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May 2023

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Upcoming Events

May 11	Cokeville Market Sheep/Goat Tagging, 7 pm at the
	Monthly club meeting
May 12	4-H Camp Chaperone Interest Deadline
May 12	Co. Shoot (Air Pistol, Rifle & Archery) Registration Due
May 18	SV Market Sheep/Goat Weigh-in, 4 pm, Fairgrounds,
	Afton
May 19	Area Mini-Showcase Showdown Registration Deadline
May 20	Co. Shoot (Air Pistol/Rifle & Archery), Fairgrounds,
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May 31	Showcase Showdown Registration Deadline
Jun 01	Market Goat, Sheep & Swine Tagging/Ownership
	Deadline
Jun 01	Market Sheep/Goat & Swine Info & Pictures Upload
	Deadline
Jun 02	Co. Shoot (.22 Pistol/Rifle, Shotgun & Muzzleloading)
	Sign-up Due
Jun 06	SV Area Swine Clinic, 10 am, Afton Civic Ctr.
Jun 10	Co. Shoot (.22 Pistol/Rifle & Shotgun), Kemmerer
Jun 20-22	2023 Showcase Showdown, Laramie WY
Aug 02	2023 Co. Fair Online Entry Deadline
Aug 5-12	Lincoln County Fair
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Animal Ownership/Tagging Deadlines Market Beef—February 1 All Other Youth Livestock —June 1

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Online 4-H Registration https://4h.zsuite.org

<u>*Returning Families*</u> – See pages 6-7 of this newsletter.

<u>New Families</u>—contact the Ext. Office for help or instructions are on page 5 of this newsletter.

Contact Afton (885-3132) Ext. Office or Kemmerer (828-4092) Ext. Office for questions

2023

Market Sheep/Goat Weigh-in

Cokeville SV	May 11, 7 pm, @ the monthly club meeting (make sure you have the proper paperwork in the kid's name) May 18, 4:00 pm, Fairgrounds Scale				
Kemmerer	If you want to tag your animal, you can do so at that time. You must have proper paperwork. See info below. Pick up tags at the Kemmerer Ext. Office (make sure you have the proper paperwork in the kid's name)				
Form A in th	ng the required paperwork—(brand Inspection- ne kid's name for sheep, bill of sale in the kid's at and swine).				
Bill of s to get ta	copy of the Form A Brand Inspection (Sheep) or Sale (Goats) to weigh-in or the Extension Office ags. animal information and required pictures to				
THE INSTRUCTIONS TO UPLOAD ANIMAL INFORMATION AND PICTURES IS ON <u>PAGE 9</u> OF THIS NEWSLETTER & ON THE ZSUITE DASHBOARD.					
lf v	ou have questions, please contact				

Shar at 307-885-3132 or Deborah at 307-828-4092



4-H Educator's Letter...

Welcome to May! We have many exciting events and activities coming up this month. Check the 4-H section for more information on the County Shoot and sign up deadlines.

We are looking for chaperones for 4-H camp this year. Chaperones must be adults and have completed all necessary volunteer and chaperone training prior to camp at the end of June. If you are interested in becoming a chaperone for camp, contact Shar at 885-3132 or Deborah at 828-4092 by May 12.

Do not forget the Afton and Kemmerer Extension Offices have many great resources to help you with your 4-H projects. Check out a Learning Lab Kit for your livestock projects or pick up curriculum to work on your cooking, sewing, or other projects. Remember, your curriculum might need to be ordered and orders are placed when we have a decent size order, so let us know as soon as possible of your need.

Registration for this year's Mini Showcase Showdown is in ZSuite in the Events section. See more information in the column to the right. Contact the Afton or Kemmerer offices if you need assistance with registering for the mini showcase.

You must have your market goats, sheep, and swine owned and tagged by June 1. Please bring your paperwork to the Afton or Kemmerer offices to pick up your tags. (Tagging/weigh-in dates and info are on the front page of this newsletter)

Finally take a look at the state Extension website for <u>Show-case Showdown</u> information. If you are interested in attending the 2023 Showcase Showdown in Laramie, be sure to let us know.

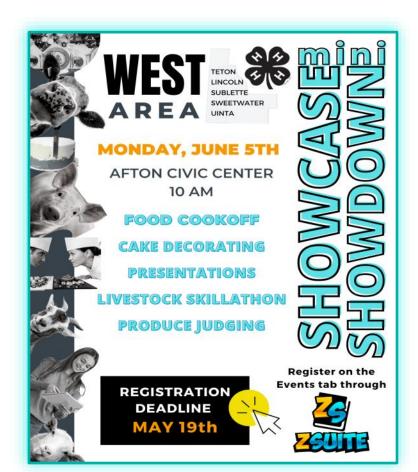
.Deborah

SV Area Swine Clinic—June 6

There will be a swine clinic on June 6, 10 am at the Afton Civic Center.

Congratulations! Colt Sotelo

Was awarded by the 4-H Foundation the J. M. Nichols Scholarship 2023



Wyatt A. Benton B. Lincoln B. Tayley C. Jacob C. Holden D. Ben D. Samuel E. Garrett F. Arielle G. Bryli G. Benjamin H.

May Birthdays!!!

Marshall H. Cayden J. Pax L. Reid L. Brenden L. Kalyn L. Brooklyn L. Chase M. Karlee M. Geneva M. McCall M. Evie O.

Tel P. Tyce P. Dominic P. Bridger P. Isabelle S. Zach W. Kabrie W.

County Shoot Dates

May 20 (Air Pistol, Air Rifle & Archery) 4-H Building, Fairgrounds, Afton May 12—Sign-up Deadline

June 10 (.22 Pistol, .22 Rifle & Shotgun, Muzzleloading) Kemmerer Gun Club June 2—Sign-up Deadline

Registration form and range rules are in this newsletter and on the ZSuite dashboard (See discipline deadlines above)

Be Respectful!

4-H is a fun family program. But during 4-H meetings & events in the Afton Civic Center, South Training Center or leaders' homes, please be respectful and do not allow <u>any</u> kids to run around the buildings/homes.

2023 Fair Changes (so far)

Date—August 5-12, 2023

<u>Theme</u> — Sewit, Growit, Showit

Fair Entry Deadline—July 1—August 2, 2023

<u>Livestock Equipment</u>—Must bring own hoses, they will not be provided.

If you have questions, please contact the Extension Office—Afton Office, 885-3132

4-H Clubs Needed to Test New Curriculum

Utah 4-H and InfiniD.io are working together to create a series of project-based camps that integrate InfiniD online missions with Experiential Learning in various 4-H project areas. We are looking for 4-H clubs and groups that would like to beta test this curriculum over the next few months. Participating programs will receive a starter kit of materials and free access to both the curricula and the InfiniD.io platform. Complete this survey if interested: <u>https://usu.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_3myyQ7f9nrdTLHE</u> <u>https://infinidlearning.com/</u> is the product website.

Grow A Little Extra

UW Extension is partnering with the Wyoming Hunger Initiative (WHI) for their Grow a Little Extra program. We would like to encourage 4-H clubs to use their *Hands to Larger Service* by growing and donating garden produce to be distributed to local food pantries and anti-hunger agencies. The Cent\$ible Nutrition Program (CNP) is offering \$500 to the club that donates the most produce. The clubs that come in second and third place will receive \$300 and \$200, respectively. Clubs can create their own garden for donations, donate from personal gardens and/or community gardens, or collect donations from neighbors.

Produce donations can be delivered to your local county Extension Office. Donations will be received through September 30, 2023. The donations will be weighed and recorded, and then delivered to a local food pantry or neighbors in need. Make sure to specify the 4H club name when donating. Tracking will be sent to the state CNP office to tally the results. Awards will be given the first part of December.

Make sure your clubs know that to get credit for their donations, they will need to connect with their local county Extension Office to coordinate produce drop off, weighing, and recording.

Please feel free to contact the CNP State Office with any questions or additional information. Cent\$ible Nutrition Program State Office, cnp-info@uwyo.edu, (307)766-5375

4-H Club News—

Divine Swine & Bovine 4-H Club

The Divine Swine & Bovine 4-H Club meet the 2nd Monday of each month. Below are some of the previous meetings' minutes.

11/14/2022 - Divine Swine & Bovine had their first meeting for the 2022-2023 4H season with a potluck dinner. We have a lot of new members so we did introductions. The kids each took turns and talked about why they want to do 4H and the adults talked about why they like having their kids do 4H. We talked about our 4H club and the expectations. We talked about setting goals. In attendance: Charly C. Wyatt C. Amber C. Jacob C. Greyson C. Emily K. Levi K. Sam L. Camilla O. Dawson P. Shaun R. Clara R. Isabelle S. Julianna S. Colt S. Danner T.

12/12/2022 - Divine Swine & Bovine met and talked about tagging steers in January. We went over the club bylaws and expectations. We had a white elephant gift exchange. The kids had fun interacting and getting to know each other a little better. In attendance: Charly C. Wyatt C. Amber C. Jacob C. Greyson C. Holden D. Hadlee F. Presley F. Ben H. Emily K. Levi K. Sam L. Camilla O. Dawson P. Paxton P. Shaun R. Clara R. Isabelle S. Julianna S. Colt S. Wyatt S. Danner T.

1/19/2023 - Divine Swine & Bovine reviewed the bylaws and held club elections. We talked about the various duties. Animal care and nutrition were taught. In attendance: Charly C. Wyatt C. Amber C. Jacob C. Kimberly C. Greyson C. Holden D. Hadlee F. Presley F. Reagan F. Ben H. Hyrum H. Emily K. Levi K. Sam L. Camilla O. Dawson P. Paxton P. Shaun R. Clara R. Isabelle S. Julianna S. Colt S. Wyatt S. Danner T.

2/13/2023 - Divine Swine & Bovine helped with the Shriner's dinner this past Saturday. This meeting we had dinner. For education we split into two groups. The pig group talked about pig selection criteria - breeds, structure, feed and nutrition. The beef group went over feed, nutrition, diet and had a question answer time. In attendance: Charly C. Wyatt C. Amber C Jacob C. Greyson C. Holden D. Ben H. Hyrum H. Emily K. Levi K. Sam L. Camilla O. Dawson P. Paxton P. Shaun R. Clara R. Wyatt S. Danner T.

3/13/2023 - Divine Swine & Bovine - We talked about the importance of Quality Assurance. Dawson P taught Character Counts on Citizenship. We talked about the club helping at the RMEF in May. The pig people talked about preparing a place for their pigs. We talked about building a bond with your animal and putting the time and work in. We also talked about feed. We reminded people to be taking pictures for their books. In attendance: Charly C. Wyatt C. Amber C. Jacob C. Kimberly C. Greyson C. Holden D. Ben H. Hyrum H. Emily K. Levi K. Sam L. Camilla O. Dawson P. Paxton P. Shaun R. Clara R. Isabelle S. Julianna S. Colt S. Wyatt S.

4/10/2023 - Talked about how the animals are doing and asked various questions. Character Counts - Danner T. taught the group about Respect. Greyson C. taught about Responsibility. We divided into two groups and talked about parts of a pig and parts of a beef. In attendance: Charly C. Wyatt C. Amber C. Jacob C. Greyson C. Holden D. Ben H. Hyrum H. Emily K. Levi K. Camilla O. Dawson P. Paxton P. Shaun R. Clara R. Isabelle S. Julianna S. Colt S. Wyatt S. Danner T.

Dynamite Dogs 4-H Club

The Dynamite Dogs 4-H Club will meet every Monday at 6 pm in the 4-H building.

Hamsfork Hands 4-H Club

The Hamsfork Hands 4-H Club will be meeting on 1st Monday of every month, 6:15 pm at Training & Events Ctr..

Lucky Clover 4-H Club

The Lucky Clover 4-H Club meet on the 3rd Wednesday, each month at 6 pm at the Afton Civic Center.

Muckin Mavericks 4-H Club

The Muckin Mavericks 4-H Club meet on 2nd Tuesday, each month at 6 pm. Check with your leaders regarding location.

Nocked & Loaded 4-H Club

The Nocked & Loaded 4-H Club will meet the 2nd and 4th Thursdays at 7 pm, location TBD.

Wyoming State/Regional

Events & News

(More information online at: http://www.uwyo.edu/4-h/)

Citizen Washington Focus—will be held June 10-16, 2023. Experience Washington D.C and connect with other young leaders while getting hands on experience to become representatives of change. Estimated cost is \$2250 per person, with scholarships available. Open to youth 14 and Older. Visit the Opportunities section on the state 4-H website for more detail or contact your County Educator with any questions. Registration has closed.

Showcase Showdown— June 20–22, 2023, University of Wyoming in Laramie. Cost is \$40 per participant. Reminder that registration will open April 17th and close May 31st at midnight. <u>http://www.uwyo.edu/4-h/opportunities/state-contests/showcase-showdown/registration.html</u>. The registration link will be on the site shortly.

Updated Food Cook Off Rules and guidelines....there are some new twists so PLEASE read the rules with your members



State Shoot—July 6-9, 2023 in Douglas, WY

State Fair—August 12-19, Douglas W. NEW for 2023, the Wyoming State Fair will be drug testing Swine, Beef, Goats and Sheep. For these market species, drug testing will be mandatory for the Grand Champion and Reserve Champion award winners and two randomly selected market animals from each species. More information to follow. WSF Drug Declaration form is at the end of the 4-H section of this newsletter.

Got a who, what, when, where, or why question about the Wyoming State Fair? Get your questions answered! Wyoming 4-H is hosting two nights with WSF Director, Courtny Conkle, where you can ask questions and get answers. At 6:00 pm on Tuesday, May 9th and Tuesday, June 6th, 4-H members, parents, and volunteers are invited to participate via Zoom. If you've competed at the Wyoming State Fair in the past, or are considering attending, here's a chance to chat about the 2023 Wyoming State Fair and what to expect. Join us online at https://uwyo.zoom.us/my/jdespain.

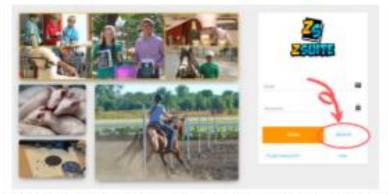
National 4-H Congress—November 24-28, 2023 in Atlanta, Georgia. This is for youth ages 14 (as of January 1) or older. A chance for youth to expand their skills, engage with other 4-H members, and be inspired to make an impact in your club, community, county and world. Apply by September 1st, 2023 online. More information at http://www.uwyo.edu/4-h/opportunities/travel.html

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).

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- 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

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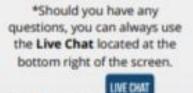
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- 4. Don't forget to add a club! Click
- 5. You will also need to select projects for each club by clicking then selecting a project from the drop down menu
- 5. Finish by clicking

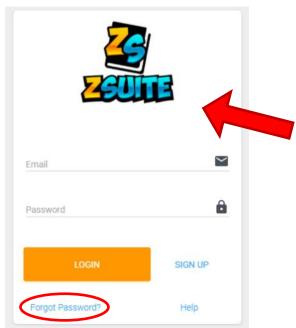
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Returning Member Enrollment

Yearly Re-enrollment of Family Members

Enrollment must be done <u>annually</u> to stay active in 4-H.

- Go to <u>https://4h.zsuite.org/</u> (open in Google Chrome, not Internet Explorer). You will see a screen like this. (if not, press CTRL & F5).
- 2. Use the same email and password you used to sign up for zsuite.
- 3. Click LOGIN

- if you forgot your password, click the **Forgot Pass-word?** And you will be prompted to enter another password.

- 4. You MUST be signed in as the PRIMARY account to enroll members.
- Once you log into your PRIMARY account, you will see a list of all the household members and their current enrollment status. - Note the background color—Red signifies inactive profiles , while green signifies a member is currently enrolled. (NOTE: Each year, all profiles are made inactive.)
- Click the picture besides the member you want to update. You can easily update inactive profiles by clicking
- 7. This will take you to the enrollment wizard form.
- Complete all information. (NOTE: Required fields will have an asterisk * behind it. The system will not go to the next section until all required fields are completed.)
- 8. If you need to leave, prior to finishing your enrollment, click the 'SAVE FOR LATER' link at the bottom right of the form so you will not have to re-enter the data you've already completed.
- 9. Click at the bottom of the **Personal Information** section to go to the **Waivers** section. Click the Next button to go to the **Clubs** section

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- 10. The 'CLUBS' section allows you to choose the clubs you'll be participating in for the year. You can choose more than one club, if desired, by selecting a club from the drop down menu and then clicking the orange **ADD CLUB** button. The clubs appear in their own box. NOTE: Do not click the "X" in the upper right hand of the club box unless you are not participating in that club.
- 11. You can add projects by clicking the green ADDPROJECT button and selecting it from the dropdown menu.
- 12. You can delete projects by clicking the "x" next to the project you want deleted.
- 13. When done adding clubs and projects, click the ADD TO CART button.
- 14. If your county has an enrollment fee, you will handle this on the 'CHECKOUT' tab. Any payment methods chosen by your state will appear as options on the page. If your state does not have an enrollment fee, simply click the '**SUBMIT**' button to submit your enrollment.
- 15. Once your enrollment is completed, your county administrators will be contacted regarding your enrollment. Your enrollment will be in a 'Pending Approval' state until approval from your county staff.
- 16. Once you're approved, your status will change to 'Active'.

Please log into your zSuite account weekly to check for announcements from your county and club leaders.

If you have questions, please contact us

Shar Perry, Afton Extension Office, 307-885-3132

WSF DRUG DECLARATION FORM

Exhibitor Name_____

Circle Species: BEEF SHEEP SWINE GOATS

(If exhibitor is under 18 yrs. of age)

Animal Tag #____

_____ Animal Name_____

Complete history of ALL approved medication, drug, chemical substance, or feed additive given to animal(s) after the ownership deadlines.

TREATMENT	AMOUNT
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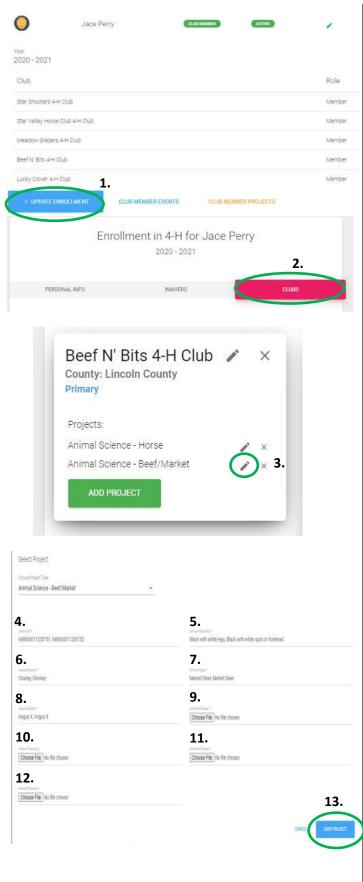
ONE FORM PER MARKET ANIMAL

PLEASE BRING THIS FORM TO THE EXHIBITOR OFFICE BY NOON ON 8/15/2023

We, the undersigned, further certify that the market animal listed above has not received any non- approved medication, drug, chemical substance, or feed additive and that we have adhered to the withdrawal time required for all approved drugs or medications.

Owner / Exhibitor Signature	Date	Print Name Owner/Exhibitor
Parent or Guardian Signature	Date	Print Name Parent or Guardian

ZSuite Animal Information Upload Instructions



- Once you are logged into ZSuite <u>primary</u> profile at: https://4h.zsuite.org, select the family member who has the project and click the UPDATE ENROLLMENT button.
- 2. Select **CLUBS** at the top right of the page.
- 3. To enter the animal information, select the gray pencil to the right of the Breeding/Market project listed in the club box. NOTE: If you have two animals, please put a comma between their information on each of the lines
- 4. Enter the 15 digit number in the Animal Id line.
- 5. Enter the animal's description on the Animal Identifier line.
- Enter the animal's name (IF you don't have a name, put N/ A. Also for the Floater animal, put FLOATER in the name field.
- 7. On the **Animal Type** line enter whether they are market or breeding and then the gender.
- 8. Enter animal's breed on the Animal Breed line.
- Animal Picture 1—upload the picture of the tag in the animal's ear.
- 10. Animal Picture 2—upload the picture of the full body of the animal.
- Animal Picture 3—upload the second animal's ear tag picture (if there is only one animal, you can upload the same picture as you did in Animal 1).
- Animal Picture 4—upload the second animal's full body picture (if there is only one animal, you can upload the same picture as you did in Animal 2). NOTE: All 4 picture areas must contain a picture.
- 13. Select the blue SAVE PROJECT button
- 14. Press the SUBMIT button at the bottom of the Clubs page to save it to your profile. These click OK.

**** For Family Floater Animal — animals purchased as an extra in case someone in the family has one that dies these can be transferred to another family member later ONLY if they are designated as a floater at the time of tagging. Please write the word FLOATER in the Animal Name field. The floater must be assigned to the family member whose name is on the bill of sale and/or Form A.

4-H <u>COUNTY SHOOT</u> Registration Form Complete and return to your local County Extension Office for entry into the event FORM DUE BY: May 12, 2023 (Air Pistol, Air Rifle & Archery) June 2, 2023 (.22 Pistol, .22 Rifle, Shotgun & Muzzleloading)

Name:	County:_		
Age (As of Jan. 1) □	Jr. (8-10)	Int. (11-13) 🛛 Sr. (14	l/up)
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NOTE: Leaders will have to center select below. If your leader doe			
DISCIPLINES	Select all that a	apply	
.22 Pistol			
Air Pistol			
Shotgun			
Muzzleloader (check only one)	Traditional	Non-Traditional	
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Air Rifle (check only one)	□ Sporter	Light Target	Precision
Archery (check only one)	Class A: Lor	ng Bow & Recurve	
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Bring your own lunch.

Read and sign the range rules on the next page. Bring registration, range rules, and associated County Shoot fees to either Extension Office.

DO YOU PLAN TO PARTICIPATE IN THE STATE SHOOT? *

If so, please read your newsletter and complete state shoot registration form. There will be fees associated with some of the classes, lodging, and apparel. You are not registered for State Shoot until your registration form <u>and payment</u> has been received by the Extension Office.

NOTE: <u>All costs</u> will be the responsibility of the 4-H member and parents. Please make your checks payable to: **Lincoln County 4-H.**

STATE SHOOT DEADLINE: County Shoot Day

* If you want to participate on a team at the State Shoot, you must qualify at the County Shoot.

County Shoot Range Rules

- 1. Safety is a primary concern. Any violation of safe shooting will be grounds for participant disqualification. Shooter will follow the rules below:
 - a. Muzzle must be in a safe direction at all times
 - b. Action always open
 - c. Finger off trigger until ready to shoot
 - d. All firearms are considered loaded at all times.
- 2. Everyone in attendance will abide by the 3 R's Respect, Restraint, Responsibility
- 3. Only certified leaders on the firing line
- 4. Absolutely no one on berms/areas between ranges. Non-participating children must be attended by an adult AT ALL TIMES.
- 5. Parents and spectators must remain a safe distance from youth participants while competing.
- 6. Coaching youth who are on the firing line is not allowed.
- 7. Anyone can call a cease-fire at any time, for any unsafe condition.
- 8. Contestants are responsible for providing their own eye and hearing protection when required.
- 9. Shooters are responsible to provide their own ammunition/arrows for each discipline.
- 10. Each discipline has unique requirements and procedures. Parents and shooters are responsible for knowing the range rules and safety conditions for the discipline they participate in. Shooters will be familiar with the firearm they are using.
- 11. No food or drinks are allowed on the firing line.

Required Equipment/Procedures

- Shotgun
 - Or Hearing and Eye protection is required
 - ◊ Shell pouch or vest
 - ◊ At the beginning of each relay, squad leaders will ask if the squad is ready, then call for a clay to begin.
 - ◊ Clays will cost \$4.00 per round of 25 will be determined at a later date and due with pre-registration. Clays used during practice are not included in this cost. Practice rounds will need to be paid for the day of county shoot. *This cost is subject to change year to year based on current prices.*
 - \Diamond Firearms will be cased when brought to the firing line.
- Archery
 - \diamond Eye/Hearing protection is <u>not</u> required
 - Each contestant must have a quiver. Arm guards are recommended. All equipment is the responsibility of the shooter to provide.
 - \Diamond Firearms will be cased when brought to the firing line.
- Muzzleloader
 - \diamond Eye and Hearing protection is required
 - \Diamond Shooters will swab bore before reloading each shot
 - ◊ Powder measurer must be used no loading directly from powder horn or flask.
 - \Diamond Firearms will be cased when brought to the firing line.
- .22 Rifle and Pistol
 - \Diamond Hearing and Eye protection is required
 - \Diamond Rifles must be loaded one shot at a time.
 - \Diamond Firearms will be cased when brought to the firing line.
- Air Rifle and Pistol
 - \diamond Eye protection is required
 - \Diamond Rifles and Pistols must be loaded one pellet at a time
 - \Diamond Firearms will be cased when brought to the firing line.

4-H Member Signature____

Parent Signature



What is responsibility?

Responsibility is proving you can be trusted with what is expected of you.



Character Counts! Responsibility

Responsible people can always be depended on to do the right thing even when the right thing is the hard thing to do.

To Practice Responsibility:

- Keep deadlines
- Clean up after yourself
- Do your best
- Think about what will happen if you say or do what you want to say or do
- Think before you act
- Think how your actions will affect others



4-H activity to show responsibility

Roll Call Suggestions:

- Describe a time when you saw someone being responsible. What were they doing?
- Name one way you can show you are responsible in your family.
- Name one way you could be responsible at school.

Activity during the meeting:

- Make assignment cards for jobs to be done during and after the meeting. Let children draw cards from a bag and complete the assignments.
- Create a mural by letting the children draw pictures of themselves being responsible.

Clover Connection

Head: Set realistic goals

Heart: Be rational, act out of reason, not anger

Hands: Work hard. Be disciplined with your time and money

Health: Make good decisions about food, drink, and exercise...even when no one is watching.

May



Cent\$ible Nutrition Program Helping Families Eat Better for Less

Cent\$ible Nutrition Program -

Kemmerer Area - Next series of classes will be starting in January. The classes will be fun hands-on classes about food and nutrition, food safety, the new MyPlate guide, and other food topics. The class is hands-on cooking with a great cookbook. The class is free to those who qualify. If you are interested in participating in a class or have any questions, please contact **Beth Barker at the Uinta Co. Extension Office at 307-783-0570.**

<u>SV Area</u> - If you are interested or would like more information about the CNP program, please contact **the State Cent\$ible Nutrition program at 307-766-5375.** Each class has hands-on activities and you will make a recipe from the CNP cookbook.

Lactose Intolerance vs. Milk Allergy

Do you experience abdominal cramps, bloating, nausea, gas, or diarrhea about 30 minutes to two hours after consuming a food or drink that contains milk or milk products? Well, it could be that you're lactose intolerant. Lactose is a natural sugar found in dairy and dairy products. Lactose intolerance is when your small intestine doesn't make enough of a digestive enzyme called lactase, so your body can't break down or digest lactose which causes those unfavorable symptoms. If you think you may be lactose intolerant talk with your doctor as they can run tests to check for lactose intolerance.

Being lactose intolerant is not the same thing as having a milk allergy. A lactose intolerance does not involve the immune system, whereas a milk allergy does. A milk allergy happens when your immune system overreacts to a specific protein in dairy products. Milk allergy symptoms can range from mild such as rashes, hives, itching, and swelling, to severe with trouble breathing, wheezing, and/or loss of consciousness. A milk allergy can be potentially life-threatening.

Causes

A lactose intolerance can occur in both children and adults and has been found to be hereditary. Lactose intolerance may start during the teen or adult years, in these cases, over time a person's body starts to make less lactase. But that's not only the cause of lactose intolerance, certain health conditions and treatments may lead to lactose intolerance as the result of intestinal damage. For example, celiac disease, some types of cancer treatment, and gastrointestinal surgery. As someone recovers, they may be able to resume consumption of foods and drinks that contain lactose. Some babies who are born prematurely may not be able to make enough lactase, but they often grow out of this. In rare cases, infants are born with an inability to make any lactase at all. Lactose intolerance is most common in Asian Americans, African Americans, Mexican Americans, and Native Americans.

Management

Being lactose intolerant doesn't mean that you have to cut out all dairy products. In fact, it's important that you don't cut out dairy altogether because dairy products contain important nutrients that can help prevent nutrient deficiencies such as calcium, protein, B vitamins, potassium, and vitamins A and D. It's important to try different dairy foods and see which ones cause fewer symptoms, to ensure you're not restricting yourself from foods you can continue to enjoy. It's more common to see lactose-free dairy options at the store now more than ever as well. For example, there is lactose-free cow's milk, which is a good alternative to regular cows' milk as it has



all the same nutrients, just with added lactase to help your body digest it.

When talking with your doctor you can also discuss the option of a lactase pill or lactase drops which you would take when consuming milk products. Certain dairy products are naturally lower in lactose, such as hard cheese, and Greek yogurt. You may find that you can tolerate a certain amount of lactose and don't need to completely avoid it. Give this lactose-reduced smoothie a try below, which is packed with nutrients!

Lactose Reduced Smoothie

Yield: 2 cups

Ingredients:

- 1 banana (fresh or frozen)
- 1 cup frozen fruit (berries, pineapple, mango, etc.)
- ¹/₂ cup lactose-free low-fat milk
- 1/2 cup Greek yogurt, honey, or vanilla
- ¹/₂ cup fresh spinach leaves

Instructions:

- 1. Wash hands with warm water and soap.
- 2. Measure ingredients and place in blender.
- 3. Blend until smooth and enjoy!

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Sources:

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	1 Hamsfork Hands 4-H Mtg, 6:15 pm, SLTC Dynamite 4-H Dogs Club Meeting, 4-H Bldg., 6 pm	2	3	4	5	6
7	8 Dynamite 4-H Dogs Club Meeting, 4-H Bldg., 6 pm	9 Muckin Mavericks 4- H Meeting, 6 pm	10	11 SV Cloverbuds Activi- ty, 4:30 pm, Afton Civic Center Kem Robotics, 4 pm, SLTC Nocked & Loaded 4- H Meeting, 7 pm, 4- H Exhibit Building	12 Co. Shoot Sign-up Deadline for Air Pistol, Air Rifle & Archery	13
14	15 Dynamite 4-H Dogs Club Meeting, 4-H Bldg., 6 pm	16 Hamsfork Hands Gardening mtg., 4 pm, Comm. Green- house	17 Lucky Clover 4-H Meeting, 6 pm, Afton Civic Ctr.	18 Kem Robotics, 4 pm, SLTC	19	20 Co. Shoot for Air Pistol, Air Rifle & Archery, 4-H Bldg., Afton Fairgrounds
21	22 Dynamite 4-H Dogs Club Meeting, 4-H Bldg., 6 pm	23 Kem Ext. Office Closed for Training	24 Kem Ext. Office Closed for Training	25 Kem Ext. Office Closed for Training Nocked & Loaded 4- H Meeting, 7 pm, 4- H Exhibit Building	26	27
28	29 Memorial Day Holi- day, Extension Offic- es Closed	30	31 Showcase Show- down Registration Deadline			



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