



THIS MONTH'S HIGHLIGHTS

4-H All Skills Day 2018

HOME ARTS DAY JOINS
SKILLS DAY!

See pages 2-4 For more information!

4-H Camp ~ July 16th-20th 2018

Registration NOW open

http://ucanr.edu/sites/EDC_4-H_Program/Camp/



Presentation Day 2018

http://ucanr.edu/sites/EDC_4-H_Program/Presentation_Public_Speaking/

Online or Paper registration accepted See page #7 for more information

February 24th 2018



Member Tip of the Month:

Quality Assurance Training

April 10th 6pm

Fairgrounds Forni Building

*Required for all market animal exhibitors every other year. Check with your leader for more Information.

Volunteer Tip of the Month:

Judges need for Presentation Day

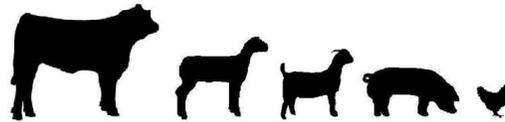
Training available~ No Experience Necessary!

See page # 7 for more information or visit

http://ucanr.edu/sites/EDC_4-H_Program/Presentation_Public_Speaking/

March 10th
9:00am~3:00pm

2018



El Dorado County 4-H Youth Program

All Skills Day

- *Project Determined Activities*
- *Proficiency Testing Center (members 9 and up)*
- *4-H Mall with 4-H swag for sale*
- *Free Uniform Exchange*
- *Record Book Workshops*
- *Poster (Educational Display)*
- *Community Service Opportunities*
- *Livestock Auction Committee Booth*
- *Home Arts Day Located in Corker Building*

Lunch Provided Free by the
4-H Management Board
Served at NOON
Located outside the Corker Building

*A Schedule will be emailed to all members



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All Skills Day

EDUCATIONAL DISPLAY TALK

Competition 2018

An educational display talk is an organized visual presentation of a program or a concept. A display should be designed to convey its message in a limited amount of time. This is a public speaking contest so the speaker should use the time wisely and support the visual presentation. Once the speaker completes the oral presentation, they will have a dialog with the evaluators about the display.

Posters: Educational Displays may exhibit one of the following display formats:

- ✓ **Card Table Display (approximately 30"x30"):** This format will feature a tri-fold poster board that includes a title, the member's name and 4-H affiliation, and a depiction of the program or concept. The table may be used as part of the display.
- ✓ **Panel Display (approximately 4'x4'):** The panel is presented vertically on an easel. The display will include; as a minimum, a title, the member's name and 4-H affiliation, and a depiction of the program or concept.

Visual Aids: Display items that are added to the table of an educational display should be kept to a minimum and only included if they are practical to place on the display surface itself. Items must be clearly labeled and self-explanatory. All lettering and visual depictions on the displays will be understandable or readable by an average adult from no less than a four foot distance.

Length: The speaker's presentation should be three to five minutes and then there will be questions and dialogue with the evaluators.

- Speakers are expected to introduce the educational display with a prepared oral presentation including the title, information about how the speaker belongs to 4-H, how the display is relevant to their 4-H

-Name, address, club and age of the 4-H member(s) should be clearly written on the back of each poster

-Any topic may be done. 4-H topics are highly encouraged as well as a 4-H uniform. (not required)

*****Due By 10:00am on Skills Day, March 10th 2018 at the Marshall**

Building. Sign up to a time slot that works for you! Counts as a 4-H Presentation

experience or spark, and an overview of the content on the display. The speaker should provide a brief review of the sections on the board but not read the display nor repeat the steps presented in the display.

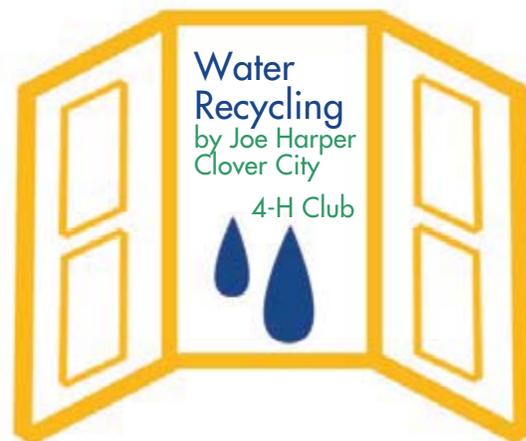
- Additional topics that the speaker should include in the overview are the intended audience for the display, what ideas that the presenter hopes the viewer will learn from the display, and where the display may be used.

Number of Presenters: An individual presentation is delivered by one speaker. A team presentation is delivered by two speakers. Team members should divide work and speaking parts. An uneven distribution of work or speaking parts will impact the scoring of the presentation.

Questions: Evaluators are expected to have an educational discussion that includes questions with the presenter about the display.

Note Cards: Speakers may not use notes during the presentation of the display to the evaluators. The display should provide any necessary prompting.

Attire: Appropriate attire for the occasion. Costumes may not be used.





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There is Magic in the Air El Dorado County Fair 2018

Entry Guide and Forms can be found here:
<http://eldoradocountyfair.org/entry.html>



El Dorado County Ambassadors attend the Central Area Youth Summit 2018. They represented our County and presented a workshop on Interviews called: Clearing the Question Hurdles and Finishing First.



The first Rocketry Project meeting was held on 1/14/18 . It was a great day with lots of rocket launches. At least 50-60, and lots of fun. Their next launch meeting is scheduled for 2/11/18. Regular meeting dates are the 2nd Sunday of the month from 1pm to 3pm. The project is still open call the 4-H office to inquire. 530-621-5503

2018 Rocketry Project





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Betty Hewitt, A founding Mother of El Dorado County 4-H



2018

Betty Hewitt
A founding Mother of
El Dorado County 4-H



1949

In the Year of El Dorado County's 4-H Program 100-year Anniversary we would like to honor the county's first woman Home Economist/Home Advisor who served as the 4-H advisor for 37 years from 1949 to 1986. As the UCD 4-H program advisor, Betty worked with county wide 4-H clubs representing over 10,000 4-H members during her 37-year tenure. She was responsible for the early expansion and broadening of El Dorado County 4-H youth programs. In addition, she served as the home advisor / Economist serving women and families throughout El Dorado county teaching women nutrition, cooking, sewing, homemaking, and personal finances. Numerus newspaper articles, chronologizing Betty's work and achievements, dated from as early as 1949 can be found in archive scrape books preserved at the county 4-H office. It has been brought to our attention that Betty is now in her final phase of life and we would like the 4-H community to let her know how important the 4-H program, for which she devoted so many years of her life cultivating, is to El Dorado County youth. Betty did not have children of her own, but she always considered the 4-H youth as her children to be nurtured through the 4-H program to become future leaders. At this time of Betty's life and in celebration of our 100-year anniversary we would like to request that the 4-H community express their gratitude for Betty's devoted stewardship in promoting the early years of our 4-H program. In these final days of her life we encourage the 4-H community youth and adults to write a note to Betty letting her know what 4-H means to you and thanking her for devoting her career to 4-H youth and leaders. If you are a Parent or leader who knew Betty as you grew up in 4-H, please let her know you remember her and share any stories you may have. Betty has been recently enjoying reminiscing about her wonderful career years through reading the old scrapbook articles with her niece, Lorraine Larsen-Hallock (also of our local 4-H community). Cards may be sent to Betty Hewitt at 3079 Ponte Morino Drive #216, Cameron Park, CA 95682 or dropped off at the Placerville 4-H office. Alternatively, stories and sentiments may be emailed to Lorraine at llarsenh@gmail.com. Please join in this effort to bring the joy of remembrance to Betty in her 95th year of life.



El Dorado County Presentation Day 2018

Saturday, February 24th 2018

Folsom Lake College, 6699 Campus Drive, **Placerville**

9:00 a.m. Training for Judges, Room Coordinators and Door Keepers

10:00 a.m. Opening Ceremony

approx. 1:30 p.m. Awards Ceremony

Youth and Adult Participant Registration Form

Participating as a: (mark only one)

- Presenter only** (Participation ribbon only for Primary Members, all others will receive judge's scores).
- Presenter and Room Coordinator** (grade 6 and above, and have presented at Presentation Day in the past) This is as needed – priority will be given to non-presenters.
- Presenter and Door Keeper** (grade 4 and above) This is as needed – priority will be given to non-presenters.
- Room Coordinator only** (grade 6 and above) **MUST BE ABLE TO ATTEND TRAINING AT 9:00 a.m.**
- Door Keeper only** (grade 4 and above) **MUST BE ABLE TO ATTEND TRAINING AT 9:00 a.m.**
- Teen Judge** (grade 9 and above, and have given 2 previous presentations at Presentation Day).
- Judge**

Be sure to credit yourself appropriately in your record book!

Name: _____ if youth, Age as of 1/1/2018: _____

Years in 4-H: _____ 4-H Community Club name: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail address: _____

If you are making a presentation:

Presentations should conform to the State 4-H Presentation Manual Version 2016 (Revised October 2016), available online at <http://4h.ucanr.edu/files/2193.pdf>

Type of Presentation: _____

(Fully described on pages 11 – 19 of the Manual. Choose from: Demonstration, Illustrated Talk; Scientific Or Engineering Presentation; Educational Display Talk; Informative Prepared Speech; Impromptu Speech; Interpretive Reading; Share the Fun; and Cultural Arts)

Name of Presentation: _____

Will live animals be used? _____ How many and what type? _____

How many presenters for this presentation? _____

Complete one registration form for EACH presenter.

Deadline: Must be received at the 4-H office by **5 p.m. on Friday, February 16th.**

Mail to El Dorado County 4-H Office Presentation Day 311 Fair Lane, Placerville, CA 95667

Questions? E-mail Denise Veffredo @ dveffredo@ucanr.edu or 530-621-5568



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Saturday, June 2, 2018

8:00am - 6:00pm

University of California, Davis - West Quad

Event Coordinator- DeAnnen Thunfeld, dtenhunfeld@ucanr.edu, 530-750-1340.

Each contest also has their own specific coordinator.



About California 4-H State Field Day

The annual California 4-H State Field Day is the largest and most comprehensive educational event for 4-H youth members and 4-H volunteer educators. Since 2002, 4-H'ers from throughout the state have come together to compete at the state level for various competitions. This family-friendly event is for all ages to participate.

Each contest and activity is coordinated by 4-H volunteers and youth. Event coordination and facility support is provided by the State 4-H Office.

The goal of the event is to provide a culminating experience for 4-H members in their year-long 4-H education in public speaking, textiles, plant sciences, photography, interview skills, and entomology.

For More information visit: http://4h.ucanr.edu/4-H_Events/SFD/

State Fashion Revue News 2018- Start your Service Projects today!

The service projects for 2018 State Fashion Revue are pillowcases for Ryan's Case for Smiles and blankets for Project Linus. Ryan's Case for Smiles distributes pillowcases to children with life-changing illnesses. Project Linus provides handmade blankets to seriously ill and traumatized children. For more information, visit the SFR website and scroll down to the section for Service Projects.

The 2018 SFR categories are Traditional, Upcycled, Consumer Science Purchased \$40, See it, Sew it Challenge, and Retro/Vintage Inspired Challenge. For complete information, see the SFR website.

Counties – to assist the SFR Committee with communications, please take a few minutes to give us your contact information and Fashion Revue dates using the survey at <http://ucanr.edu/survey/survey.cfm?surveynumber=21764>. Thank you!

Project ♥ Linus



Ryan's

CASE for **SMILES**

Helping kids feel better to heal better

A Fantastic Opportunity!

Travel to Japan and Experience a Special Culture with the
El Dorado County Chapter of People to People, International

YOUTH SUMMIT 2018, JAPAN

July 20th, 2018—August 1, 2018

We are seeking 15 El Dorado County Youths (Ages 15-17) to take part in a cultural exchange hosted by our sister city in Warabi, Japan this summer.

This once-in-a-lifetime experience will be an amazing opportunity to be an ambassador for El Dorado County and establish life-long friends.

To request an application and more information, contact:

Myrna Hanses, 530 350-7057,
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or

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Applications due March 2, 2018



Founded in 1956, the purpose of People to People International is to enhance international understanding and friendship through educational, cultural, and humanitarian activities involving the exchange of ideas and experiences directly among people of different countries and diverse cultures.



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Upcoming Events

February 2nd: T-Shirt design and Sponsorships due to leaders

February 8th: Livestock Advisory Committee Meeting (LAC) 6:30 @4-H office

February 20th: Volunteer Management Board Meeting 6pm @ 4-H office

February 24th: El Dorado County Presentation Day 10am @ Folsom Lake College, PLACERVILLE Location

March 10th: Skills day 9am-3pm @ El Dorado County Fairgrounds

March 10th: Home Arts Day 8:30am-1:30pm @ El Dorado County Fairgrounds

March 24th: Central Sierra Sub-Area Presentation Day 8:30am @ Argonaut High School

A full list of calendar events can be found here :http://ucanr.edu/sites/edc_4-h_program/?calendar=yes&g=47181

Also check out the [4-H Statewide Calendar](http://4h.ucanr.edu/News/Calendar/) at <http://4h.ucanr.edu/News/Calendar/> for events, dates & deadlines



I pledge my...

HEAD

to clearer thinking,

HEART

to greater loyalty,

HANDS

to larger service,

HEALTH

to better living,

for my club, my community, my country, and my world.





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The Hotline is published monthly for the El Dorado County
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Articles about 4-H or topics of general interest to families are welcome.

Articles are due the 25th of the month email to dveffredo@ucanr.edu

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