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Date to Remember!

February 15

4-H News Submission Deadline



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The FYI Spot

The 2016-2017 4-H year began on October 1, 2016. It's now re-enrollment time if you plan to continue on with your 4-H projects. The 4-H re-enrollment deadline is December 30, 2016. If you plan to take any livestock or small animal 4-H projects in 2017, you **MUST** be re-enrolled by this deadline. New 4-H enrollments will be taken until June 1, 2017.

If you missed the 4-H Awards Banquet in November, please stop by the Extension Office and pick up your project sheets/record books and any pins you might have received.

January 16, 2017 is a holiday and the Extension Office will be closed.

4-H market beef tagging takes place from February 1 to March 1. If you are signed up to take a 4-H market beef project, you will receive your declaration information in the mail and via email towards the end of January. 4-H market beef declaration paperwork is due back to the Extension Office by 5 p.m. on March 1, 2017.

February 20, 2017 is a holiday and the Extension Office will be closed.

There will be a Show and Sale meeting on March 8, 2017 in the Video Room at 5:30 p.m.

Remember...if you haven't re-enrolled in 4-H for 2017, please do so as soon as possible or you will miss receiving important information, dates and deadlines concerning 4-H market projects, breeding projects and club information.



Important Reminders

For updated calendar information please visit:

<http://www.unce.unr.edu/cgi-bin/calendar.pl?calendar=Humboldt>

Please add bartons@unce.unr.edu to your safe email list if you are receiving your newsletters via email.

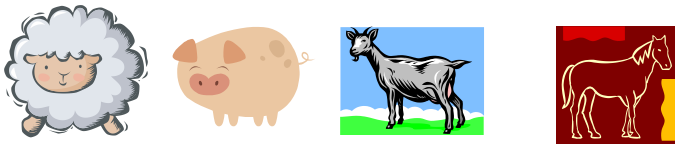
The Humboldt County 4-H Program has a Facebook page. Remember to click "Like" and check receive notifications so you can keep up to date on all the happenings with 4-H in Humboldt County!

<http://www.facebook.com/#!/HumboldtCountyNevada4H>

All newsletters are now available via email (if you provide one on your enrollment form), available through a link on the Humboldt County Nevada 4-H Facebook page and available on the Humboldt County 4-H page via the State 4-H website. <http://www.unce.unr.edu/4H/counties/humboldt/> Hardcopies of the newsletter will still be available at the Extension Office if you would like to stop by and pick one up.

Attention Leaders:

If you are planning on holding meetings at the Extension Office or in the 4-H Barn, please take a few minutes to write down your dates and give us a call to verify you will have meeting space, otherwise you may wind up outside. ALSO – contact the Extension Office and your youth if you cancel a meeting so we do not have children being dropped off and left unattended.



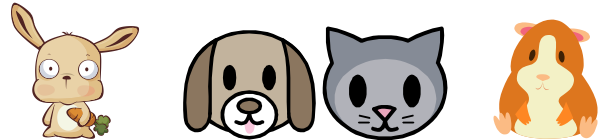
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Holiday, Extension Office closed.

February 1 – March 1:
4-H market beef tagging takes place.

February 20:
Holiday, Extension Office closed.

March 1
4-H market beef declarations due to the Extension Office by 5:00 p.m.

March 8:
Show and Sale meeting, 5:30 p.m., Video Room.



"Volunteers do not necessarily have the time; they have the heart" ~ Elizabeth Andrews

County News

Reminder to 4-H Clubs:

If your club is holding club meetings at the Extension Office and providing snacks/food at these meetings, you must also provide your own plates, cups, napkins, etc. Also, please remember to sweep up the floor in the 4-H Kitchen/Exhibit Hall if food gets dropped/spilled and if you are using the Video Room or Meeting Room, please use the vacuum in the storage area to clean up any messes. Thank you for your due diligence in keeping the 4-H rooms/facility spiffy!

2016-2017 4-H Year:

The 2016-2017 4-H year began on October 1, 2016. It's time to get those re-enrollments completed. You must re-enroll (4-H youth and leaders, yearly) if you plan to continue on with your 4-H projects or leading a 4-H club/project. The re-enrollment deadline was December 30, 2016. If you missed the deadline, please take a moment now to fill out those forms and get them back to the 4-H office. If you plan to take any livestock or small animal 4-H projects, you **MUST** have a current 2016-2017 enrollments turned in. New 4-H enrollments (for new to 4-H youth only) will be taken until June 1, 2017. So remember...get those re-enrollments done and turned into the 4-H office or you might miss out on receiving important information as it comes out or 4-H market/breeding project forms as they are emailed/mailed out. If you are not in the computer system, you will miss out. 4-H enrollment forms are available at the Extension Office, online or by email.

Child Abuse Recognition and Reporting Workshop:

There will be a Child Abuse Recognition and Reporting Workshop held on February 16, 2017 from 6 – 9 p.m. via

interactive video at the Humboldt County Extension Office. All new 4-H volunteers and current 4-H volunteers are encouraged to take this live, in depth training. All 4-H volunteers are required to complete the self-study guide when you sign up, but this workshop is hands-on and goes into more detail. At some point in the future this will be a required training for all 4-H volunteers. Please consider taking this opportunity to attend this training on February 16, 2017. Please send an email to bartons@unce.unr.edu by February 3 if you plan to attend this training.

Year End 4-H Awards for 2015-2016:

The 2016 4-H Awards Night was held on November 18, 2016 at the Extension Office in the 4-H Meeting Room. We would like to thank the 2015-2016 4-H Ambassadors, Diamond Castillo, Kerstin Christiansen, Makayla Leveille and Conscious Stettler for doing an outstanding job of hosting the evening. The following 4-H leaders and members received recognition: **County Ambassadors:** Diamond Castillo, Kerstin Christiansen and Conscious Stettler. **Junior Ambassador:** Makayla Leveille. **Junior Leaders: First Year:** Lilly Pasquale. **Teen Leader: Fourth Year:** Diamond Castillo. **Star Rank: White Star:** Marquette Cassinelli, Tristan Cassinelli, Cooper Hill, Paul Kleintjes-Hathaway, Bailey Raabe, Nathan Stettler and Rylee Wilkinson. **Red Star:** MattieRose Johnson. **All Star:** Diamond Castillo. **Horse Levels: Level One:** Mackenzie Fears, Sierra Fears, Cooper Hill and MaKenzie Voges. **Level Two:** MaKenzie Voges. **Rabbit Levels: Level One:** Marquette Cassinelli, Kadence Cooney, Bailey Raabe and Nathan Stettler. **Record Book Medals: Junior Books: Gold: MattieRose Johnson* Silver:** Marquette Cassinelli and Cooper Hill. **Bronze:** Isabella Bartell, Savannah Foley and Rylee Wilkinson. **Intermediates: Gold: Bailey Raabe* Silver:** Tristan Cassinelli and Paul Kleintjes-Hathaway. **Senior: Gold: Makayla Leveille***, Diamond Castillo, Layton Johnson and Lane Johnson. **Leader Year Certificates: 1st Year:** Rachel Bourbon, Becky Hill, Josh Cassinelli, Lacy Thompson, Amanda Tollefsrud and Kari Randle. **2nd Year:** Kenni Brock, Debbie Kliwer, Shelley Leveille, Maite Hernandez and Stacy Voges. **3rd Year:** Kevin Pasquale and Megan Barton. **4th Year:** Belle Bundy and Kelly Draper. **5th Year:** Cathy Castillo and Dawn Christiansen. **7th Year:** Dennis Deputy, Will Hall and Buck Johnson. **8th Year:** John Bell, Cheryl Hall, Jennifer Partee, Ken Smith and Maureen Smith. **9th Year:** Jhona Bell. **11th Year:** Kim Creedon, Barbara Duncan and Ed Partee. **12th Year:** Ginger Odekirk. **19th Year:** Randi Fretwell and Judy Henigin. **20th Year:** Jody Vesco. **22nd Year:** Glenda Deputy and Janet Johnson. **23rd Year:** Lorna Odekirk. **27th Year:** Beth Thompson. **2016 4-H Leader of the Year: Becky Hill. Cloverbud Certificates:** Ayden Angus, Cordellia Campbell, Mylee Cheney, Echo Curtis, Rhythm Curtis, Brie Douglas, Gage Fryendall, Jace Fryendall, Tryp Hall, Carson Hayes, Taylor Hill, Gage Samms, Trysten Teichert, AnaNoel Thursh, Thomas Voges, Malachi Walter and Lennox Zebroski. **Youth Membership: 1st Year:** Alexandra Barocio, Belen

Barocio, Isabella Bartell, Exavier Ceballos, Nerio Ceballos, Miranda Draper, Edgar Duarte, Mackenzie Fears, Sierra Fears, Quinn Garrett, Paul Kleintjes-Hathaway, Cooper Hill, Dominic Jensen, Anjolie Karrer, Cassandra Keinholtz, Melene Nye, Bailey Peterson, James Putvain, Bailey Raabe, Ryleigh Raabe, Kenny Robinson, JayLynn Smith, Zachary Sparks, Hannah Thompson, Cassidy Vincent. **2nd Year:** Trinetey Bachman, Ella Bidaurreta, Martin Bidaurreta, Bryce Brinkerhoff, Mesa Brock, Dante Cassinelli, Marquette Cassinelli, Kadence Cooney, Calysto Coulter, Savannah Foley, Mia Hernandez, MattieRose Johnson, Nathan Stettler and Rylee Wilkinson. **3rd Year:** Alison Aitken, Damon Aitken, Brenton Baker, Peyton Jo Cassinelli, Tristan Cassinelli, Amanda Draper, Gus Ferraro, Wade Mori, Caden Montero, Timothy Patchen, MaKenzie Voges and Ava Zebroski. **4th Year:** Glen Bourbon, Macy Munroe, Mathew Pierce, Patrick Pierce and Colton Vincent. **5th Year:** Dacotah Anelli, Bailee Brinkerhoff, Luis Duarte, Brett Ferraro, Emma Fretwell, Sarah Johnsen, Makayla Leveille and Isaac Mori. **6th Year:** Cade Bell, Hunter Christiansen, Danyelle Draper, Mateo Hernandez, Layton Johnson and Lily Pasquale. **7th Year:** Kerstin Christiansen, Heath Hall, Heather Hall and Conscious Stettler. **8th Year:** Quint Bell, Emilio Duarte, Seth Duncan and Eric Venzor. **9th Year:** Diamond Castillo, Paige Fretwell, Brittany Partee and Shauna Smith. **10th Year:** Trase Bell, Hayley Hall and Lane Johnson. **11th Year:** Sarah Smith. **4-H Spirit of Excellence Member Award 2016: Danyelle Draper and Conscious Stettler. County Awards: Beef:** Alison Aitken, Trinetey Bachman, Isabella Bartell and Edgar Duarte. **Cavy:** Conscious Stettler. **Crafts:** Diamond Castillo and Savannah Foley. **Dogs:** Emma Fretwell. **Drawing & Painting:** Conscious Stettler and Layton Johnson. **Food Preservation:** Emma Fretwell, Paige Fretwell, MattieRose Johnson, Timothy Patchen, Mathew Pierce and Patrick Pierce. **Foods:** Savannah Foley and Nathan Stettler. **Goats:** Martin Bidaurreta, Diamond Castillo, Kerstin Christiansen, Cooper Hill, Makayla Leveille and MaKenzie Voges. **Horse:** Makenzie Fears, Sierra Fears and Conscious Stettler. **Leather Craft:** Timothy Patchen, Mathew Pierce, Patrick Pierce. **Legos:** Savannah Foley and James Putvain. **Livestock Judging:** Hunter Christiansen, Kerstin Christiansen and Cooper Hill. **Photography:** MattieRose Johnson. **Poultry:** Ella Bidaurreta, Mia Hernandez, Anjolie Karrer and Melene Nye. **Rabbits:** Marquette Cassinelli and Bailey Raabe. **Sheep:** Alison Aitken, Mesa Brock, Bailee Brinkerhoff, Bryce Brinkerhoff, Amanda Draper, Danyelle Draper, Savannah Foley and Paul Kleintjes-Hathaway. **Shooting Sports:** Martin Bidaurreta, Emilio Duarte, Luis Duarte, Brett Ferraro, Gus Ferraro, Heath Hall, Heather Hall and Lily Pasquale. **Skillathon/Quiz Bowl:** Hunter Christiansen and Kerstin Christiansen. **Swine:** Brenton Baker, Glen Bourbon, Dante Cassinelli, Marquette Cassinelli, Tristan Cassinelli, Colton Vincent and Ava Zebroski.

Club News

PWH Lego Club:

The first meeting of the PWH Lego Club for the 2017 4-H year will take place on January 17, 2017 at 3:30 p.m. in the 4-H Exhibit Hall.

Oven Warriors:

The Oven Warriors met on November 22, 2016 in the 4-H Kitchen at the Extension Office. We read new recipes and did some paperwork. We made homemade granola bars for our cooking activity. Members present were Nate Stettler, Conscious Stettler, Rhythm Brady, Amaia Brady and Savannah Foley. Submitted by Conscious Stettler.

The Oven Warriors met on December 13, 2016 in the 4-H Kitchen at the Extension Office. We made ginger cookies and worked on our project sheets. Members present were Conscious Stettler, Nate Stettler, Rhythm Brady and Amaia Brady. Submitted by Conscious Stettler.

Dust Bunnies:

The Dust Bunnies met on November 1, 2016 in the 4-H Kitchen at the Extension Office. The pledges were led by Marquette and Ava. We did introductions of members and new members. We discussed what we want to do and learn for the new 4-H year. Some things that everyone wants to work on is showmanship improvement, brushing up on rabbit parts and learning about the proper grooming tools for different breeds of rabbits. We talked about community service ideas. The Festival of Trees takes place at the end of November and the club decided to take part in it. We will talk about a theme for the tree we donate at the November 15th meeting. We also discussed NJLS which will take place in May 2017. Members present were Ava Zebroski, Marquette Cassinelli, Ira Dempsey, Conscious Stettler and Nathan Stettler. Submitted by Conscious Stettler.

The Dust Bunnies met on November 15, 2016 in the 4-H Kitchen at the Extension Office. The pledges were led by Nate and Marquette. We voted on a theme for our tree for the Festival of Trees. The club will decorate and donate a Mad Hatter tree for the event. We worked on a rabbit parts worksheet and discussed the importance of knowing the correct names for parts of a rabbit. We decided to change the meeting times from 3:30 to 4:00 p.m. as that will make it easier for everyone to attend the meetings. We will elect officers in January. Members present were Ava Zebroski, Marquette Cassinelli, Ryleigh Raabe, Ira Dempsey, Nathan Stettler and Conscious Stettler. Submitted by Marquette Cassinelli

The Dust Bunnies met on November 25, 2016 at the East Hall of the Convention Center to decorate our tree for the Festival of Trees. We had a lot of fun! Members

present were Bailey Raabe, Ryleigh Raabe, Ava Zebroski, Marquette Cassinelli, Lincoln and Ira Dempsey and Kadence Cooney.

The Dust Bunnies met on December 6, 2016 in the 4-H Kitchen at the Extension Office. We learned about rabbit terms, weather conditions that affect rabbits and rabbit selection and handling. We worked on our project sheets. We found out that our tree at the Festival of Trees won 3rd place for the people's choice award. Our tree sold for a good price and we were proud of what we accomplished. Members present were Ava Zebroski, Marquette Cassinelli, Ryleigh Raabe and Ira Dempsey. Submitted by Ava Zebroski

The Dust Bunnies met on December 20, 2016 in the 4-H Kitchen at the Extension Office. We had a Christmas party with snacks and drinks. We were given our See's Candy fundraising packets as well. Members present were Ryleigh Raabe, Marquette Cassinelli, Ira Dempsey, Kadence Cooney and Ava Zebroski.



State News

Night with the Reno Big Horns:



4-H night with the Reno Big Horns will take place on January 27, 2017 in Reno at the Reno Events Center. The game will begin at 7 p.m. Tickets will be available through the State 4-H Office beginning January 9, 2017. If you are interested in purchasing tickets for this event, please contact State 4-H Program Director, Carrie Stark at 775-784-4785 or email her at starkc@unce.unr.edu.



JANUARY 2017

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	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: 80%; margin: auto;"> HOLIDAY Extension Office Closed </div>	Dust Bunnies – 4-H Kitchen – 3:30 p.m.		4-H Small Animal Committee Meeting – Video Room – 6:00 p.m. – Canceled		
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
	Chicken Whisperers – 4-H Kitchen – 3:45 p.m. p.m. Power Paws – 4-H Exhibit Hall – 4:00 p.m. 4-H Livestock Judging – High School Mrs. Hill's Room – 5:30 p.m.	Oven Warriors – 4-H Kitchen – 4:00 p.m.				
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22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	Power Paws – 4-H Exhibit Hall – 4:00 p.m. 4-H Livestock Judging – High School Mrs. Hill's Room – 5:30 p.m.	Oven Warriors – 4-H Kitchen – 4:00 p.m.			4-H Night with the Reno Big Horns – Reno	4-H Rocketry Club Meeting – Time and Place TBD
29	30	31				
	Power Paws – Exhibit Hall – 4:00 p.m. 4-H Livestock Judging – High School Mrs. Hill's Room – 5:30 p.m.					

FEBRUARY 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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MARCH 2017

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						4-H Market Beef Declarations Due to the Extension Office by 5:00 p.m.							
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