to market yourself to fairs.



This training will be a topic-specific training related to youth development, awards and experiential learning.



WY 4-H Fair Judges Database

If you would like to be added to the Judge's Database before completing the Judge's Certification please email Sarah Torbert storbert@uwyo.edu at the State 4-H Office for more information. Once you have completed Judge's Certification a star will be added to your profile indicating you are a Certified Wyoming 4-H Judge. Learn more about the database at the certification training!

## University of Wyoming Horse Judging Academy

Come join the University of Wyoming Horse Judging Team & WY 4-H at the first annual Wyoming Horse Judging Academy!

We will be hosting a classroom academy day on Saturday, April 1<sup>st</sup> teaching the basics of horse judging, as well as what the judges are looking for. This will be a fun day of learning, raffle tickets, and door prizes.

On Sunday, April 2<sup>nd</sup> classroom material will be applied judging live horses at Spur Ridge Arena. This event is perfect to prepare 4-H and FFA youth competing at the WY State FFA Horse Judging Contest the following week! The WY Horse Judging Academy is also open to any adults wishing to learn about horse judging.

Food, fun and prizes will be provided. Detailed schedule to come!

<u>Register online HERE:</u> <u>http://bit.ly/2kjrpfa</u> or take a picture of the QR code below to be directly sent to the registration page.





When and Where: <u>Saturday April 1, 2017</u>: 9:00 am to 5:00 pm Classroom Academy day on the UW Campus in the Animal Science Building

<u>Sunday April 2, 2017:</u> 9:00 am to 12:00 pm Judging live horses, *kindly hosted by* Spur Ridge Equestrian Center

#### **Registration:**

Youth (Up to 18 years of age) Early bird \$15 each by March 10<sup>th</sup> \$20 After March 10th Adults (19 and over) Early bird \$20 each by March 10<sup>th</sup> \$25 after March 10<sup>th</sup>

If you have any questions please don't hesitate to email Anna at acunico@uwyo.edu. We look forward to hearing from you!

Any profits from the academy directly support the UW Horse Judging Team at collegiate horse judging contests across the nation. Go Pokes!!

#### National 4-H History Preservation Program

This national online database seeks to collect historical 4-H items.

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#### http://4-hhistorypreservation.com/

Index Data.asp - This is a project of NAE4-HA known as the 4-H History Preservation Program which seeks to create the largest database of 4-H stuff.

http://www.4-hhistorypreservation.com/ History Map/ - The 4-H History Map wants help adding historically significant 4-H sites, people and events to this online map.

http://4-hcollecting.com/ - This one is a bonus website of interesting 4-H memorabilia.

Got the Travel Bug? Check out the Enhancing Global Perspectives: Wyoming – Mongolia 4-H Exchange Program.

The Enhancing Global Perspectives provides an opportunity for youth participants to host a Mongolian student and travel to Mongolia to learn about Mongolian history, culture, traditions, and the



Mongolian ways of life. This program is a true The 2012 Wyaming delegation with their hosts in Mangalia

two way exchange where Mongolian student will travel and stay in Wyoming and Wyoming students will travel and stay in Mongolia.

Current members of the Wyoming 4-H program (14-19 years of age) are eligible to participate. The cost of the trip will be approximately \$2,600 per persons and the Wyoming 4-H Foundation will provide a \$1,000 scholarship to each of the 4-H members selected to participate – bringing the cost down to \$1,600. The cost covers the following expenses for participants: roundtrip airfare to Mongolia, meals, lodging, site visits, cultural activities, transportation in Mongolia, and accident and sickness protection. Detailed information and applications are available on the University of Wyoming 4-H web site: <a href="https://www.wyoming4h.org">www.wyoming4h.org</a> Applications are due March 31, 2017.

The Enhancing Global Perspectives 4-H Exchange Program is sponsored by the University of Wyoming 4-H Youth Development Program and Mongolia 4-H (NGO). Contact Warren Crawford, <u>crawford@uwyo.edu</u>, for more information.

## ENHANCING GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES



#### Exchange Program Overview

The Enhancing Global Perspectives 4-H Exchange Program with Mongolia is designed to advance mutual understanding between the people of the United States and Mongolia, prepare youth leaders to become responsible citizens, spark an interest in learning about foreign cultures, and develop a cadre of Americans with cultural understanding who can advance international dialogue and compete effectively in the global economy.

#### Who is eligible to apply?

The program is open to current senior aged Wyoming 4-H members interested in traveling internationally, learning about different cultures, and living with a host family. Students must:

- Be at least 14 years old and no older than 19 years old by January 1, 2017
- Have the ability and desire to carry out a service activity in your local community upon your return.

#### Important Dates:

- · Applications due March 31, 2017
- Pre-trip orientation via web conference May 2017
- Mongolians arrive in Wyoming 3rd week of June 2017
- Travel to Mongolia July 2017.
- Service projects in local community Aug. 2017- Jan. 2018

### WYOMING-MONGOLIA % 4-H EXCHANGE

#### How much does it cost?

The Program will cost approximately \$2,600. The Wyoming State 4-H Foundation will provide each selected participant a \$1,000 scholarship to be applied to the total coast of the trip bringing the total cost down to \$1,600 per person. The following expenses will be included in the trip cost:

- · Roundtrip airfare to host country
- · Meals and lodging
- In country logistics (i.e.
- transportation, activities, food and lodging)
- Entry fees for site visits and cultural activities
- Accident and sickness protection

There will be some additional out-ofpocket expenses for participants which include:

- Passport & passport photos
- Immunization fees (if required)
- Transportation to and from Laramie to pick up and drop off students for the exchange trip.
- Spending money for souvenirs and other in-country purchases
- · Modest host family gift

Applications are available online at <u>www.wyoming4h.org</u> under international programs tab or by request from contact below.

#### Contact Information:



#### 2017 Scholarships:

#### Carbon County 4-H Foundation Scholarship - Due April 1st

- Past or present 4-H member.
- Attending any in or out of state accredited educational institution of higher learning on a full time basis.
- Application available at the Carbon County Extension Office.

#### Carbon County 4-H Foundation- Stallion Service Auction Scholarship – Due April 1st

- Any senior 4-H member (age 14-18 as of Jan 1<sup>st</sup> of current year) enrolled in Carbon County school who is or has been enrolled in the Carbon County horse program is eligible.
- This scholarship is to any college, university or trade school of the recipient's choice.
- Application is available at the Carbon County Extension Office.

#### Carbon County Farm Bureau Scholarship #1- Due April 15th

- Must be graduating from a Carbon County high school.
- Minimum 3.0 GPA, based on a 4.0 system.
- Attend a Wyoming College/University in the upcoming fall semester.
- Application and Essay must be handwritten, all question answered, and signatures signed.
- Failure to follow application requirements will result in disqualification.

#### Carbon County Farm Bureau "Member" Scholarship #2 - Due April 15th

- Provide parent's Carbon County Farm Bureau Membership Number
- Be a graduating senior from high school
- Have at least a 3.00 cumulative grade point average, based on a 4.00 system. (Principal must sign to verify cumulative GPA)
- Attend an accredited college, university, or trade school
- Application and Essay must be handwritten, all question answered, and signatures signed.
- Failure to follow application requirements will result in disqualification.

#### Carbon County Stock Growers Association Scholarship - Due April 7th

- Applicants must have graduated (or equivalent) from a Carbon County high school.
- · Applicants must attend a school of higher learning in Wyoming or a bordering state.
- Application available at the Carbon County Extension Office.
- Open to: Any student enrolled in a field of agriculture and/or
  - Immediate relative of paid Carbon County Stock Grower member (to include sons, daughters and grandchildren) wishing to study any field.

#### Carbon County Commissioners Scholarships: - Due Last Friday in April each year

- Available to Students who plan on attending the University of Wyoming or any Wyoming Community College,
- Is not specific to graduating high school students. Non-traditional students are eligible.
- Must be a resident of Carbon County
- There will be 3 new scholarships and 1 renewal scholarship awarded each year.
- Can be accessed online <u>http://www.carbonwy.com</u>

#### Wyoming Association of Fairs Scholarship - Due May 1st

- Current or Alumni Wyoming 4-H or FFA member.
- Must be a 2017-2018 College Sophomore, Junior or Senior attending any Wyoming accredited institute of higher learning.
- Can be accessed online <u>http://www.wyomingfairs.org</u>

#### Steer and Heifer Show Scholarship – Due May 1st

- Any graduating senior 4-H member who has participated in the Carbon County 4-H Sponsored Steer and Heifer Show is eligible for the scholarship.
- Applications are available at the Carbon County Extension Office.



# Purely Poultry

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#### Protect Yourself from Germs

Chicks, ducklings and other live poultry can carry harmful germs even if poultry appear healthy! It is important to wash your hands thoroughly with soap and water after touching live poultry. Washing your hands and other materials associated with raising or caring for live poultry for at least 20 seconds will help decrease the spread of diseases! Keep your poultry and family safe by practicing good hygiene. If soap is unavailable it is always safer to use hand sanitizer than NOTHING.

CHICK CARE- Once you receive your chicks, it is important to place them on clean, safe bedding. Pine or cedar bedding is best to use. It absorbs moisture and feces helping to keep harmful germs away. Chicks also need to stay warm! They will need adequate high temperatures (85°F-115°F). Ensure that the heat source is placed high enough to let the chicks move and find different temperature zones!

#### Avian Influenza (AI)

Avian Influenza has 2 different forms or strains, Low Pathogenicity Avian Influenza (LAPI) and High Pathogen Influenza (HPAI). Both strains of AI are dangerous to various poultry species, including chickens, turkeys, geese and domestic ducks. Common symptoms of LPAI include coughing, sneezing, depression and ruttled teathers. A decrease in egg production is also a common symptom of LPAI. LPAI strains occur naturally in wild migratory watertowl and illness. HPAI is EXTREMELY infectious and often fatal to poultry. Its spreads very quickly and some common symptoms are lack of energy, decreased appetite, coughing, sneezing, diarrhea, purple discoloration of wattles and

#### Biosecurity for Birds

#### Bio-life Security-protection

Raising backyard poultry in the USA is growing with popularity. It is very important that owners know the steps necessary to protect their poultry!

#### Step 1: LOOK

Look for signs and observe your poultry.... After all you know them BEST!

#### Step 2: REPORT

Report your sick poultry to your veterinarian

#### Step 3: PRACTICE

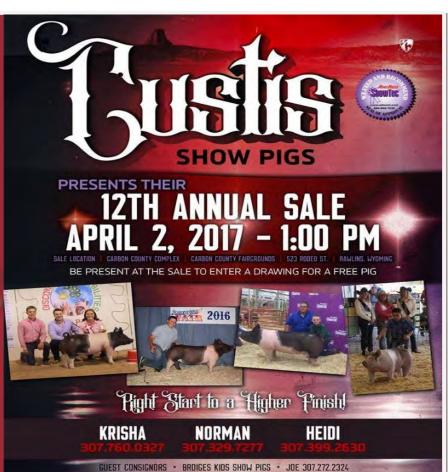
Practice and get some good, clean, and efficient ways to keep your poultry and their houses free of diseases and other wild critters, especially free ranging birds and waterfowl!

comb. Avian Influenza is NOT a food safety issue. Properly handling and cooking eggs and raw meat to 165 ° F. Sanitize cutting boards with dilute bleach.



(Biosecurity Guide for Poultry and Bird Owners, 2016) (USDA, 2016)

Carbon County Livestock Sales

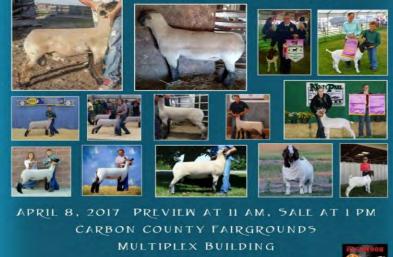


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### **2017 CARBON COUNTY LIST OF ENROLLED LEADERS**

#### Encampment:

- Chloe Gilbert—Leathercraft
- James Johnson—Activity Leader
- Lael Knotwell—Beef & Swine
- Linda Kraft—Horses & Community Club Leader (BEVO)
- Georgia Miller—Horses

#### Hanna/Elk Mountain:

- Dawn Kenneda—Dogs
- Erin Kennedy—Community Club Leader
- Marla McNees—Cats, & Community Club Leader (LEO Cowpokes)
- Marquita McNees—Goats, Horses, Poultry, Sheep & Co Community Club Leader

#### LSRV:

- Mitzi Corson—Community Club Leader (Savery Savers)
- Callay Danford—Horses
- Nathan Habel—Pistol
- ♦ Jamie Lyons—Sheep
- Nikkole Maxson—Co Community Club Leader (Savery Savers)
- ♦ Kimberly Olson—Swine
- ♦ Kurt Olsen—Horses

#### Rawlins/Sinclair:

- Charlene Abbott—Activity Leader
- Stacie Demarce—Activity Leader
- ♦ LaRena Weik—Dogs, Goats, Horses & Community Club Leader (Carbon (c6) County Wanderers)
- Vickie Cooper—Activity Leader
- Andrew Dilworth—Pistol, Rifle, & Shotgun
- Marsha Dilworth Activity Leader
- Jessica Flanagan—Dogs & Horses
- Sabrina Hamby—Activity Leader
- Jessie Horn—Poultry
- Steve Horn—Pistol, Rifle, Shotgun, & Community Club Leader (Rawlins Reliables)
- Shawnee Napoli—Dogs
- Dori Fritz—Horses & Community Club Leader (Sinclair Rimrock Riders)

#### CONTINUED...

#### Saratoga:

- Wendy Barkhurst Community Club Leader (Platte Valley Pride)
- Sheryl Hunter—Co. Community Club Leader (Platte Valley Pride)
- Louis Braun—Archery, Muzzleloading, Pistol, Rifle & Shotgun
- Richard Jackman—Horses
- Darcy Kaisler—Beef
- ♦ Amanda Knotwell—Goats
- Dana Little—Leathercraft, Visual Arts, & Community Club Leader
- Mike Moon—Archery, Muzzleloading, Pistol, Rifle, & Shotgun
- Christy Stocks—Fabric & Fashion
- Kaycee Alameda—Community Club Leader (Saratoga's Finest)
- Bill Wickstrom—Archery, Muzzle, Pistol, Rifle, Shotgun

#### Shirley Basin:

- Malea Heward—Fabric & Fashion, Horticulture, Quilting, Visual Arts
- Todd Heward—Aerospace, Geology, Photography, Range Management, Veterinary Science, Wildlife & Hunting, Woodworking



## HELPFUL 4-H SITES!

Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/CarbonCounty4H Main 4-H State Site: http://www.uwyo.edu/4-h/ Project Information: http://www.uwyo.edu/4-h/projects/ 4-H Mall: http://www.4-hmall.org/Home.aspx Volunteers Resources: http://www.uwyo.edu/4-h/volunteers/

#### Just a quick reminder!!

Only those who have been screened and approved are official 4-H leaders. We will be providing updated lists throughout the year, to keep you informed on who those people are. If you are unsure if you are a screened leader or if someone else is, please contact our office. You must re-enroll each 4-H year, and be screened every 5 years. Remember those acting in the name of 4-H have to either be leaders or members. If you accept any assistance from non-screened leaders it is at your own discretion.

Carbon County 4-H is looking for Youth, Parents, Leaders, and /or Community members who would be interested in helping with planning, organizing and putting on some 4-H events/activities.

If you are interested in any of the following or something that isn't on the list below please contact the Extension office ASAP!

Activities, events, day camps for Cloverbuds or Junior Youth leadership, 4-H day camps, Educational Opportunities, Make it & Take it days, animal clinics, Carbon County Fair parade planning, Carbon County Fair 4-H/FFA Youth Dance planning, Achievement Day planning, 4-H Portfolio judging, etc.

Even if you only have enough time to teach a one -time project learning/or make & take experience please let me know. 4-**H has over 50 projects available to youth but we don't have leaders for** all of them. It would be nice to expose youth to some new project ideas even if it is just one day.

Our office may also be looking for some people to help on occasion with things data entry in the office – please let us know if you are interested.



Due to budget cuts and trying to cut down on costs, like the majority of the country, we will be trying to reduce on the amount of hard copies we distribute. We will continue to try and make information available through as many other forms of communication as possible. Newsletters and other information will be emailed and posted on Facebook. If you are having trouble receiving this information we are sending out please contact our office.



#### **Teaching Trustworthiness**

Being trustworthy means:

- Telling the truth
- Following the rules
- Not taking things that don't belong to you

 Doing what you say you'll do When you think about teaching trustworthiness to others you must remember that is does not happen overnight. Instead it is something you should model for

## Character Counts Trustworthiness

others everyday—you influence and are a role model for everyone you come in contact with. Take time to discuss with others how trust is earned and why we consider others trustworthy. Provide specific examples and illustrations to express thoughts. For example: How do others earn your trust? How do you know when you can trust people? Which people do you feel are the most trustworthy?



#### Trustworthiness in 4-H: Six Feelings

Supplies: Seven large signs with one name on each of the Seven Dwarfs on each sign (Happy, Sneezy, Dopey, Grumpy, Sleepy and Doc). Post these signs on the wall.

Ask the participants to look at all the signs on the on the wall. Have club members and guests stand by the sign that best describes how they feel at that moment. Explain that is it ok to be honest about what and how they are feeling. Give each group about 10 minutes to create a 30 second commercial to show their emotion. Have each group act out their commercial.

#### Discussion Questions:

Do you think how you feel or act affects whether a person feels they can trust you or not? Why or why not?



"Watch your thoughts; they lead to attitudes. Watch your attitudes; they lead to words. Watch your words; they lead to actions. Watch your actions; they lead to habits. Watch your habits; they form your character. Watch your character; it determines your destiny."

~Unknown~

#### **Roll Call Suggestions**

- Tell a time when you were honest and no one was watching
- Share an example of someone showing loyalty to a friend
- Name one person who you trust and tell why

Like this activity? Find more like it in the "Good Ideas Book" at your local Extension Office

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