Welcome to the New 4-H Program Year! Questions call Nancy at the 4-H office 530-621-5503

For enrolling in 4-H this year, the cost per 4-H adult volunteer will remain the same at $15 and the cost per 4-H member will remain at $40. All details can be found at the Join Now webpage at: http://cecentralsierra.ucanr.edu/4-H_Youth_Development/Join_Now/

Deadline to be eligible for fair in 2016-
Returning Members: Thursday, October 15th, 2015
New Members: Tuesday, December 1st, 2015

New Members: Tuesday, December 1st, 2015
**New El Dorado County 4-H All Star Ambassadors**

**Placerville, CA** - El Dorado County 4-H will be installing the new All Star Ambassadors and celebrating the hard work and achievements of members at their annual Recognition Night on Friday, October 9th at Buckeye Elementary School, 4561 Buckeye Rd, Shingle Springs. The event will begin at 6:00 PM and is expected to last approximately an hour. In addition to All Star installation, Recognition Night includes awards for livestock knowledge proficiency, outstanding Record Books, State Golden Clover recipients, leadership conference delegates, and adult volunteer years of service. The event is free, and open to the community. Guests are asked to bring a dessert to share during the social time following the final award presentation.

All Star Ambassador is the highest recognized rank of 4-H achievement in the county. In order to serve as an All Star these members completed their bronze, silver and gold stars, and additionally demonstrated proven leadership skills in their club and community. They represent 4-H in our county and surrounding areas, assist with program development, host events, and serve as role models. All Star Ambassadors are selected through a rigorous interview process and are expected to contribute to positive youth development through service to the 4-H Program and local community. All Star Ben Hicks says, "Being an All Star Ambassador has helped me to be further invested in the development of 4-H and its role in the community."

High school juniors Abbi Purciel and Seth Wise will be installed during Friday’s Recognition Night ceremony. They will join the existing El Dorado County 4-H All Star Ambassador team consisting of Rachel Gray, Brooke Haynes, Anna Hicks, Ben Hicks, Anna Marie Repetto, and Molly Varozza. One of the group’s advisors explains, "This team is an outstanding example of our local youth and the future of our community. You will see them throughout the year at County Fair fundraisers and local service club events, as well as government and community leadership meetings." Once installed, All Stars serve until they graduate from high school. Team member Anna Marie says that "Serving on the All Star Ambassador team has allowed me to practice my leadership skills, meet some amazing people in our county, and serve my community."

The 4-H Youth Development Program offers educational opportunities for children, teens, families, and adults. 4-H helps young people to reach their full potential as competent, confident, leaders of character who contribute and are connected to their communities. For more information, or to volunteer or donate to the program, please contact program representative, Denise Veffredo, dveffredo@ucanr.org, by phone at 530-621-5568, or at the 4-H office, 311 Fair Lane Drive, Placerville, CA 95667.
National Paper Clover Campaign
Continues Support of El Dorado County 4-H Youth

National 4-H Council has announced the launch of the fall 2015 4-H Paper Clover Campaign in partnership with Tractor Supply Company (TSC). This event marks the sixth year of collaboration between the organizations on the national in-store fundraiser, benefiting state and local 4-H programming in each of the communities where a TSC store is located.

The fall 2015 4-H Paper Clover Campaign will take place October 7-18, 2015. Shoppers at the Placerville Tractor Supply store will have the opportunity to support 4-H in El Dorado County by choosing to purchase paper clovers for a $1 or more at checkout. All funds raised will be donated to 4-H, and will support 4-H youth development program activities in El Dorado County.

“For many years, the Paper Clover fundraiser has allowed us to provide thousands of 4-H youth across the country greater access to 4-H programs,” said Jennifer Sirangelo, president and CEO, National 4-H Council. “We are thrilled about our continued partnership with Tractor Supply Company as it drives the excitement of local community participation and support for 4-H programs, and therefore the success of the 4-H Paper Clover Campaign.”

Last year, across 49 states, the TSC 4-H Paper Clover Campaign provided more than $1.7 million to 4-H across the country. All proceeds raised directly benefit 4-H, with 70 percent of funds being returned to state and local 4-H programs. The effort has provided direct support for local camps, after-school programs and other activities, and has granted scholarships to these events where youth can explore their interests in everything from animal science to robotics.

“The Paper Clover fundraiser is a significant part of Tractor Supply Company’s support of 4-H programs throughout the 1,300 communities we serve,” said Christi Korzekwa, vice president, Marketing, Tractor Supply Company. “We are proud to be able to provide essential funding to more than 1,000 county 4-H programs. These programs make a positive impact on young people that last a lifetime. The continued success of the Tractor Supply Paper Clover fundraisers demonstrate the importance of our 4-H partnership with our customers, team members and communities.”

Once again, funds donated during the national campaign will be tracked online and recorded by state and by store. Visit www.tractorsupply.com/4-H for more information on the fall 2015 4-H Paper Clover Campaign and to view the donation tracker.

About 4-H
4-H, the nation’s largest youth development organization, grows confident young people who are empowered for life today and prepared for career tomorrow. 4-H programs empower nearly six million young people across the U.S. through experiences that develop critical life skills. 4-H is the youth development program of our nation’s Cooperative Extension System and USDA, and serves every county and parish in the U.S. through a network of 110 public universities and more than 3000 local Extension offices. Globally, 4-H collaborates with independent programs to empower one million youth in 50 countries. The research-backed 4-H experience grows young people who are four times more likely to contribute to their communities; two times more likely to make healthier choices; two times more likely to be civically active; and two times more likely to participate in STEM programs.

Learn more about 4-H at www.4-H.org, find us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/4-H and on Twitter at https://twitter.com/4H.
About Tractor Supply Company
Tractor Supply Company, operates more than 1,400 stores in 49 states. Tractor Supply Company stores are focused on supplying the lifestyle needs of recreational farmers and ranchers. The company also serves the maintenance needs of those who enjoy the rural lifestyle, as well as tradesmen and small businesses. Tractor Supply Company stores are located in the outlying towns in major metropolitan markets and in rural communities. The company offers a comprehensive selection of merchandise for the health, care, growth and containment of horses, livestock and pets including select Purina and Nutrena brand feeds; a broad selection of agricultural products; and tools and hardware selected for our customers' needs. In addition, the company sells light truck equipment, work clothing for the entire family, and an extensive line of seasonal products including lawn and garden power equipment products. For more information on Tractor Supply, access the website at www.TractorSupply.com.
“4-H is not just a club. It’s a way of life.”
-4-H Member

NEXT VOLUNTEER MANAGEMENT BOARD MEETING:

November 17th 2015 • 7:15 pm
UCCE El Dorado County 4-H Office • Conference Room

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EL DORADO COUNTY 4-H MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

The El Dorado County 4-H Memorial Scholarship recognizes and financially assists 4-H members who have demonstrated the highest of achievements in scholarship and active 4-H leadership within the county. The successful 4-H member must have made outstanding contributions to 4-H during their academic years, have a desire to continue working in 4-H, and have high scholarship achievement. Recipients must have lived in El Dorado County for at least two (2) years, be currently enrolled in 4-H, and have achieved Gold Star rank to apply for the scholarship. Additionally, members must indicate their willingness to contribute time to the 4-H program as adults.

El Dorado County 4-H was pleased to award 2 local students this award:

Bryson Abel grew up in the rural lifestyle, developing a strong worth ethic and an appreciation for what it takes to maintain a small farm. Bryson’s projects ranged from horse and steer to leadership, presentation, and Graphical Information Systems (GIS). Major 4-H events that he attended were State Presentation Day where he earned a gold medal, he also attended CAL Conference for 3 years, and qualified for the State 4-H Horse Show several times, winning 1st place one year in the Trail competition. Bryson received his platinum ranking and has won the Golden Clover Award for the Mountain Horse project. Bryson attended Union Mine High School and is now a freshman at the University of Nevada, Reno where he will be studying Business/GIS.

Gina Phillipsen grew up in Shingle Springs. Gina’s 4-H projects included Guide Dogs for the Blind, swine, All Star Ambassador, photography, arts & crafts, cooking, community service, food & nutrition, sewing and gardening just to name a few.

Major 4-H events that she attended have been Color Run, Presentation Day, Recognition Night, Record Book Premium Round, CAL Conference, State Leadership Conference and State Field Day. Gina received her platinum ranking and was All Star Ambassador for 3 years. She won the Golden Clover – Ironstone Concours Service Dog Award 2 times and also won the Golden Clover for fundraising. Gina was awarded The President’s Volunteer Service Award 2 times, and was a state medalist for her 4H record book. Gina attended Ponderosa High School, and is now a freshman at the University of Nevada, Reno where she will be studying Engineering.
Announcing the 2015 National Science Experiment: *Motion Commotion* October 7, 2015

http://www.4-h.org/4-h-national-youth-science-day/

This exciting activity will combine a speeding car collision and a distracted driving demonstration in a simulated activity that investigates the physical and human factors of motion. Motion Commotion will enable youth to explore the physics of motion and distracted driving. The two-part experiment will test young people’s knowledge of science, speed and safety by:

- Constructing a simulated runway to analyze the speed, momentum and kinetic energy of a car in motion, and will explore the science behind the car’s collisions

Motion Commotion will be an activity during Paper Clover Week. Contact Denise at the 4-H office for more information or to help with the event 530-621-5568

**4-H Online Record Book Updates**

The 4-H Online Record Book (ORB) continues to grow in popularity among 4-H members (check out the ORB Satisfaction Survey Results) and we are continuing to grow and expand the features in the system. If you have questions regarding how to use ORB, an idea to improve the system or are experiencing a glitch, please use the ORB Request form to share with the ORB Support Team.

Have a group of people interested in learning how to use the ORB system? You can bring in the ORB Internet Café Training to your county. These 3 hour trainings have been a popular way to get people excited about ORB and on the path to successful online record book keeping. For more information about how you can bring this workshop to your county, click.

**California State Livestock Quiz Bowl**

October 17, 2015| Grand National Livestock Exposition, Horse Show and Rodeo. The California 4-H Youth | Cow Palace Development Program will be hosting a livestock quiz bowl at the Grand National Livestock Exposition, Horse Show and Rodeo. This event is open to both 4-H and FFA teams of four or five members. Participants must be 14-18 years old as of January 1, 2015.

For more information visit: http://4h.ucanr.edu/4-H_Events/Livestock_Quiz_Bowl/
Golden Clover Awards

We are pleased to announce and congratulate the recipients of the 2015 Golden Clover Awards. The selection committee was impressed with the depth and breadth of contributions of all of the nominees. It is an honor for us to recognize the following awardees.

Member:
- Innovative Ideas: Christina Bless (San Benito)
- Spirit of Citizenship: Angela Richards (Alameda)
- Collaboration and Outreach: Sylvia Hood (Calaveras)
- Special Events: Andrew Weiss (San Mateo)
- 4-H Member of Excellence: Katelyn Praly (Santa Cruz)
- Ironstone Concours Service Dog: Gina Phillipsen (El Dorado) & Theresa Wood (Placer)
- Robert Brownlee Science: Andrew Wood (Placer) & Christine Fry (Madera)
- California Beekeepers Association: Spencer Whitrock (Ventura) & Sandra Gaylord (Tulare)

Volunteers:
- Spirit of Citizenship: Margaret Miller (Alameda)
- Collaboration and Outreach: Carolyn Vane (Alameda)
- Special Events: Kelly Dowlan (San Diego)
- Volunteer Mentoring Award: Terry Reeder (Santa Cruz)
- Robert Brownlee Science: Terry Berke, Ph.D (Yolo)
- Emerging Leader: Bonnie Bunyard (Modoc)
- Clay Outdoor Adventure: Ken Smith (Modoc)

Group:
- Fundraising: Color Me Green Color Run (El Dorado)
- Collaboration and Outreach: Siskiyou Hi 4-H (Siskiyou)
- Spirit of Citizenship: Sonoma County 4-H Wildlife Project (Sonoma)

Did you know that 4-H has: Military Programs

Tutoring

Tutor.com for U.S. Military Families is a DoD-funded program that allows eligible students in U.S. military families to connect to a live tutor online at any time for one-to-one help with homework, studying, test prep, proofreading and more. The service is available at no charge to all grades K-12 students.

Please spread the word: www.tutor.com/military
Dear 4-H Friend,

The first week of October is National 4-H Week, a time for all of us to celebrate the nation’s largest youth organization and how 4-H helps to create responsible kids, strong families and connected communities. We recognize year-round the impact 4-H makes across California and we know our life-changing work would not be possible without the commitment, sacrifice and enthusiasm from you, our 4-H partners.

You make leadership education, life-skills training and hands-on science learning possible for tens of thousands of California children. Last program year 19,403 adult and teen volunteers contributed an incredible 1,464,225 total volunteer hours! We can literally say thanks a million to you, our volunteers, the backbone of 4-H. Your gifts of your time and resources make our work possible.

Grateful for you and your service to our youth,

Paula L. Allison
Executive Director

YOU ARE INVITED!

The Future of 4-H Starts Today: Implementation of the 4-H Futures Task Force Recommendations

Join us for the implementation roll-out meeting to learn about the new state level Volunteer Management Organization. This will also be an opportunity to ask questions and help contribute to the communication and continuous improvement plan. For more information visit: http://4h.ucanr.edu/Get_Involved/4-H_Futures_Task_Force/

Meeting Date: October 24, 2015
Time: 10:00 am - 4:00 pm
Where: UC ANR Building, San Joaquin Room, California State 4-H Office, 2801 Second Street, Davis, CA 95618
Agenda: Implementation Roll-Out Meeting
To attend via webinar of Face to Face Register by Oct. 16: http://ucanr.edu/survey/survey.cfm?surveynumber=15768

Mindfulness Retreat
November 4-6, 2016
Camp Ocean Pines, Cambria, California
Teens ages 13 - 19 and adults are welcome to spend the weekend at the beautiful Camp Ocean Pines developing their health and well being. Teens will not only increase their personal skills in leading a healthy lifestyle, but will also gain skills in needed to be a health advocate in their communities. For more information contact Anne Iaccopucci (amiaccopucci@ucanr.edu or Jenna Colburn (jcolburn@ucanr.edu) Mindfulness Retreat
Viticulture Countywide Project

About the Project:
Viticulture is the Art & Science of growing grapes. In this project we will explore both of these aspects through hands on investigations and experimentation, field trips, discussions, and talking with people in this field. We will be partnering with Findleton Estate Winery in this project. Club meetings will be on Fridays Evenings (TBA) with a couple of possible Saturday meetings.

Other activities in the Viticulture Program include:
- Vineyard tour(s) to observe trellising, grape clusters, soil, pruning, etc...
- Grafting & Growing your own grapevine
- Soil Analysis / Testing
- Vascular System of Grapevines
- Sensory Analysis
- Common pests and problems in the vineyard
- Field Trips
- Careers in Viticulture

Contact project leader Angela Cardinalli (530) 391-6601 for any questions.

Science, Engineering & Technology County-wide 4-H Project

When: Meetings will be once a month October-April on the last Sunday of each month
Time: 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
Where: 4-H office or project leaders home
Ages: 9+ only – space is limited to 15 members

What to expect: In this project youth will get to tinker and play with science, engineering and technology. We will experiment with the laws of motion, build solar ovens and cars, tinker with Lego NXT and tinker Junk Drawer Robotics. If you are an inventor or a tinkerer, this may be the project for you.

Project Leader: Tracy Celio tra-

Fundraising For Farmland County-Wide project

When: Meetings will be once a month September to December
Ages: 9+ only

What: Come use your creative skills to learn about and support environment education and sustainable local farming.

Project Leader: Catherine Mone, cjmonet@gmail.com

Small Animal County-Wide Project

When: First meeting Sept 24th at 6:30 pm at Highway Bible Church, 6420 Mother Lode Dr., Placerville, 95667

Ages: 5 – 8 years (primaries only)

What: To gain experience caring for a small animal, explore a small animal breed and it’s care, and participate in group activities.

Project Leader: Jennifer Cowles, cowlesclan@yahoo.com
4-H Introduces NEW Uniform Guidelines

We are pleased to announce that the California 4-H Youth Development Program has adopted new 4-H uniform guidelines. Implementation of these guidelines are effective beginning July 1, 2015 and are expected to take several years for full adoption. See the 4-H uniform page on the state website for more information and see the California 4-H Uniform Guidelines for complete garment details and the transition plan to the new uniform guidelines.

4-H Uniform Hat

The 4-H hat is a source of pride for the California 4-H Youth Development Program, as we are the only state to have such a 4-H club hat. Many members use the hat to display their achievement pins and to wear during fairs. A 4-H hat is NOT required for membership in the California 4-H Youth Development Program or for participation in any 4-H activity, event, or occasion.

Guidelines: Effective July 1, 2015

Official green 4-H hat branded with the University of California, Agriculture and Natural Resources (UC ANR) and the 4-H clover logo mark. These can be purchased through Leslie Carman 4-H Supplies as of August 31, 2015.

Youth who are currently senior level members may continue to use their white hat for the remainder of their 4-H career. New senior members as of July 1, 2015 will be able to purchase a white hat from Leslie Carman until December 31, 2015 and may continue to use their white hat for the remainder of their 4-H career. Senior members may also convert to the green hat as they choose.

It is expected that by July 1, 2020, all members will be wearing the UC ANR 4-H branded green hats.

Changes to 4-H Hats, Year Completion Pins & Stripes

Read more about 4-H hats and changes in year completion pins and stripes: http://4h.ucanr.edu/About/Uniform/California_4-H_Hat/

Did you know?

As a statewide program delivered locally, there are now common standards across the state for what it means to be a member in good standing, project completion requirements, how members earn a year stripe and pin, and much more. Check out the new Steps to Success in 4-H.
4-H Thrive 2015-2016 Master Trainer & Project Leader Information
As the launch of projects for the 2015-16 4-H program year begins, we wanted to share how 4-H Thrive will be operating this year and how project leaders can order 4-H Thrive Educational Materials and gain access to online resources. Please click here for the information. We will be continuing to develop our online resources over the course of

Thrive Updates
Are you leading an iSprout, iGrow, or iThrive project? If so, let us know how it is going!
iSprout: https://ucanr.qualtrics.com/SE/?SID=SV_e5TPsTjt3Kknt7D
iGrow or iThrive: https://ucanr.edu/survey/survey.cfm? surveynumber=16012

NEW! Theatre Arts (All 3 Levels) Materials Kit
Designed to assist facilitators with the activities in all the Theatre Arts curriculum Levels 1, 2, and 3. There are many items that are included within this kit allow youth to use their creativity as they explore concepts in the Theatre Arts curriculum. This ready-to-go kit is intended for ten (10) youth.
2015-16 Record Book Manuals

The new edition of the 2015-16 Record Book Manuals are now available online and include several changes. Be sure to use current forms, which can be found at: http://4h.ucanr.edu/Resources/Members/RecordBook/About_4-H_Record_Books/

The new manuals now are in two versions. One shorter, easier to read edition for members and another, longer edition for adults who may want more background information for leading Record Book projects or for their own knowledge. The forms have been separated out of the manual for ease of use—they don’t have to extract the forms from the manual anymore. The forms and the manual are intended to work together so please be sure to download both a manual and the forms.

The State Incentives and Recognition Committee will be offering a series of webinars to guide youth and adults through the Record Book changes. Look for more information about these webinars on the website at

http://4h.ucanr.edu/Resources/Members/RecordBook/RBResources/

State Record Book Competition

Evaluators Need!! Have you evaluated Record Books at the County level? Do you really enjoy reading about how young people are growing through their 4-H involvement? If you answered “Yes!” to both questions, then consider applying to be an evaluator for State Record Book Competition. State Competition will be held in Davis on November 13 - 15, 2015. Evaluator applications are due by October 1, 2015. Find out more about the evaluation process on the State website and judge’s application here.

Members who are entering State Record Book Competition should review the 2015 State 4-H Record Book Competition Evaluation Process found at http://4h.ucanr.edu/files/190839.pdf

Books must ARRIVE at the State Office by October 23rd.

Horse Curriculum (Revised)

This is a newly revised edition of the traditional 4-H Horse curriculum! It contains the same titles as the first set of Horse books, but with new content and improved ease of use.

Welcome to 4-H: New Member Guide

In your 4-H club, you will work with other young people and adult volunteers to make new friends, learn new skills, practice being a leader, and give back to your community. As a 4-H member, you will choose one or more topics to learn about during the year. That includes everything from learning how to cook, build a robot, or care for the environment. Hundreds of projects are offered through 4-H.
WHY Conference  All 4-H Members Ages 11-19 Welcome

Do you want a fun filled, action packed weekend filled with leadership and social networking? Then W.H.Y. Conference is the place for you. Come meet new friends and “Ignite your Spark” with teens from 19 North Section Counties.

Late Registration Deadline: After August 15 and up to September 4, 2015.

Please log on to:  WHY Conference  All of the registration dates are available.

For more information please call Lisa Adler 530-249-1108

There is also a video from Jeff Devoll who is going to be our speaker at:  WHY Conference

This Years Possible Workshop’s to Include:

- 2 Great Guest Speakers
- 3 D Archery Target Restoration
- How to Dress for Success
- Disc Golf
- Emerald Star Presentation
- Line Dancing
- Jig Tying
- Astronomy Night

State Leader’s Forum 2015

Are you burned out!? It is time to regain consciousness and revolutionize your motivation at the beautiful Crowne Plaza in Mission Valley ~ San Diego. Enjoy special forum room rates by mentioning California 4-H State Leaders’ Forum and calling 1-888-233-9527 or by registering online using this link.

https://resweb.passkey.com/Resweb.do?mode=welcome_ei_new&eventID=12730819.  Single / Double rates are $105 a night. An additional $10.00 will be added for triple or quad occupancy. The special room rates will be extended three (3) days prior to and following the group’s meeting dates, on a space and rate available basis.

Start making plans now! Have you ever been to Sea World San Diego? Have you been behind the scenes? Here is your chance! The first 50 SLF participants to register for the conference (registration $60, does not include activities and meals) and request the tour, by mailing in your forms with check/money order or registering online line with a credit card http://ucanr.edu/survey/survey.cfm?surveynumber=14799 has the opportunity to join us for a complimentary behind the scenes tour on Thursday Morning Nov. 5, 2015. (Shuttle from hotel is available.)

Learn about careers and research opportunities for our 4-H members. Oh yeah – that’s FRESH!! Be prepared to keep busy with activities to fit the needs and interest of every 4-H adult volunteer, staff and parent, including Make it-Take it-Trade it, Photo Booth, Secret Pals and of course the annual friendly competition at the Silent Auction! This is the first time in the history SLF is being held in beautiful San Diego. We have switched up everything! It will not be your typical SLF. You gotta’ join us, cause we are..."Keepin’ It Fresh".... just for YOU!
Called to order: 7:15 pm

Roll Call: Intros and sign in sheet passed around

Approval of the Agenda: Approval motion by Vera Allen

Reading of the Minutes from last month: Amended date to 8/18/2015

Approval motion by Sherry Phillipson

Reports: UCCE Staff Reports

Denise: Ironstone need cookies due 9/24/2015 to 4H office packages of 5

Round up may become March Expo/Skills day Tentative date 3/12/2016

May have contest to rename Round up

Business:

Budget: Treasurer report: End $37,779.59 Approval motion by Ben Hicks

Proposed new budget to be published in newsletter

Approved purchase of quick books approx. $200 Approval motion by Sherry Phillipson

New Treasurer Shana

Color me Green: need Fundraiser Committee: will be open to Public. Contact person Denise Veffredo

Sign up sheet was passed around for volunteer sign ups.

Emerald Star: We have someone who wasn’t to propose their idea to the board but was not available this meeting, They would like to meet another time but sooner than next planned meeting. The board agreed to hold a special meeting for Emerald Star applicant.

Board Appointments: All need to fill out applications.

Fundraising (adults) Julie Winter and Julie

Recording Secretary: (youth) Breiana Winter, (adult) Marilyn Condon

Conflict Resolution: Working with an active situation will meet later with Program Reps to discuss confidential information.

Recognition Night is Oct 9th Bring a dessert. All Members welcome not just recipients.

Announcements: Volunteer Orientation in progress

Adjourn meeting: at 8:27 pm Approval motion by Alex Stephenson.
Upcoming Events

October
- October: 7th-18th Paper Clover Sales Tractor Supply
- October: 9th, County Recognition night
- October: 15th returning members enrollment closes
- October: 19th New Volunteer Orientation 6:00 p.m. @ 4-H office
- October: 20th Color Me Green Run meeting 5:30 4-H office

November
- November: 16th New Volunteer Orientation 6:00 p.m. @ 4-H office

Also check out the 4-H Statewide 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.

Sign Up for E-Script! And raise Funds for El Dorado Co. 4-H while you shop!

Enroll in [Something Extra](#)  
Select [El Dorado County 4-H Council](#) as your organization of choice.  
Once enrolled, follow these steps:  
- Visit [www.raleys.com/extracredit](http://www.raleys.com/extracredit)  
- Click on the green “Get Started” button  
- Select [El Dorado County 4-H Council](#) from the menu  
- Designate the percentage of scrip to donate.  

Let your friends, family & alumni know about this easy way to support youth!
The Hotline is published monthly for the El Dorado County 4-H Youth Development Program.

Next Hotline: November, 2015

Articles about 4-H or topics of general interest to families are welcome.

Articles are due the 20th of the month email to dveffredo@ucanr.edu

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