

RENO 4-H UPDATE

DECEMBER 2018 NEWSLETTER



Sunny Hills
June 5
SAVE THE
DATE!

**THE DATES
ARE IN FOR
THE 2019
RENO COUNTY
FAIR SO MARK
YOUR
CALENDERS
EARLY
JULY 13 – 22**



**Congratulations to this year's
Family of the Year!**

**Bruce, Sandra, Jacob And Mikayla Milburn from
the Buhler 4-H Club**



**SAVE THE DATE!
"Family Carnival"**

**Family Carnival will be held Saturday,
January 19, 2019 at Memorial Hall.**

ATTENTION 2019 SENIORS

The Kansas 4-H Scholarship for the 2018-2019
academic year is now posted

at <http://www.kansas4-h.org/resources/4-h-library/awards-and-recognition/scholarships.html>.

THIS IS FOR STATE 4-H SCHOLARSHIPS

EXECUTIVE TEAM MEETING:

**Monday, January 22, 2019
@ 6:00 pm**

Upstairs at the Extension Office.
All
4-H Council Officers are required
to attend.

4-H COUNCIL DATE

**Monday, January 28, 2019
@7:00pm**

Downstairs in the west meeting
room

JUNIOR LEADERS:

**Friday December 21, 2018
@6:00pm Extension Office**

Downstairs in the west meeting
room

Remember to check out our website:

www.reno.ksu.edu

Announcements, rules and entry forms
for upcoming events may be found on
the website.

For county shows throughout the state
stop by the office and look at our
notebook.

Check out the State 4-H website for
information on

Upcoming State 4-H Events.

www.kansas4h.org

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**2019 4-H Horse
Panorama**



The 2019 4-H Horse
Panorama has been
scheduled for January 25-27
at Rock Springs 4-H Center.

Registration and contest
rules for Horse Panorama
will be posted to the Kansas
4-H web site soon on the
Horse Events page.

2019 Kansas 4-H Dog Scholarship Details



Earlier in 2018, the date for 4-H dog scholarship applications changed to a date much earlier than previous years. This article intends to ensure that all 2018-19 high school seniors and current college freshman are aware of this date change. The 2019 Keith Neuway and Jim Adams Kansas 4-H Dog Care and Training Project Scholarship is for dog members who have been in the Kansas 4-H Dog Project for three or more years. You need not be a current member, if you fit the other criteria. This 4-H scholarship is a one-time payment of \$500.00 that will be awarded on Saturday, September 14, 2019, during the 2019 Kansas State Fair 4-H Dog Show. 2019 applications must be received on or before 5 p.m., Friday, February 1, 2019. Late applications will not be accepted. Send the completed application to the Kansas State 4-H Office, ATTN: Neuway and Adams Dog Care and Training Scholarship Committee, 201 Umberger Hall, 1612 Claflin Road, Manhattan, KS 66506-3404, 785-532-5800.

The application is on the Kansas 4-H web site: <http://www.kansas4-h.org/projects/animals/dog.html>. For more information, contact Deryl Waldren, 785-462-6281 or e-mail dwaldren@ksu.edu.

Kansas 4-H Livestock Sweepstakes Date Set



Save the date! The 2019 Kansas 4-H Livestock Sweepstakes will be held August 24-25 in Manhattan. This event includes the state 4-H Livestock Judging Contest, Meat Judging Contest, Livestock Skillathon, and Livestock Quiz Bowl. Members may compete in as many contests as they would like. Specific details and contest rules will be released by June 1. Please mark your calendars to attend! This event has also been added to the K-State Pulse Calendar.

PROJECT NEWS:



If you have any questions about the dog project please contact Melaney Dick at 620-728-9743 or melrussdick@gmail.com



If you have any questions about shooting sports, please call Ray Bartholomew at (620) 663-3312 or Cindy Colle at (620) 664-3344 or email Cindy at collec83@gmail.com.



Please contact Tammy Brown (620) 899-4792 for questions about the rabbit project.



If you have any questions about photography, contact Karolyn Kellogg Howey at (620)663-5731 ext. 344.



If you have any questions about the clothing project, contact Kathy Zongker at (620) 543-2767.



If you have any questions about the horse project, contact Jackie White at 785-893-2563.

START THINKING OF IDEAS FOR YOUR BOOTH AND BANNER

FOR THE COUNTY FAIR

2019 RENO COUNTY THEME WILL BE

Saddle up with 4-H



Kansas Junior Producer Days Scheduled

The 2019 Kansas Junior Producer Days have been scheduled! Junior Swine Producer Day will be hosted on March 9, 2019, with Junior Meat Goat Producer Day being March 30, 2019. Both junior day programs will be in the Department of Animal Sciences and Industry's Weber Hall on the K-State campus. These events are one-day educational opportunities for youth, parents, agents, and project leaders to learn about various aspects of livestock project selection and management.

An optional Youth for the Quality Care of Animals (YQCA) session will be held at the conclusion of both junior days. This will be an opportunity for youth to obtain their YQCA certification through an instructor-led session. The Kansas State Fair Grand Drive and KJLS will require all exhibitors to be YQCA certified for the 2019 shows. Please watch the K-State Youth Livestock Program website and Facebook page for registration details! Families will have the option to mail in their junior day registration, or complete it online.



2019 Kansas 4-H Dog Judges' Certification and Training Coming



The Kansas 4-H Dog Judges' Certification and Training will be January 26-27, 2019, in South Hutchinson, Kansas, at the Hutchinson Kennel Club. Beginning the training on Friday evening has allowed participants in one weekend to learn about the four dog phases of showmanship, obedience, agility and rally obedience of the Kansas 4-H Dog Care and Training Project.

Those attending (16 and older) to become judges or to re-certify as judges, experience judging classes to practice the skills necessary to effectively judge local 4-H dog shows. This is also a good opportunity for local project leaders and older 4-H members to observe the training to learn new knowledge and to better understand how they will be judged at invitational and the Kansas State Fair 4-H Dog Show. Participants may attend the judges' certification and judges training without being certified to judge.

Details for registration will be available in mid-November, so please share the dates with potential judges and project leaders in your Extension Unit. For more details, visit: <http://www.kansas4-h.org/events-activities/volunteer-trainings/dog-leader/index.html>.

Junior Swine Producer Day Scheduled

The 2019 Kansas Junior Swine Producer Day will be held on Saturday, March 9 in Weber Arena. Mark your calendar! This is a family-friendly educational event dedicated to youth, parents, project leaders, and agents with interest in the swine project. A detailed agenda and registration information will be released later this fall.

2019 State Horse News

The 2019 State Horse Judging Contest will be held on Friday, February 22nd, in conjunction with Equifest.

The 2019 Horse Panorama will be held January 25-27 at Rock Springs. Rules and registration will be up shortly. The deadline for registration is January 15th.

Jam the Gym with 4-H and the Lady Wildcats BB Team!

Kansas 4-H Day with Wildcat Women's Basketball is Sunday, January 13, 2019, 12:00 p.m.
K-State vs. KU!

Group Ticket Rate of \$22 per person, youth or adult. 4-H and non 4-H families and other individuals are welcome to attend. What you will receive:

- A ticket to the K-State vs. University of Kansas Women's Basketball Game
- A game day T-shirt
- \$10 meal voucher to use at the main concession stands at the game.

The day's preliminary activities will include:

10:30 – 11:30 a.m. Tickets and Shirts distributed at Pottorf Hall at Cico Park in Manhattan

11:00 a.m. Doors open for General Public for the game

12:00 p.m. Tip off

Online registration for this event will be due December 20, 2018. No paper registrations will be accepted. All orders must be paid with a credit card. To register, go to: <http://tinyurl.com/2019KAE4HA>

2019 BB Gun Match Changes

New for the 2019 Spring 4-H Shooting Sports Match, the 4-H Shooting Sports Advisory proposed a recommendation on which was approved by the Department of 4-H Youth Development, that the BB Gun Match will follow the Daisy National BB Gun Championship Match format. The match will consist of a 50 question test, worth 100 points, with material from the NRA BB Gun Rules and the Daisy Ten Lesson Curriculum for Shooting Education. The test score will be added to the traditional shooting score of 400 points, for a total of 500 points possible.

Due to the change in format of the BB match, the 2019 Spring State Shooting Sports Match will become a two day match, with the BB Gun match on one day, and the Air Rifle and Air Pistol matches on the other.

For those who have not attended the Daisy National BB Gun Championship Match, the format includes a test and shooting. The shooting portion differs from a typical qualifying match where each youth shoots the four positions in succession and is finished in roughly one hour. The team moves through each position together starting with prone, standing, sitting and kneeling. As a result, the time between prone and kneeling positions takes several hours. Therefore, the match will become an all-day event for each competitor.

This change in the Spring Match format will allow youth to compete in all 3 disciplines if they have qualified in Air Rifle, Air Pistol and BB Gun at the State Spring 4-H Shooting Sports Match, April 13 – 14 at Rock Springs 4-H Center. An additional change, the 2019 Spring 4-H Shooting Sports Match will follow Kansas 4-H Policies for competitive age 9 – 15 before January 1.

2019 4-H Shooting Sports Certification Training - Rock Springs

The next 4-H Shooting Sports Training is scheduled, Friday - Sunday, April 5 - 7, 2019 at Rock Springs 4-H Center with Western Heritage/Cowboy Action beginning on Thursday, April 4. Plans are to offer all disciplines within 4-H Shooting Sports provided interests from volunteers across the state align with the disciplines. Disciplines offered: Coordinator, Rifle, Shotgun, Archery, Muzzleloading, Pistol, Hunting Skills and Western Heritage. Registration will open in mid-February.

To participate, adult volunteers must be registered 4-H Volunteers and appointed by the Executive and/or Governing Board as local volunteers before registering for 4-H Shooting Sports Training.

4-H Shooting Sports Sporter and Open Air Pistol

The Sporter and Open Air Pistol classes have been combined into a single Air Pistol match by the 4-H Shooting Sports Advisory and approved by the Department of 4-H Youth Development for the 2019 4-H Spring Qualifiers and State matches. The former, Sporter Class was defined as the .177 caliber Daisy/Avanti 700 series air pistols, while all other .177 caliber air pistols were considered Open Class. Because the Sporter air pistol had an economical advantage for beginners, unfortunately the manufacturer was unable to repair the faulty left-handed grips at a reasonable cost and therefore discontinued the production.

Custom and 3D printed grips were created and available for purchase, although these custom-made grips resulted in the pistols being classified as Open Class. The long-term result, Dairy 717 and 747 pistol construction ended and locating used equipment became difficult to purchase for entering the correct air pistol competitive category.

Therefore, the 2019 4-H Qualifying and State 4-H Shooting Sports Match will offer only one Air Pistol match without classes. The Junior and Senior divisions will continue as in the previous years; however, youth must decide on only one air pistol to shoot at the Qualifying and State Match.

AYP Host Families Can Apply Now for 2019-20



The ideal time to apply to host a student for the next school year is December or January. The first students who will be hosted by families through States' 4-H International Exchange Programs become available in late January. Host families must be approved before placements can be made with students, so it is advantageous for families to be approved by the time student packets arrive at the States' 4-H Office in Seattle.

Students representing LEX and Labo in Japan, Bright Futures Education (BFE) in South Korea and FLEX coming from more than 20 countries of Eurasia, are hosted by States' 4-H families. Information and application to host an AYP student are available from Mary Kay Munson, Kansas 4-H International Exchange Coordinator, munson@ksbroadband.net or 785-238-3631.



With the new enrollment year we just wanted to take a second and remind all of the youth that will be Cloverbuds this year some of the rules for showing so that there are no misunderstandings. The 4-H Cloverbuds member may not own and/or show 4-H livestock.

SMALL ANIMAL TAGGING

**SATURDAY MAY 4, 2019
8-10AM**

**KANSAS STATE FAIR
GROUNDS**



BEEF WEIGH IN SATURDAY

**MARCH 9, 2019
8-10AM**

**SALE BARN IN SOUTH
HUTCHINSON**









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Wildcat Women's Basketball
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10:30 – 11:30 a.m. Tickets and Shirts distributed at Pottorf Hall at Cico Park in Manhattan
11:00 a.m. Doors open for General Public for the game
12:00 p.m. Tip off

Online registration for this event will be due **December 20, 2018**.

No paper registrations will be accepted. All orders must be paid with a credit card.

To register, go to: <http://tinyurl.com/2019KAE4HA>

WORKSHEET FOR ONLINE REGISTRATION

Contact Name*: _____ E-mail Address *(required)***: _____
 County/Extension District: _____ Contact Cell Phone #: () _____
 Contact Home Phone #: () _____

*Tickets and T-shirts will be grouped based upon contact name NOT total County/District.
 **Final and additional information will be sent to the e-mail address provided.

Number of Ticket Packages Ordered @ \$22 each

Total Payment for Ticket Package



T-Shirt Sizes

Size	Quantity	Added Price
Youth Small (6-8)		
Youth Medium (10-12)		
Youth Large (14-16)		
Youth X-Large (18-20)		
Adult Small		
Adult Medium		
Adult Large		
Adult 1X-Large		\$2
Adult 2X-Large		\$3
Adult 3X-Large		\$4
Adult 4X-Large		\$5
Adult 5X Large		\$5

NO REFUNDS can be made due to cancellations or no shows and the game will generally not be cancelled due to weather. General Admission Tickets can be purchased at the Ticket Office after the due date at the regular ticket price. Youth 2 years of age and under do not need to purchase a ticket.

PARKING details will be sent in the email along with the final details closer to the game.

RECEIPT and confirmation email will be sent shortly after you register online.

NO LATE PACKET PICK-UPS will be allowed.

Online Registration Questions??
 Please contact Sarah Keatley at 785-532-0748

Total Due for Ticket Packages	
Added price for 2XL, 3XL, 4XL, 5XL T-shirts	
PAYMENT TOTAL:	

Registration for this event is only online.
 All orders must be paid with a credit card.
 No paper registrations will be accepted.

To register, go to:

<http://tinyurl.com/2019KAE4HA>



DECEMBER CALENDER

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2	3	4	5	6	7	8
NINNESCAH & AMBASSADOR MEETINGS					ROYAL CLOVERS 4-H MEETING	
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
THOMADORA UNION VALLEY & WRC MEETINGS	BUHLER CLUB MEETING @ SUNSHINE MEADOWS		FAIRBOARD WEST ROOM OF EXTENSION OFFICE @ 6:30			
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
HAVEN MITCHELL & NICKERSON MEETINGS KYL						
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
		EXTENSION OFFICE CLOSED				
30	31					

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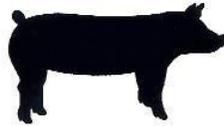
All articles/pictures for the newsletter are due to the Extension office by the 20th of the month.

PLEASE EMAIL TO DONNA dp96929@ksu

Kansas Junior Swine Producer Day



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March 9, 2019
Kansas State University
Weber Arena

Please join us March 9th for the biennial Kansas Junior Swine Producer Day in Weber Arena on the K-State campus in Manhattan. This highly interactive educational event will be a fun filled day of activities in which youth, parents, swine project leaders and adults can increase their knowledge and experience of swine production and management practices. Presentations and demonstrations will be provided by K-State faculty members and graduate students, as well as guest speakers. This event was last hosted in 2017, where over 425 participants from 55 counties attended! All participants will receive a K-State Show Pig Guide, T-shirt, and a complimentary lunch. Participants with registrations received after February 15 cannot be guaranteed a T-shirt.

Cost: \$15/person by February 15 or \$20/person after February 15

Door prizes, show equipment & supplies to be given away!

Schedule (tentative):

- 8:30 Registration
- 9:15 Welcome & Opening Remarks
- 9:30 Selecting Your Youth Project
- 10:00 Breakout Sessions (will attend 3)
 - Meat 101: Know your Pork!
 - Swine Breeds and Ear Notching
 - Equipment & Daily Care
 - State Nomination Process
- 12:00 Lunch
- 12:45 Herd Health Management
- 1:15 Nutrition & Daily Feeding
- 1:45 Hands-On Showmanship
- 2:15 Final Questions & Wrap-up
- 2:30 YQCA Certification Session
(optional to attend, will last until 3:45)

Thanks To Our Sponsors!

Kansas Pork Association
Essential Show Feeds
Valley Vet Supply
K-State Department of Animal Sciences
and Industry

Questions? Contact:

Joel DeRouchey Lexie Hayes
jderouch@ksu.edu adhayes@ksu.edu
785-532-2280 785-532-1264

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Kansas Junior Swine Producer Day: March 9, 2019 **Early Registration Due Feb. 15, 2019**

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____ County: _____

E-mail Address: _____

T-Shirt Size (Circle One): Youth S YM YL YXL Adult S M L XL 2XL 3XL

Check Age: _____ 11 & Under _____ 12-14 _____ 15-18 _____ Adult

\$15 Fee Enclosed: Special Dietary or Participant Needs? _____

Do you plan to attend the Youth for the Quality Care of Animals (YQCA) certification?: Yes No

One form per participant. All attendees (youth & adults) must register.

Please make checks payable to: **KSU ASI**

Mail check and registration to Lexie Hayes, 214 Weber Hall, 1424 Claflin Road, Manhattan, KS 66506

To Register Online: <https://commerce.cashnet.com/KSUASIND>

K-State Research and Extension and the Kansas State University Department of Animal Sciences and Industry, or their assignees, reserve the right to photograph, record the image and/or voice of participants for current or future research, educational, and/or promotional purposes. By attending, you provide consent to the above items and waive all rights to claims for payment or royalties in connection with any use of said images or recordings.

Kansas Junior Meat Goat Producer Day



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March 30, 2019
Kansas State University
Weber Arena

Join us for the biennial Junior Meat Goat Producer Day on March 30, 2019, in Weber Arena on the K-State campus in Manhattan. This educational event is dedicated to meat goat selection and project management for youth, parents, agents, and project leaders. Presentations and demonstrations will be provided by K-State faculty members, graduate students, undergraduate students, and guest speakers. All participants will receive a T-shirt, complimentary lunch, and an educational resource. Participants with registrations received after March 11 cannot be guaranteed a T-shirt.

Cost: \$15/person by March 11 or \$20/person after March 11

Schedule (tentative):

- 8:30 Registration
- 9:00 Welcome and Remarks
- 9:15 Market/Breeding Goat Selection
- 9:45 Morning Breakout Sessions
 - Meat Goat Processing & Products
 - Meat Goat Nutrition
 - State Livestock Nominations
- 11:15 Meat Goat Reproduction
- 12:00 Lunch
- 12:45 Health & Wellness
- 1:15 Afternoon Breakout Sessions
 - Showmanship
 - Facilities & Equipment
- 2:15 Final Questions & Wrap-up
- 2:30 YQCA Certification Session
(optional to attend, will last until 3:45)

Thanks To Our Sponsors!

- Essential Show Feeds
- Valley Vet Supply
- K-State Department of Animal Sciences and Industry

Questions? Contact:

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 785-532-1264

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Kansas Junior Meat Goat Producer Day: March 30, 2019  Early Registration Due March 11, 2019

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____ County: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

T-Shirt Size (Circle One): Youth S YM YL YXL Adult S M L XL 2XL 3XL

Check Age: _____ 11 & under _____ 12-14 _____ 15-18 _____ Adult

\$15 Fee Enclosed: Special Dietary or Participant Needs? _____

Do you plan to attend the Youth for the Quality Care of Animals (YQCA) certification? ___ Yes ___ No

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