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Wysening 4-H February 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3
4	5	6 Livestock Committee mtg. @ 6	7	8 Fair Board mtg. @ 6	9	10
11	12 4-H Council mtg. @ 6:30	13 CloverBuds meeting @ 4	14	15 4-H Foundation's scholarship applications due	16	17 Rabbit Project mtg. 1-2 p.m.
18	19 Volunteer training @ 6:30 Zoom	20 Indoor Air P/R @ 4	21	22	23	24 Cat Project mtg.@ 10
25	26	27 Indoor Air P/R @ 4	28	29		

Wysening 4-H March 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2 Rabbit Project mtg. @ 1
3	4	5 Indoor Archery@ 4	6	7	8	9 Cat Project mtg. @ 10
10	11 4-H Council mtg. @ 6:30	12 Indoor Archery @ 4	13	14 Fair Board Mtg. @ 6	15	16 Rabbit Project mtg. @ 1
17	18	19 Indoor Archery @ 4	20	21	22	23
24	25	26 Indoor Archery @ 4	27	28	29	30
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January 26, 2024

To the Johnson County 4-H Community,

After presenting the Johnson County Extension Office end of the year report to the County Commissioners regarding the JC 4-H program, I am reminded that JC 4-Hers learned, had fun, and experienced many successes at the county and state levels. We rose to new heights with enrollment and the numbers for youth involved rose to 329 members. All the opportunities provided to youth that happen in our program can be attributed to the support from a generous community and tremendous commitment to youth development by our 4-H Executive Council, 4-H Committees. Fair Board Committees, the Fairgrounds Foundation, YES Committee and all our adult volunteers. Thanks to all that made 2023 a great 4-H year, we now are in full stride for making an even better 4-H year in 2024.

At the start of a new calendar year, we begin with optimism and high hopes of producing the same and more quality projects, experiences, and quality kids. We have some programming that is underway already and more starting soon! We are continuing our partnership with Buffalo High School and their shotgun club. Indoor shooting sports will be underway when you receive this, Fabric and Fashion leaders are planning summer opportunities, both rabbit and cat are now meeting at least monthly, and we are already putting dates together for the mountain camp committee to start planning! We will continue to have two Clover Bud groups for youth again this year, one here in Buffalo with me and the other in Kaycee with Krystin Alger. Be on the lookout for beef and horse to start up again soon!

We are encouraging ZSuite enrollments and encourage club leaders and members to help in this enrollment. All signs say that club leaders, volunteers within the club and the parents, are some of the greatest influencers for the best first year 4-H experience and for retention in 4-H membership. With new families and members, it is essential for 4-H leaders and other member families to welcome and continually communicate with these families new to 4-H to see if their needs are being met.

At upcoming community club meetings and project activities, please remind our kids to reenroll in ZSuites and see what project areas kids are interested in. If we hear back from some folks about project areas of interest, we will find ways to provide educational programs in those areas. Best experiences happen when 4-H is FUN! Thank you to all of our new and old members, our adult volunteers and all that make 4-H in Johnson County possible. It is because of you that we are able to continue to do the amazing things that we do!

Sincerely,

Luga Micharyi

Bryce A. McKenzie

Johnson County UWE 4-H/Youth Development Educator

Johnson County 4-H Monthly Johnson County 4-H Council Meeting Minutes

	Meeting Date and Time
Date of Meeting: Time of Meeting:	January 8, 2024 6:30 PM
	Meeting Location
Meeting Location:	Johnson County Community Building 18 Fairgrounds Rd
	Meeting Attendees
Present at Meeting:	Tanner Kolb, Bryson Kolb, Bob Fox, Lyvee Fox, Tera Boden, Jenna Foss, Jolene Foss, Jace Foss, Don Conklin, Rylie Schiffer, Laura Ruby, Gwen Ruby, Griff Ruby, Britni Camino, Corbin Camino, Kalea Miller, Hailee Vahoski, Donna Nelson, Theodore Martin, Wallace Martin, Kristina Geer.
Absent from Meeting:	Brent Painter (Vice President), Krystin Alger (Secretary), Lesley Pearson (Treasurer)

The regular meeting of the Johnson County 4-H Council was called to order at 6:35 PM on January 8, 2024, at Johnson County Community Building by Ashlea Bassett.

I. Approval of Previous Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting had been featured in the previous Clover Chatter. These minutes then were accepted by a majority vote of those present, following a motion and second from Rylie Schiffer and Lyvee Fox.

II. Old Business

1. Beef Tagins

This served as a reminder of Beef Tagging that is happening January 21st at 2 pm at Travis Rules. For Kaycee Tagins, please contact Mary Klaahsen to set up a time to tag your beef. Supreme Cow Contest cattle must be tagged in for the heifer phase during this time.

- Council Officers Take New Positions Our newly elected officers start their roles at the January Meeting. Ashlea Bassett as President and Lesley Pearson as Treasurer for the 2023-2024 4-H year.
- 3. Club Reports Theodore Martin - Blue Ribbon Kalea Miller - Stirrups Corbin Camino - Krazy Kritters Rylie Schiffer and Lyvee Fox - Clover Colts Griff Ruby and Jace Foss - Kountry Kids
- Budget Update Lesley Pearson This item has been tabled for the next council meeting due to the absence of the Johnson County 4-H Council officer team.
- Reminders Ashlea Bassett Mountain Camp Reserved For - June 21-23 Livestock Committee Meeting - February 6th.

1. Shooting Sports Update

Don Conklin

Buffalo Trap and Skeet Club along with 4-H will be sending out a solicitation letter to handpicked donors to continue to raise funds for their building project. Shooting Sports Safety/Orientation Meetings will take place April 9th and April 11th at 4 pm at the Community Building. Indoor air starts January 28th at 4 pm at the Community Building. Outdoor season starts April 18th at the range. County Shoot will be divided up this year. June 13 - Muzzle Loader at 4 pm June 14 - Archery at 4 pm and June 15 7:30 am the rest of county shoot will take place. Please see additional photo later in the chatter of Bryson Kolb on his successful cow elk hunt that was awarded at county shoot in 2023.

2. Fair Superintendent Changes

Bryce McKenzie

Update from the last livestock committee meeting and from committees within 4-H, there will be changes in superintendents at the Johnson County Fair. The following names and positions have changed, any not listed are the same as superintendents from previous years.

Rabbit - Hailee Vahoski Swine - Jay Buhr Poultry - Timber Buhr Community Building - Kerri Shoup, Kari Pavey, Keri Malson

3. Cat & Rabbit Updates

Hailee Vahoski

Kristina Geer

Hailee is seeking fiscal support to help rebuild cages for rabbits. The Johnson County Fair is looking to bring rabbits back to fair after their one day shows the last couple of years due to rabbit infectious diseases. Because of this, the cages need repaired, and a few of these need to be completely replaced. Hailee is starting rabbit project meetings for 4-H youth and has garnered the support of the local CO-OP who have given Hailee a discount of 75% off items for rabbits to help 4-H youth. Both cat and rabbit projects are starting meetings. Rabbit on January 20th and Cat scheduled for January 13th.

4. 4-H Exchange Trip

Tera Boden

Tera Boden, a gold club member and in good standing in JC 4-H, presented to the council because she has won a Wyoming 4-H Agricultural Exchange Trip to Hawaii. There are funds set aside for scholarship purposes for these trips per council request. Tera is asking for any fiscal support the JC 4-H Council can offer. She had to put \$500 down to secure her spot.

5. Clover Colts Club Challenge

Rylie Schiffer

Rylie Schiffer, President of Clover Colts 4-H Club presented a "Meet it or Beat it" Challenge for the Johnson County 4-H Council. The Clover Colts challenged all JC 4-H clubs to donate to help offset costs for Bronc Vineyard. Proceeds helped "Bronc's Battle." After raising \$1,500 for this cause, Rylie has challenged the JC 4-H Council to meet or beat the funds they raised to donate to the cause.

6. Buffalo Cloverbud Kickoff

Bryce McKenzie

An introduction to CloverBuds will happen in Buffalo on February 13th at 4 pm at the Johnson County Extension Office. This is for all youth ages 5-7 years old. This is an introduction to all things 4-H and potential projects they may encounter along the way. For Kaycee CloverBud information, please reach out to Krystin Alger.

IV.

Next Meeting

The next meeting will be at 6:30 PM on February 12, 2024, at: Johnson County Community Building 18 Fairgrounds Rd

The meeting adjourned at 7:48 PM by Ashlea Bassett. Minutes

Submitted by: Bryce McKenzie



4-H Cat Project Meetings

10 a.m.—11 a.m. Saturdays Johnson County Extension Office

February 24, 2024

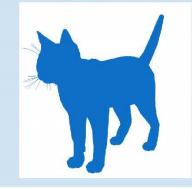
March 9, 2024

April 13, 2024

May 11, 2024

June 8, 2024

February Focus—Feline Parts March Focus—Feline Snacks April Focus—Feline Grooming May Focus—Feline Crafts June Focus—Showing your Feline



JC Rabbit Project Meetings

Saturday February 17, 2024

Saturday March 2, 2024

Saturday March 16, 2024

Saturday April 6, 2024

1:00 to 2:00 p.m.

Johnson County Extension Office (basement)

February's meeting will cover breeds & handling. March's meetings sexing, cage set up, and health. Showmanship will be the main topic of the April's meeting.

It is not too late to sign up and get a rabbit for this fun project. . Hailee Vahoski, JC Rabbit Superintendent and leader will be happy to answer any of your questions and help you find a rabbit. One may contact Hailee at 307-217-9230.





Meeting Dates:

2024

February: 13th @ 4 pm – Extension Office (Intro Day)

March: 13th @ 4 pm – Extension Office

April: 16th @ 4 pm – Extension Office

May: @ 4 pm – Location and Day TBD

June: @ 4pm – Location and Day TBD

July: @ 4 pm – Location and Day TBD

August: Fair Time!

October: Time to Re-Enroll! It's the New 4-H Year!



2024 Johnson County 4-H Shooting Sports Calendar

January 30 - February 27: Every Tuesday, 4-6pm Air rifle/pistol, Community Building, No practice February 13.

March 5 - March 26: Every Tuesday, 4-6pm Archery, Community Building

April 1-6: Easter break: BHS

April 9 & 11- Orientation/Safety at Community Building, 4pm, All disciplines, Mandatory for one of these nights.

April 18 - June 13 Every Thursday Practice @ Buffalo Trap & Skeet Club (BTSC) 4-6:30pm

June 2: WY High School Clay Target event, Spearfish, SD June 8: YHEC Upton, WY June 13: Thursday Muzzleloading County Shoot 4pm, BTSC June 14: Friday Archery County Shoot 4pm, BTSC June 15: Saturday .22 Rifle, .22 Pistol, Shotgun County Shoot 8am, BTSC June 16: High School Clay Target event, Gillette, WY June 23-28: 4H National Shoot Grand Island, NE June 23: WY High School Clay Target event at the BTSC in Buffalo June 29: WY High School Clay Target State event in Torrington July 11-14: State 4H Shoot July 26- August 4 : County Fair

Leader Training schedule for 2024: March - April around Wyoming Check Clover Chatter for flyer of locations and times. Online registration. We are always needing additional certified leaders.

2024 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.







Steve Mack, Director

Wyoming State 4-H Foundation

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Washakie County, Worland

- Dates March 9-10, 2024
- Registration Link: Washakie County
- Weston County, Newcastle
- Dates March 23-24, 2024
- Registration link: Weston County

Laramie County, Cheyenne

- Dates April 6-7, 2024
- Registration link: Laramie County

Uinta County, Evanston

- Dates April 20-21
- Registration link: Uinta County

Natrona County, Casper

- Dates April 27-28
- Registration link: Natrona County

Shooting Sports Development Committee Meeting

- Date February 17, 2024, Casper
- Holiday Inn East 10 am to 3 pm
- Directions from Douglas
- Directions from Riverton

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

WY State 4-H Vool & Meat Judging

KUW EXTENSION

April 19th & 20th, 2024

UW Animal Science Facilities Laramie, WY

MORE INFORMATION WILL BE RELEASED LATE JANUARY 2024.

- County Educators will register individuals and teams.
- Contact your county office with questions or if you are interested in participating.
 Wyssing 4-H

June 15 - 22, 2024

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What is CWF?

- Learn leadership and communication skills through history, democracy and our amendments.
- 🖌 Explore Washington D.C
- Connect with other young leaders

Details

- NEW this year, CWF will operate on a first come, first service basis for registration. Please register ASAP if you are interested.
- Plane tickets will be purchased on March 18th, 2024
- Estimated cost, \$2500 per person, with scholarships available.
- Open to youth 14 and older.
- Apply at http://wyoming4h.formstack.com/ forms/cwf



Registration is currently open, youth can apply at, <u>https://wyoming4h.formstack.com/forms/cwf</u>. <u>NEW this year</u> CWF will operate on a first come, first serve basis for registration, so please register ASAP if they are interested so they can guarantee their spot at CWF. Tickets will be purchasing plane tickets on March 18th, 2024.







April 19 - 24, 2024

NATIONAL 4-H CONFERENCE

Arlington, Virginia

<u>Who can Attend</u>

- Youth 15 18 years old
- Cost estimated at \$2500 per person, scholarship will be given.

Applications

- Apply at the following link by January 15th, 2024, Applications will open Mid - October 2023.
- https://wyoming4h.formst ack.com/forms/educator_ form_congress

About Conference

- Do you want to have a role in making change?
- Youth present ideas to high-ranking Government Officials.
- Youth will see D.C., meet with our Congressman and Senators.
- Meet other 4-H youth like yourself from all over the United States.

HAVE MORE QUESTIONS If there are additional questions, please visit the Opportunities section on the state 4-H website or talk with your 4-H educator.





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State Contests Workshops UW Campus Activities

Various industries will be showcase through contests and workshops.

More information to come over the next couple months, keep an eye out!

Any questions please contact your County Office.

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ROWDY RIDERS 4-H CLUB

The Rowdy Riders 4-H club met on Sunday, November 19th at the Johnson County Fairgrounds. During our meeting we reviewed the 2023 4-H year. Then we gave an introduction/overview of the year to our new families and members. We then started to review the By-Laws. Next we talked about the 4-H year ahead of us and our club goals. To end the meeting we had an election. Our next meeting is Sunday, January 14th



New Officers:

President: Molly Bennick

Vice President: Colie Rodriguez

Secretary : Elizabeth Pearson

Treasurer: Eleanor Straessler

Recreation: Ben Pearson, Henry Straessler and Casen Ordeman

Historians: Brooke Callan, Grace Callen, Grady Bates and Whitley Nicholson

Respectfully submitted,

Elizabeth Pearson



Back in May Micah Most challenge our clubs to **Grow a** Little Extra this year.

Topnotchers and **Kountry Kids** 4-H Clubs did just that. Congratulations to Topnotchers for growing & donating the most in the State. They received a cash prize of \$500.00. Kountry Kids came in 2nd and were awarded

\$300.00. We donated their produce to the Bread of Life Food Pantry here in Buffalo. GREAT JOB!

ROWDY RIDERS 4-H CLUB

The Rowdy Riders met on Sunday, January 14 at the Johnson County Fairgrounds, in the **freezing** needle craft building. Before our meeting we had a fun icebreaker. During our meeting we went over our By-Laws and changed a few things. After that we revisited our plans for our 4-H year as a club. Next we talked about livestock projects and the upcoming events. Finally we had 3 demonstrations. Ben Pearson-How to Draw a Rocket ship. Eleanor Straessler-Prep Your Lamb For Show Day. Henry Straessler-How to Pin a Bug. After our meeting we ate a meat and cheese tray.

Respectfully Submitted, Elizabeth Pearson



Left: Clover Colts "Winter Wonderland" float received 1st Place honors in the Youth Division of the 2023 Parade of Lights Christmas Parade.

STIRRUPS 4-H CLUB

The Stirrups 4H club celebrated Christmas at our December 4th meeting with a fun roll call game of "What is your elf name"; Christmas music; popcorn; and cookie decorating. Everyone had a fun time and we are looking forward to more fun times in the New Year!

Respectfully submitted,

Kiana Miller, Club Secretary

KRAZY KRITTERS 4-H CLUB

The Krazy Kritters met on Sunday December 3, 2023.

We met at Family Dollar and split into small groups to shop for Christmas stocking stuffers to donate to the Buffalo Senior Center as one of our club's community service projects.

Respectfully submitted,

Emily Duncan Krazy Kritters Reporter

CLOVER COLTS 4-H CLUB

The Clover Colts meeting was called to order December 3, 2023 at 3:05pm. First pledges were on led by Tate and Grayce Bassett. Second was roles call with the question of where did the member hang their Christmas tree sales sign (20 members present) Three new members to the Clover Colts were introduced. Tate read the treasures report from last meeting. We had the Christmas tree sales on Dec 2 Beth Campbell reported about the cutting of the trees and the sales. Dallas Hepp updated everyone on how the Christmas Parade and float went. Club discussed the Bronc strong activities and next steps to continue raising money. Next, discussions on the council meeting on Jan 8th who would like to be present for meeting. Next, topic discussed was the Kids Shop Bev Boden talked about the community service needs help and when the club could. The Clover Colts talked to the bank about getting a debit card. Next meeting is Jan 7th at 3 pm

Sincerely

Catherine Campbell

KOUNTRY KIDS 4-H CLUB

On January 15th, the Kountry Kids 4H club met for the monthly meeting. Addison Baker called the meeting to order and started the meeting with the pledges. Sara Shoup took roll call and read the Secretary's report, followed by Jace Foss giving the Treasurer's report. We listened to the 4H council's report and moved to old business where we discussed how the Kid's Shoppe went. and that the Kountry Kids won 2nd place 4-H donor for Grow A Little Extra! New business was next where we voted on our Educational and Community Service goals. We also voted on our Fun Day activity and decided on a lake day. We discussed our fundraising ideas and voted on that. We concluded our meeting with reminders and refreshments provided by the Foss and Ruby families.

Respectfully submitted by, Paislee Stevens Kountry Kids Reporter

BLUE RIBBON 4-H CLUB

On December 19th, 2023, the Blue Ribbon Club had their monthly meeting. We also did our Christmas party at this meeting. At the meeting we talked about the Beef Raffle. We sold tickets at the Learning Tree Christmas Expo and that night at Crazy Woman Square. We continued selling tickets until the drawing date on January 9, 2024. Sawyer Kolb did a presentation on bird fly zones. We also did a gift exchange and game.

At our meeting on January 9th, 2024 we talked about upcoming events and Theo and Wally Martin did a presentation on caring for meat chickens. We drew winners for our Beef Raffle. The winners were Terri Keffer (half beef), Kristi Bennick (quarter beef) and Mark Simmons (quarter beef). Thank you to everyone who bought tickets! Our next meeting will be February 13th, 2024 at 6:30 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Brayden Gay





Leaders will be texting you with startup meeting time and place soon.



Horse Project

Meetings

Will be starting in March. Watch next Clover Chatter with details.



Bryson Kolb pictured with his trophy after a successful Cow Elk Hunt. Bryson was awarded this hunt during the 2023 Johnson County Shooting Sports County Shoot. Thank you to Grizzly Outfitters for donating this hunt and opportunity. Turkey and Elk hunts have been donated again for 2024!

CLOVER COLTS 4-H CLUB

Meeting Date: Jan 7, 2024 the clover colts 4-H club meeting was called to order at 2:00 pm on January 7th 2024 by Rylie at the Johnson County Road and Bridge. Then Tera and Owen said the pledges and there were 20 members present. After that we introduced Livvy's cousin, then I read the previous minutes of the last meeting's report. After that Tate read the treasure report and we had an opening of \$400.54. Then Livvy talked about friends feeding friends for 30 min and there were snacks at the end and it was at the Cotant's office. Next, was old business and that there is a council meeting about Bronc's battle challenge at the fairgrounds (a) 6:30 pm. After that tera talked about how she gets to go on a trip to Hawaii and she has to raise \$3,200. Also, she is a gold member and they gave her 500 for being a gold member. then she gets to go to 2 different islands May 30- June 8and that she gets to see the difference between ag here and there. Last of all, we had announcements about the council meeting, beef tagging and air rifle/air pistol starts. The meeting was adjourned at 2:16 pm. Then we had a snack and had demonstrations.

Catherine Campbell, Reporter

CLOVER DONORS

(under \$25)

Sally & Wall Ramsbottom

BRONZE DONORS

(\$26-\$50)

ACE Hardware Best in Bloom Lyric Eads Lolly's Sugar Shack Nelson Engineering

SILVER DONORS

(\$51-\$100)

Bighorn Kennel Club Corner Stone Pharmacy Cotant Family Dentistry

Jolly Janes HomemakersAmanda KaufmannOccidental HotelParadise RanchNick Smith-FB InsuranceTree Mechanics

Wheeler Land & Cattle Co.

PLATINUM DONORS

(Over \$500)

ANB Bank Big Horn Outfitters Buffalo Prescription Shop Coda Glass Crazy Woman Liquors David & Susan Palmerlee Donny Peterson Memorial State Farm Insurance-Alecia Kozisek

GOLD DONORS

(\$101-\$499)

Action AutoBody & Paint Bank of Buffalo Big Horn Meat Processing

Big Horn Motel Big Horn Pediatrics

Bozeman Trail Steakhouse Buffalo Computer Consulting Buffalo Realty LLC Busy Bee Café Chesbro Electric Ed's Body & Automotive Nick Smith-Farm Bureau Ins. First Northern Bank of Wyoming Mike & Jana Fraley

Mountain Auto Supply MTR Ranch Supply Rocky Mountain Equipment

Sports Lure

Vision Center of Johnson County Wa-hoo Likkers



As you consider the next steps in your education and career path, your involvement in 4-H may help you obtain scholarships at the college or school you choose to attend. Each year the Wyoming 4-H Foundation awards thousands of dollars in scholarships to youth that will be attending a college, university, or technical school to further their education. Find out details at: <u>http://www.wyoming4h.org/4hfoundation/scholarships</u>. Just click on each scholarship to find out its specific criteria, and then use the universal application to apply. There are many available scholarships! Up to \$30,000 total for new and first-time qualified applicants! Applications are due by **February 15, 2024,** and use a resume built from your 4-H Portfolio. Remember - the best way to be awarded a scholarship is to APPLY! Please call the State Office if you have any questions. Our number is (307) 766-5170. Do not Delay - Apply Right Away!! Share this information with family, friends, and co-workers! Sincerely,

Wyoming State 4-H Foundation

JC 4-H Council Scholarship and the JC Livestock Committee applications due April 1, 2024.See JC Extension Office for applications.

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!



FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

Levi Williams(1st) KJ Thomas (2nd) Justin Sullivan (10th) Thomas Kukowski (15th) Drew Shavlik (22nd) Braxtyn Camino (2nd Thandi Ngcongo (8th) Emersyn Stone (12th) Amy Rowe (21st) Garret Light (27th) Anwen Moses (2nd) Hazen Camino (9th) Adelyn Cooley (14th) Marcus Schneck (21st) Charlie Cooley (29th)

MARCH BIRTHDAYS

Cole Johnson (1st) Orion Ostheimer (7th) Ellie Baker (12th) Kodi Boden (17th) Haley Jacob (22nd) Jeremiah Frausto (3rd) Dellana Michelena (9th) Paisley Knap (13th) Ava Lulias (18th) Henry Shoup (25th) Caylor Malson (30th)

Benjamin Pearson (4th) Cooper Hammerich (11th) Rhys Roduner (15th) Liberty Rogers (20th) Sarina Bryan (26th)



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