

UWyo Extension Year in Review 2025

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Program Areas Served

- House Draw Fire recovery
- **Livestock production & management**
- Rangeland management
- **Garden & small acreage management**
- Pesticide safety education
- Youth development



Popular Press & Media Outputs

- Local papers - 3 articles
- WY Livestock Roundup - 3 articles
- Barnyards & Backyards magazine - 2 articles
- UWyo Extension Johnson Co. social media
 - 464 Facebook followers (+105)
 - 171 Instagram followers (+42)
- UWyo Extension Johnson Co. website

Competitive Funding

- University of Wyoming Ag Experiment Station Global Perspectives Grant for educational travel. **\$8000 awarded** for New Zealand sheep industry exchange.
- Western Sustainable Agriculture Research and Education grant for support of research at community garden. **\$675 awarded** for purchase of temp/humidity sensors.
- Whole Kids Foundation pending for support of Johnson Co. 4-H Beekeeping. **\$1500 requested.**



Local Classes & Events

- **Northeast WY Rangeland Recovery Program**
- Coffee & Conversation: Supporting our ag community's mental wellness
- **Fire Recovery Fund Committee**
- Pesticide License Re/Certification
- Fruit Tree Pruning Class + Workshop
- New Zealand Global Perspectives Trip
- Beginner Canning Classes
- Kaycee Office Hours Summer 2025
- Printmaking on the Prairie with WY State Parks
- **WY Sheep and Wool Festival - 375+ attendees**
- Ask a Master Gardener booth @ Farmer's Market
- 2025 Johnson Co. Fair & Rodeo
- Wyoming Walks: Trees of Buffalo
- On-demand ranch, yard, and garden calls

Statewide Teams & Events

- **Sheep Task Force**- 500+ contacts
- Small Acreage Initiative Team
 - Barnyards & Backyards magazine
 - Harvest WY annual conference
- WY Conditions & Outlooks webinar

Key collaborators

- Johnson Co. Fair Board
- Clear Creek Conservation District
- Powder River Conservation District
- Johnson Co. Weed & Pest District
- Johnson Co. Public Library
- Natural Resource Conservation Service office
- WY State Forestry District 5 office
- Johnson Co. Fair Youth Livestock Committee
- New West High School
- Buffalo High School AgriScience Class
- CommuniTrees, LLC
- Town & Country Garden Club
- Rooted in Wyoming
- Beekeeping volunteers: Jerry Osborne, Kyle Jarvis, John Severeide

New Partners in 2025

- Wyoming State Parks
- Buffalo Chamber of Commerce
Wednesday Market
- City of Buffalo Tree Board



Priorities for 2026

1. **Cultivate community relationships and partnerships**
2. **Provide timely and relevant educational programs**
3. **Improve my knowledge and skills to better serve the community**



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