

# 4-H Family News



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## 4-H Parents, What is Your Role?

4-H is a family program, which means parent/guardians have a role in the success of their children with their 4-H projects.

Here is a brief description of what a 4-H parent's role looks like:

**Purpose:** To assist and support your child and other children in the 4-H club.

**Success Criteria:** Through the experiential learning (hands-on learning) process, the children in the 4-H club will gain knowledge and skills to positively and successfully respond to life's varying situations.

**Responsibilities:** To assist or encourage your child and other children in the club to:

- Set realistic project and achievement goals
- Accomplish those goals, where appropriate
- Participate in club, regional, state, national, and international programs
- Use positive reinforcement of each child's part in the group

- Provide transportation to and from meetings and special activities
- Attend meetings and special events of the club or group

To complete a parent volunteer survey and/or discuss with the 4-H leader, the areas where you could assist the club. Depending on the time that you have available, you may:

- Plan and facilitate special events for the club or group
- Learn about the developmental needs of the different ages of children in the club or group
- Make phone calls
- Lend use of home for meetings
- Serve as a project leader or helper in one or more project areas
- Assist with meetings or special events (tours, fund raisers, fairs, etc.)
- Serve as an adult advisor to one or more committees

**Time Required:** Approximately 1-5 hours per month (providing transportation, attending meetings, helping child with projects or activity work; varies according to task)

**Target Dates:** October through September

Be in touch with your 4-H Leaders and ask what you can do to help out!

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# May 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 Dog Ownership Papers Due to 4-H Office!	3	4	5 Junior Leaders meet @ 6pm.	6	7 WRLF
8	9	10	11	12	13	14 4-H Community Service Project— Adopt—A—High- way 9am. at 4-H Office
Western Regional Leaders Forum, Alaskan Cruise						
15	16	17	18 Giving A Presentation Workshop @ 6 pm.	19	20	21 10-noon Lamb & Goat Tagging & Weigh in
22	23	24 3:30pm. Presentation Day & Youth Business Ventures Contest	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

# June 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Lamb, Goat, Swine, Rabbit, Cat Ownership Papers Due to 4-H Office!	2 Junior Leaders meet @ 6pm.	3	4
5	6	7 Fair Interview Judging Workshop @ 6pm.	8	9	10	11
12	13 Livestock & Horse Judging Day Camp, Evanston	14	15	16	17	18
19	20 Horse Day Camp, Big Piney	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28 UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING <b>SHOWCASE</b> <i>Showdown</i> Laramie	29	30		



# CHARACTER COUNTS!

## Responsibility

May 2011

### RESPONSIBILITY

Life is full of choices.....

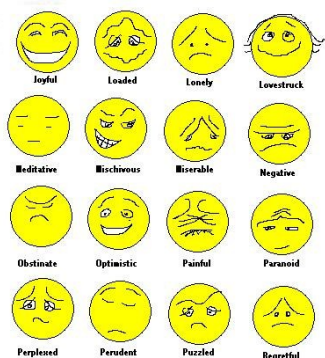
Which path will you take?

Responsibility in the Webster dictionary is defined as: liable to be called upon to answer for one's acts or decisions; able to fulfill one's obligations. In 4-H we take it further and should recognize that for every action, there is a reaction or consequence. What we do or don't do matters and we have the ability to choose our attitudes, words and actions. Our attitude has the ability to propel us forward toward victories or bog us down in defeat.

When we set our 4-H goals for the year we can work our hardest and have a positive attitude toward our progress and embrace the challenges that we are faced with. We also have the ability to get bogged down in the negative, blame others for things that do not go our way or the challenges we face.

As we pursue excellence in 4-H, each 4-H member, volunteer and parent can choose their path — the **positive** or the negative. As you communicate with others be aware of your attitude, words and actions. Are they moving you down the path you would like to take?

For character counts activities  
please visit [www.4h.uwyo.edu](http://www.4h.uwyo.edu)



It's your life, your one and only  
life—so take excellence very  
personally.”

~Scott Johnson

## Responsibility Activity

Time needed: 15-  
20 minutes

Supplies Needed:

⇒ 3-5 balloons  
for each par-  
ticipant

⇒ Pencils or pens

Instructions:

Introduce what responsibility is. For every action there is a reaction or consequence. Following the discussion, have youth identify examples of parts of their lives that they are responsible for. This could include homework, feeding their animals, laundry, cooking dinner, following the rules, etc.

After the youth have each listed examples orally have them write down 3-5 things they are responsible for on the small pieces of paper provided. One item on each piece of paper.

Then have them put one piece of paper in each balloon, blow up the balloons and tie them off—you may have to help tie the balloon.

Then the youth form a circle and play volleyball with all the balloons, with the goal of not letting any drop on the floor. If a balloon falls on the floor, they cannot pick it up and start passing it to others. After 30 seconds stop the game. Have the youth pop the balloons that fell on the floor and share which responsibility did not get completed and what would be the consequence for that action. You can repeat the game with the balloon that were still in play.

▪ 4-H Announcements

## Teton County 4-H'ers Committed to Producing Quality Livestock

In March, over 75 % of livestock 4-H members attended an exciting workshop aimed at teaching skills to help 4-H raise high quality market projects. These members made the promise that the meat that they produce will be of the highest quality available. Those attending were:

Kylie Wilson  
Will Wagner  
Gabriel Wilson  
True Dayton  
Zane Dayton  
Amilia Wilson  
Olivia Wilson  
Colter Lucas  
Shane Lucas  
Shyann Lucas  
Nick Nelson  
Katie Nelson  
Brayden Castagno  
Kirby Castagno  
Trey Wagner  
Sydnee Dieckmann  
Wyatt Dieckmann  
Rachel Durtschi  
Jed Christensen  
Jesse Bauer  
Wyatt Christensen  
Jordan Bauer  
Kaitlin Kaliebe  
Avery MacFarland  
Lean MacFarland  
Mick Rammell  
Trenton Ross  
Colten Cook  
Raegin Ross  
Emmit Ross  
Kade Cook  
Parker Rowe  
Justin Rowe  
Conner Cook

Reilly Raube  
Whitley Beard  
James Raube  
Morgan Beard  
Monte Beard  
Coy Able  
Wren Buchenroth  
Clark Buchenroth  
Robert Henry  
Dylan Grant  
Torie Castagno  
Kinzie Castagno  
Reegan Castagno  
McKenna Brinton  
Ryder Marshall  
Rivkah Bar-or  
Hailey Hardeman  
Mason Horstmann  
Casey Budge  
Wyatt Chapdelaine  
Cheyenne Garnick  
Golden Garnick  
Trista Timmons  
Jackson Blake  
Sarah Andrews  
Brendon Weber  
Emily Hardeman



4-H'ers learn about giving proper injections and injection site lesions.



Youth practice making ethical decisions about livestock scenarios they may face. They utilize the 6 Pillars of Character to guide them.

Thank you to all that  
made this workshop such  
a success!  
Emily Feuz  
Josh Dieckmann  
Stacy Dieckmann

Amy Wilson  
Carmen Clarke  
Craig Clarke  
Kathy Lucas  
Chris Kaliebe  
Ilene Wagner

Todd Wagner  
Donors:  
Kathy Flickenger—  
Jackson Hole Feed and  
Pet Supply  
Dr. Williams

## 4-H Announcements

### Teton Mountain Thunder 4-H Cloggers and Jr. Leaders treat Seniors to St. Patrick's Day Celebration

Led by Keith & Kelly Holmes, the Jr. Leaders planned a special celebration for the senior citizens of Jackson Hole. The 4-H'ers prepared the meal of fish, chips, coleslaw and apple cake. They decorated for the event and hosted a lovely evening of food and entertainment.

Providing the entertainment for the evening was the Teton Mountain Thunder Clogging 4-H club, led by **Amanda Beckett** and **Jennifer Goe**.

Those participating in this community service project were:

#### Jr. Leaders:

**Keith Holmes**  
**Shyann Lucas**

**Jamie Lucas**  
**Niki Lynes**  
**Shelly Moyer**  
**Courtney Hodges**  
**Briton Bommer**  
**Morgan Patterson**

#### Cloggers:

**Kylie Anderson**  
**Kate Daigle**  
**Madisen Dunne**  
**Ryan Dunne**  
**Brianna Suter**  
**Ruby Rammell**  
**Elias Rammell**  
**Brianna Uptain**  
**Isabella Uptain**  
**Kirsten Uptain**  
**Aspen Waldron**  
**Kyra Waldron**  
**Ashlynn Weber**



Keith Holmes and Courtney Hodges welcome Seniors and introduce the 4-H Cloggers.

### Jr. Leadership Retreat Focuses on Building Relationship Skills



**Ryder Marshall** and **McKenna Brinton** present a sculpture they created representing a bad relationship and a good relationship.



Attending: **Kelli Kilpatrick, Niki Lynes, Brittini Swink, Courtney Hodges, Shelly Moyer, Morgan Patterson, Keith Holmes, McKenna Brinton, Briton Bommer, Ryder Marshall, and Trevor Swink.**  
Not pictured: **Josh Kilpatrick**

## ■ 4-H Announcements

# Congratulations to Jed Christensen!

## Thirty youth will visit Mongolia through Wyoming 4-H leadership program

Wyoming State 4-H specialists will shepherd 30 youth and five adult chaperones from eight states to Mongolia this summer in a leadership partnership with the Mongolian 4-H Youth Organization.

Enhancing Global Perspectives in Youth is funded by a \$267,434 grant from the United States Department of State Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs and administered by the University of Wyoming Cooperative Extension Service. The Mongolian group is in the country's capital, Ulaanbaatar.

The group will leave June 16 and return July 15.

"The program will provide an opportunity for students to experience firsthand knowledge of foreign cultures and to collaborate on solving global natural resource and environmental issues," said Warren Crawford, youth development specialist with Wyoming 4-H.

Kim Reaman, state 4-H volunteer management specialist, will also accompany the group.

"This type of experience can be life changing and start a young person down the path to being an involved, global citizen," she said. "My first international experience was through the International 4-H Youth Exchange to Jamaica. I have had a heart for international programs and the effect they have on a young person's life ever since."

Youth were selected through an application and interview process from the 13-state western region of the land-grant universities Cooperative Extension Service. The finalists selected are from Alaska, Colorado, Idaho, Oregon, Utah, Washington and Wyoming.

Reaman and Crawford traveled to Mongolia last September, paid for by the UW College of Agriculture and Natural Resources Global Perspectives program, to provide technical assistance and training for the newly established Mongolian 4-H program. While in Mongolia, they had many opportunities to develop and lay the groundwork for this exchange program.

"For most of the stay, the students will live with a Mongolian host family and experience the Mongolian way of life," said Crawford. "While we are there, we will be learning about environmental issues such as renewable energy, water quality and land restoration and reclamation."

Youth will also participate in community service projects in and around the capital city of Ulaanbaatar.

Participants and their hometowns are:

**Alaska** – Mariah McCoy, Chugiak; Kira O'Donoghue, Fairbanks; Peter Stortz, adult chaperone, Palmer

**Arizona** – Christine Mackey, Anik Regan, Tucson

**Colorado** – Caitlin Lanzavecchia, Broomfield

**Idaho** – Molly Myers, Boise; Jeannine Sampo and Killian Sampo, Lowman

**Oregon** – Emily Cackler, Buxton; Nicholas Morales, Medford; Erynne van Zee, Michael Boggess, Samuel Greydanus, Corvallis; Jaden Bales, Imbler; Shelby Worthing, Prineville; Zachary Lauritzen, adult chaperone, Corvallis

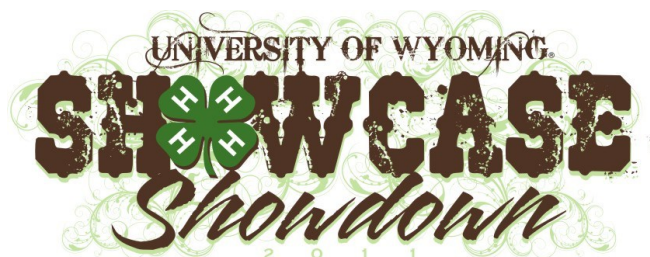
**Utah** – Alexis Schmid, Sandy; Jenessa Gosar, Manila; Z. Quinn Chandler, Ogden; Alicia Christensen, adult chaperone, Salt Lake City

**Washington** – Miranda Bean, Ridgefield

**Wyoming** – **Jed Christensen, Alta**; Melanie Whitmore, Bear River; Wyatt Slagowski, Farson; Rebel Rauterkus, Freedom; Elizabeth Barlow, Gillette; Jessica Grant, Glenrock; Alanna Elder, Rebecca Garner, Laramie; Kristy Armstrong, Lyman; Thomas Shaffer, Pinedale; Zachary Anderson, Thermopolis; Kelly Barlow, adult chaperone, Gillette; Erin Sinclair, adult chaperone, Cheyenne



## 4-H Opportunities



**June 28-29, 2011**  
**Laramie, Wyoming**

Robotics Contest  
 Horse Judging  
 Rocket Launch  
 Livestock Skill-A-Thon  
 Table Setting Contest  
 Measuring Contest

Also offered:  
**Educational Activities – Workshops, Tours, Challenges**

Youth will have the opportunity to participate in contests, challenges, workshops, tours, and many other fun activities during the fun-filled event.

### Contests

Business Ventures  
 Presentations - Prepared & Impromptu  
 Dog Skill-A-Thon  
 Produce Judging  
 Food Cook-Off

There are many opportunities offered for youth at the Showcase Showdown! Are you interested in hosting an activity at this year's event? If so, see the Activity Information for further explanation and submit an Activity Proposal Form by May 1st. If you have questions or need more information, please contact Lindsey Moniz at [lmoniz@uwyo.edu](mailto:lmoniz@uwyo.edu) or 307-766-3430



## National 4-H Congress

National 4-H Congress is held just after Thanksgiving Day each November in Atlanta, GA. Delegates will have the opportunity to meet 4-H members from around the country to discuss current youth-related issues as well as participate in a hands-on community service project. Youth will also attend workshops, hear inspirational speakers, and tour Atlanta.

Application online at: <http://4-h.uwyo.edu/Congress.asp>

## State 4-H Leadership Team

The state 4-H Leadership Team is a seven- person team that represents Wyoming 4-H at all statewide events and activities. These functions include, state leadership team retreat, Youth Leadership Conference, Legislative Day, and the Wyoming State Fair. Team members are also involved in providing county or multi-county leadership workshops, assisting at all state 4-H contests and events, and representing 4-H at organizational meetings. Application can be found at: [http://4-h.uwyo.edu/Leadership\\_Team\\_main.asp](http://4-h.uwyo.edu/Leadership_Team_main.asp)

### Applications available online for National Congress and Leadership Team

Due July 15<sup>th</sup>

Interviews will be at State Fair in Douglas on Friday, August 19<sup>th</sup>  
 Winners announced at Fashion Revue awards on Friday, August 19<sup>th</sup>

- 4-H Opportunities

## 4-H Community Service Opportunities

Community Service means volunteer work intended to help people in a particular area. It means giving without getting anything in return. 4-H is an organization that takes pride in the community service projects that youth carry out.

Check out these opportunities to give back to your community.



### Teton County Fairgrounds Clean-Up

**April 30th, 2011**

9 a.m.

Bring gloves and clothes to be outside in weather.  
BBQ lunch at noon for all that help out!

### Teton County 4-H Highway Clean-Up

**May 14, 2011**

This is an all 4-H event! Be a part of the 43rd Annual  
Jackson Hole  
Community Spring Clean-Up

**Meet at the 4-H Office at 9 a.m.** for a safety meeting and  
to get clean-up equipment. Dress for the weather!  
4-H'ers will then pick up WYO 22 marker .00 - 2.0

BBQ lunch at noon on the Jackson Town Square!

### 4-H Food Drive Begins!

**May 1—June 15, 2011**

Once again the Jr. Leaders are organizing a Food Drive to help the JH Food Cupboard. Last year we collected over 500 pounds of food. All 4-H clubs are invited to participate. 4-H Food Drive boxes will be at the 4-H Office and all grocery stores in Jackson, Wilson and Hoback.



**RECORD YOUR COMMUNITY SERVICE  
PARTICIPATION IN YOUR 4-H RECORD BOOK!**

- 4-H Opportunities

## Presentation Day! Tuesday, May 24, 2011

Presentation Day is a public speaking or demonstration contest for 4-H members. One of the 4-H Program's goals is to develop life skills in youth. The Presentations Contest emphasizes development of verbal communication skills. Presentation delivery may include, but is not limited to, demonstrations, interactive exhibits, skits, drama, public speaking, visual aids and/or multimedia displays. For more information visit:

<http://4-h.uwyo.edu/PresentationContest.asp>

### Score Sheet:

<http://4-h.uwyo.edu/Contests/Showcase/Presentations%20Contest%20Info.pdf>

To sign up for Presentation Day, Please call or email the 4-H Office by **May 20th, 2011 733-3087 or [ktobul@tetonwyo.org](mailto:ktobul@tetonwyo.org). Presentation times start at 3:30 p.m.**

Presenters earning a blue ribbon for their presentation are eligible to compete at the state contest held during the Showcase Showdown in Laramie, on June 28-29th!



### Time Limits:

Juniors ~3-10 minutes

Intermediates ~ 5-10 minutes

Seniors ~ 7-15 minutes

### NEW THIS YEAR! Youth can submit a VIDEO of their presentation.

The presentation will be judged using the same criteria and time limits still apply.

Youth must still sign up to make sure adequate time is allotted. Be sure to let us know you will submit a video.

Videos must be at the 4-H Office by May 23rd to be judged. They may be sent, emailed or dropped off.

Any technical difficulties will result in a presentation that is not judged. Plan ahead!

## Giving a Presentation Workshop

To learn the basics of giving a presentation in your club or on Presentation Day come to the Giving a Presentation Workshop!

**Wednesday, May 18th, 2011**

6-7 p.m.

4-H Office

Program and refreshments provided by the Jr. Leaders 4-H Club

## 4-H Opportunities

# It's Back! 4-H Youth Business Ventures Contest!

Have you ever dreamed of starting your own business? Want to be your own boss? Now is your chance! Teton County 4-H received a grant from the Daniels Fund to make it possible for youth to compete for seed money to start a new business or grow an existing business.

The Youth Business Ventures Contest provides an opportunity for youth to develop and present a business plan for competition.

For complete rules and guidelines see the next page!

### The Contest

Business Plans and Entry Form due **Friday, May 20th, 2011**

Use forms found at:

[http://4-h.uwyo.edu/Business\\_Ventures.asp](http://4-h.uwyo.edu/Business_Ventures.asp)

Schedule a time for you to do a **presentation on your business** on **Tuesday, May 24th** starting at 3:30 p.m. at the 4-H Office. (15 min maximum time limit on presentations)  
Presentations must be scheduled by **May 20th**.

**Both components of the contest must be completed for members to be considered for awards.**

## YOUTH BUSINESS OWNERS



Sydney Dieckmann of Sydney's Show Goats



Kylie Wilson of Lambs to Go

Below are the forms you will need to complete and turn in by **Friday, May 20th**. These are found at [http://4-h.uwyo.edu/Business\\_Ventures.asp](http://4-h.uwyo.edu/Business_Ventures.asp)

1.

2.

3.

Call the 4-H Office to schedule a presentation time for May 24th:  
733-3087

Helpful tips for completing your business plan are also found at:

[http://4-h.uwyo.edu/Business\\_Ventures.asp](http://4-h.uwyo.edu/Business_Ventures.asp)

**Teton County Youth Ventures Contest**  
**Business Plans due Friday, May 20th, 2011**  
**Presentations on May 24th, 2011**

**Overview**

The Youth Business Ventures Contest provides an opportunity for youth to develop and present a business plan for competition. Youth participants will compete for seed money to start a new business or grow an existing business. The purpose of the competition is to:

- Encourage 4-H members to develop an entrepreneurial mindset that will benefit them in future career opportunities.
- Help youth to learn the process of developing a business plan.
- Provide an avenue for youth to practice and develop effective verbal communication skills.
- Encourage 4-H members to establish goals and determine a course of action that will assist them in accomplishing those goals.
- Provide monetary awards for youth to start or grow their business.

**Eligibility**

This contest is open to all 4-H members currently enrolled in the Teton County 4-H Program. Members may compete as a sole proprietor or partnership (see below for explanation).

*Sole Proprietor*

Sole proprietor is defined as one business owner. The business plan and business presentation will be written and presented by one individual. There is no limit to the number of individuals able to compete in the contest.

*Partnerships*

Partnerships are defined as 2 or more primary business owners. The business plan and business presentation will be written and presented by each member of the partnership. There is no limit to the number of partnerships able to compete in the contest.

**Categories**

*Sole Proprietor* – separate divisions for each age category as follows:

Junior: 8-10 years of age on January 1, 2011

Intermediate: 11-13 years of age on January 1, 2011

Senior: 14-19 years of age on January 1, 2011

*Partnership* – no age categories or age restrictions. All partnerships will compete in the same division.

**Contest**

The contest will consist of two parts. The first part will be the written business plan. Participants will be required to fill out the cover page and business plan, providing as much detail as deemed appropriate.

The second part consists of the business presentation. Participants will be required to present their business plan to a committee detailing the type of business, major components of the business, and marketing strategies. This is the participants' chance to sell their business and ideas to the committee.

Presenters are responsible for their own equipment and should set up as early as possible. (Easels, tables, and a screen will be provided.) Those using Power Point should arrive early (at least 20 minutes) so the presentation is ready to start at the designated time.

**Awards**

Business plans and presentations will be evaluated by a committee who will determine the overall winner based on these two components. Cash awards will be given as seed money to deserving competitors in each sole proprietor age division and partnership division.

## 4-H Leader News

**4-H Leaders Council Meeting**  
**May 10, 2011 at 5:30 p.m.**  
**4-H Office**

**All 4-H Leaders and Jr. Leaders are members of the 4-H Council. Meetings are on the 2nd Tuesday of every other month.**

The purpose of the 4-H Council is to ensure that the essential elements of positive youth development are incorporated into all aspects of the county 4-H program.

### May Agenda

- Community Service Projects
- 4-H Showcase Showdown
- Christina Irion, 4-H Intern
  - Lemonade Stand
  - Fair Preparations
- State Fair Preparations
  - Record Books

## 4-H Record Books

Now is a great time to set aside some time at a club meeting to discuss 4-H Record Books. Hopefully by now, either within a club meeting or on their own, 4-H'ers have worked to set goals for this year in each of their projects. If this conversation hasn't occurred, please take some time to help members to set some good goals.

Setting goals helps 4-H members have some control over what they are focusing on for this year, or referring back to the Essential Elements of Positive Youth Development—an **Opportunity for Self-Determination**. These goals can and should also be used in planning the year.

Also, please be encouraging your members to keep track of their expenses and income throughout the year. Keeping receipts will help them a great deal at the end of the year.

Another tip is to have youth write one or two things they learned at each meeting on the club agenda or 4-H Calendar. This will help them recall major things that happened at the end of the year for the "Knowledge and Skills Acquired" section of the Record Book.

Finally, each Jr. Leader has made it a goal to mentor a project club. They will be contacting you in the next few weeks to arrange a time for them to come to one of your meetings. Their focus will be helping your members with any Record Book questions, offering their own personal tips and strategies for working on Record Books, and being there as another resource for 4-H members to contact.



The Record Book Resource Center is located just outside the 4-H Educator's Office!

They will also have some other plans they will share with you.

4-H Record Books are an essential part of the 4-H experience; as much as the project work itself. The Record Book is a chance for the youth to reflect on their year and apply what they learned to their lives and the future.

Record Books are also what is used in determining the level of achievement a member receives each year, as well as 4-H Scholarships and trips as a youth gets older.

Please help your 4-H members out and embrace Record Books and make a point to help them throughout the year.

Record Book information is online at:

[www.tetonwyo.org/4H](http://www.tetonwyo.org/4H)

Select "Record Books" on the left side of the page

## 4-H Leader News



### 4-H Leader Spotlight : Anjie Beard

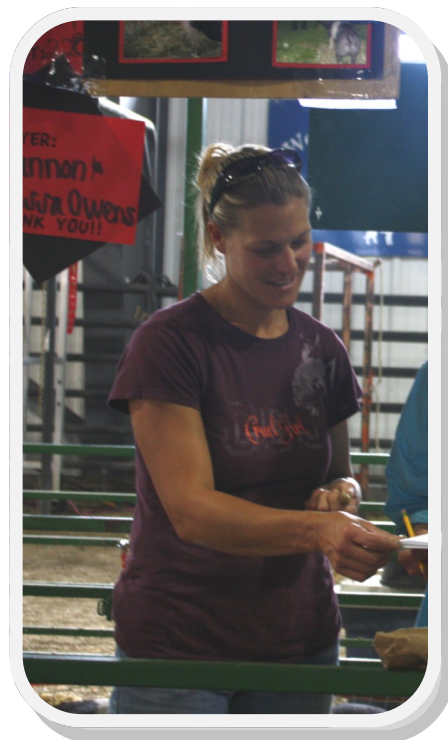
Anjie Beard has been a 4-H leader for the past 10 years. She is a swine and lamb project leader in Alta. Over the years, Anjie has worked very hard to help her 4-H members learn about raising quality livestock projects and showing them to the best of their abilities. She has attended state and regional 4-H Conferences, looking for new and exciting ways to teach livestock members and their families.

Anjie has been an integral part in organizing many county-wide learning events such as past livestock judging competitions, showmanship clinics, and judging clinics. She organizes the Alta Family livestock skill-a-thon and promotes the 6 Pillars of Character within her livestock project meetings.

Aside from her focus on livestock, Anjie has been a key volunteer in organizing the Alta 4-H Sign-Up night, the Alta Family Picnic, Record Book Judging, Leader Training, and bringing leaders and families up to speed with 4-H events and activities.

Anjie is a quiet and effective leader. She keeps the best interest of youth in mind when making decisions. She offers her experience and opinions, while keeping an open mind about changes within the 4-H Program. She is a hard worker and is always right there, ready to lend a helping hand.

Thank you Anjie for all you do for 4-H!



## 4-H Project News

### Livestock

**Saturday, May 21, 2011**

**Lamb and Goat Tagging and  
Weigh In**

**Teton County Fairgrounds**

**10 a.m.—Noon**

**Want to learn how livestock are judged?**

**Livestock & Horse Judging  
Day Camp**

**Evanston, WY**

**June 13-14, 2011**

## 4-H Project News

### Livestock

#### Please make note of the change to the livestock fitting rule in Teton County 4-H:

*A 4-H member is expected to fit and groom his/her own animal at the Teton county fair. However in the interest of safety a member may be assisted by another currently enrolled bona fide Teton county 4-H member or project leader.*

*A 4-H member is expected to care for their own animal; however, in the interest of safety in caring for animals members may receive limited age and skill appropriate assistance.*

### Important Animal Project Deadlines

Please make note of these deadlines now. Those not turning in proper paperwork will not be able to exhibit their animals at the Teton County Fair. Paperwork should be turned in to the **4-H Office by 5 p.m. on or BEFORE the deadline date.**

**PLAN AHEAD AND GET YOUR  
PAPERWORK TURNED IN  
BEFORE THE DEADLINE!**

**Monday, May 2—Dog ID Papers Due**  
**Wednesday June 1—All other 4-H Animals**  
**Proof of Ownership (sheep, swine, breeding**  
**beef, rabbits, poultry, market goats, and cats)**

Animal	What needs to be turned in?
Dog and Cat	Dog ID or Cat ID form found at <a href="http://www.tetonwyo.org/4H">www.tetonwyo.org/4H</a> under "FORMS"
Rabbits	Completed Rabbit ID form found at <a href="http://www.tetonwyo.org/4H">www.tetonwyo.org/4H</a> under "FORMS"
Swine	Bill of Sale listing who animal was sold to and from whom Found at <a href="http://www.tetonwyo.org/4H">www.tetonwyo.org/4H</a> under "FORMS" or from your producer
Lamb & Goat—purchased from Wyoming	Brand Inspection—blue title copy
Lamb & Goat—purchased from Idaho or state that does not have brand inspection program	Bill of Sale and health inspection on the animal at the time of purchase Found at <a href="http://www.tetonwyo.org/4H">www.tetonwyo.org/4H</a> under "FORMS" or from your producer

## Horse

**Mark Your Calendars!**

**West Area 4-H Horse Day Camp**  
**June 20-21, 2011**  
**Big Piney**  
**Sublette County Fairgrounds**



Meet 4-H'ers from Lincoln, Sublette, Uinta, Sweetwater, and Teton Counties and have fun with your horse. Don't miss out on this great opportunity close to home!

**Wyoming State 4-H Horse Camp**

4-H Horse Camp is open to all Wyoming 4-H Club Members, Parents, 4-H Leaders, and Wyoming Extension Personnel. The educational programs presented at Horse Camp are designed to provide practical, hands-on training. The major emphasis of the camp is to improve safe riding and handling skills.

Horse Camp will be held **June 17-19, 2011 at the Wyoming State Fairgrounds in Douglas, WY.** Registration is limited to 85 participants and is filled on a first-come, first-served basis. The **registration deadline is Friday, May 20, 2011.** For more information check out:

[http://4-h.uwyo.edu/Contests/Horse/11/Horse\\_Camp\\_Information.pdf](http://4-h.uwyo.edu/Contests/Horse/11/Horse_Camp_Information.pdf)

**Food and Nutrition**

**Check out this new  
Contest**

**DATE CHANGED TO: MAY  
21, 2011  
Afton, WY**

**4-H Food Cook-  
Off!**

**If you are interested in  
participating,  
contact the 4-  
H Office by  
May 13th.**

**Dog**

**4-H Dog Agility Fun Classes  
Teton County Fairgrounds**

**June 7, 6-7 p.m.  
June 14, 6-7 p.m.  
June 21, 6-7 p.m.  
June 28—Mock Trial**



Get a taste of what dog agility is all about, then participate in a fun Mock Trial to conclude the classes.

Members must register by **May 25th.** Classes limited to 10 youth. First come, first served.

**Dogs must be 1 year or older.**

**Call 733-3087 to register**

## 4-H Project News

### Shooting Sports

#### Rifle

Mark your calendars for the Rifle County Shoot Contest!

**Thursday, July 27  
4:30 p.m. 4-H Rifle  
Shoot (JH Gun Club)**

#### Archery

**Mark your calendars for the Archery County Shoot!**

**Saturday July 23<sup>rd</sup>  
Time TBA by your 4-H  
Leaders**

#### Shotgun

Claybuster Shotgun 4-H Club will be starting in mid May. If you are interested in signing up for this club, contact the 4-H Office.

If you are already signed up, be looking for a postcard in the mail with date and time of the first meeting.

### General 4-H Projects

## 4-H Interview Judging

**Fair Interview Judging Workshop  
June 7 at 6 p.m. at the 4-H Office**

Interview judging is encouraged for all members entering projects in the Exhibit Hall. Youth will meet with the judge and learn how the project is judged. The Judge will also ask questions about the project; this is not a presentation.



Judging will be on **Monday of the Fair this year for all projects.**

Fabric and Fashion projects will be judged at the 4-H Office, all other Exhibit Projects will be judged at the Exhibit Hall on the Fairgrounds.

Each member will spend approximately 10 minutes with the Judge. If you do not appear for interview judging, your project will still be judged, **however the interview is 60% of your judging score. The project quality is 40% of your judging score.**



**Monday, July 25th starting at 2 p.m. 4-H Interview Judging for Exhibit Projects – 4-H members will be given a scheduled time for their interview**

# Teton County 4-H

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**across America** who are learning  
**leadership, citizenship and life skills.**

## 4-H FAMILY NEWSLETTER



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