



2020 Napa County 4-H Summer Camps Cancelled

Dear Napa 4-H Camping Community,

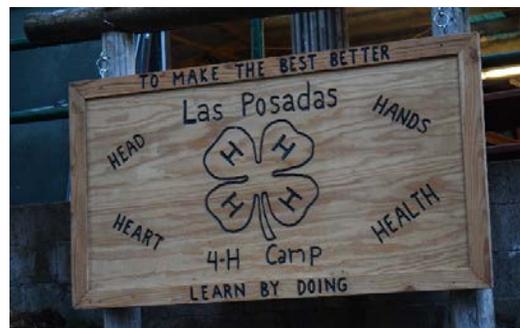
All 4-H summer camps taking place at the Las Posadas 4-H Camp, including Napa 4-H Camp Week 1 and 2, have been cancelled due to the coronavirus pandemic. Several factors played a role in the decision making process by the [Las Posadas 4-H Camp, Inc. Board of Directors](#), including uncertainties around the ability to screen campers to ensure the safety of those in attendance, properly sanitize and prepare the camp facilities in advance of camp (including scheduling the proper county health inspections), and affectively implementing social distancing requirements. Please know that this decision was not made lightly, and was determined with the safety of our youth, families, and volunteers as a top priority.



The Napa 4-H Camp Registrar, Bobbi Lindwall, Napa4HCamp@hotmail.com, will contact campers to initiate the process for returning or disposing of registration checks (*no camper enrollment checks have been deposited*). The registrar will also begin notifying and refunding staffers, minus the state 4-H enrollment fee.

The decision was difficult; one long-time 4-H adult camp director remarked, *"it is heartbreaking to imagine Las Posadas empty this summer, yet I believe it is best to put the health and safety of our camp family first."* Please know that we are here to support our 4-H camping community and look forward to Napa County 4-H Summer Camps 2021. Please do not hesitate to reach out with any questions or needs.

The 4-H Office and Camp Advisors realize this leaves a hole during the summer months, especially for staffers who have been working hard to prepare for the 2020 camp season. Therefore, it is the goal and intention of Camp Advisors to develop, implement, and offer some virtual summer camp opportunities for staffers this summer, to still be able to connect youth with camp and the outdoors through the use of technology. Camp Advisors will communicate those plans and opportunities over the coming weeks.



Warmest Regards,

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