

Fresno County 4-H Guidelines

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ADULT INPUT SURVEY

To “Make the Best Better” we need to hear from you!

Please take a moment to complete the 4-H Adult Survey by accessing via the link below. This will give us invaluable insight into various areas of our 4-H Youth Development Program here in Fresno County.

<http://ucanr.edu/survey/survey.cfm?surveynumber=29469>

We GREATLY APPRECIATE your time!



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Words To Live By:

“Every great dream begins with a dreamer. Always remember, you have within you the strength, the patience, and the passion to reach for the stars to change the world.” -

Harriet Tubman



Our programs are open to all potential participants. Please contact the Fresno County UCCE office (two weeks prior to the activity), at (559) 241-7515, if you have any barriers to participation requiring any accommodation.



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Fresno County 4-H Leader's Council & Committee Meetings

UCCE 4-H Office
550 E. Shaw Ave.
Fresno, CA 93710

Fresno County 4-H Leader's Council

Tuesday, February 11, 2020

7:00 p.m. - 4-H Office, 550 E. Shaw Ave., Fresno CA 93710
San Joaquin/Tuolumne Room

Hi-C

7:00 p.m. - Tuesday February 11, 2020

7:00 p.m. Tuesday, March 10, 2020
550 E. Shaw #210-B, Fresno, Ca 93710
4-H Office - Merced Room

Color Me Green Planning Meeting

6:00 p.m. - Tuesday February 11, 2020
550 E. Shaw #210-B, Fresno, Ca 93710
4-H Office - San Joaquin/Tuolumne Room

Junior Camp Counselor Planning Meeting

Monday, February 17, 2020

Fresno State University-Ag One Building, 2910 E. Barstow Ave.
6:00 p.m. Committee Directors, 6:20 pm Entire Group

Incentives & Recognition Committee Meeting

6:00 p.m. - Monday, April 20, 2020
550 E. Shaw #210-B, Fresno, Ca 93710
4-H Office—Conference Room #24

Leaders Council

The University of California 4-H Youth Development Program (4-H YDP) creates supportive environments utilizing learn-by-doing educational experiences for culturally diverse youth and adults to reach their fullest potential. In support of this mission, the Fresno County Leader's Council meets five times per year to review and implement policy, coordinate and plan county wide events, and make decisions to enhance our programs success. All active 4-H adult volunteers in Fresno County are voting members of the 4-H Leader's Council. Youth members are encouraged to attend and contribute thoughts and ideas to the Council. **Remember ALL clubs MUST send a representative to ALL Council meetings.**



BEST PRACTICE FOR 4-H OFFICE VISITS

Due to changes in staff at the 4-H office you may find our front door closed and locked during business hours. This likely will not be for periods of more than an hour at a time however, the best way to avoid the inconvenience of encountering this will be to contact the office in advance of dropping by. Yolanda Murillo, our 4-H secretary may be reached at (559) 241-7515 or Tracy Newton, 4-H program representative at (559) 241-7525.

CCL'S (Community Club Leaders) ~ Need to Know

- ✓ The club level success of our program begins with you, THANK YOU for your leadership
 - ✓ 4-H'ers will carry memories of their 4-H years for a lifetime, MAKE THEM GREAT
 - ✓ Adult incomplete volunteer enrollments MUST be processed and completed ASAP
- ✓ Community Service reporting link https://ucanr.edu/sites/4-H-Fresno/Adult_Leaders/Community_Service/
- ✓ Utilize an "Enrollment Coordinator" to manage online enrollment, monitoring, and family communications
- ✓ Please DO NOT confirm Inspire students in 4honline, county will activate. Fee is \$81.25 per member

MARK YOUR CALENDARS 2020 - *IMPORTANT DEADLINES/EVENTS*

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2020 4-H Calendar details found here: http://ucanr.edu/sites/4-H-Fresno/Events/Master_Calendar

REMINDER: Enrollment Requirements for Active Participation

Any youth actively participating at a 4-H meeting or event **MUST BE ENROLLED IN THE 4HONLINE** system. We welcome visitors to attend and observe as many times as needed to make well informed decisions on their club and project choices. We **CANNOT** have active, hands-on participation on any level without having completed enrollment and being activated as a 4-H member. A recent county event brought new awareness to this issue with participation of non-members.



Fresno Grizzlies Farm Grown Scholarships Guidelines and Application

Farm Grown promotes the agricultural heritage and philanthropic vitality of the Central San Joaquin Valley through the building of meaningful partnerships in support of education, agriculture, healthy living, and baseball. Through this initiative, the Fresno Grizzlies are pleased to provide up to \$10,000 in scholarships annually to outstanding local FFA and 4-H students pursuing a degree in an agricultural-related field.

The Class of 2020 Scholarship winners will be notified by March 16th and will be presented their awards during the My Job Depends on Ag Night on April 17, 2020.

For Farm Grown Scholarship application form and additional Fresno County 4-H Scholarships available please see the Fresno County 4-H website link: https://ucanr.edu/sites/4-H-Fresno/Youth_Members/Scholarships/

Fresno County 4-H Scholarships & Grants 2020

4-H graduating senior members, don't miss out on the opportunity for local and state level scholarships. Access county website for details:

https://ucanr.edu/sites/4-H-Fresno/Youth_Members/Scholarships/

Please Note Application Deadline Dates:

March 1st, Fresno Grizzlies

April 13th, Fresno County Scholarships

April 20th, Fresno FiberArt Guild



Club New Members Contest 2019-2020

CONGRATULATIONS Fairmont 4-H Club! With 37 first year members you are the winners of the club springtime pizza party. Please contact Tracy Newton at the 4-H Office to schedule the month you'd like to enjoy your pizza. Coming in close behind in a tie with 34 first year members were Blossom Trail & Kingsburg clubs. We have five clubs that have exceeded membership numbers from last year. **SHOUT OUT & HIGH FIVES** to Fowler, Kerman, McKinley, Reedley, & Renegades clubs! Remember enrollment officially never closes. There's still time to grow and recruit as we are off and running into the last half of the program year. Project leaders in some cases may be to capacity or unable to go back through lessons plans in which making the recommendation to wait until next year is acceptable. Encourage another avenue of involvement within the club. **GROWTH** is a sign of **SUCCESS**. Job well done by all!



Club Enrollment Comparison of 2018-2019 to 2019-2020 Current as of February 7th, 2020

Club	Contact	Primary Club - CURRENT			Primary Club - Last Year	
		Adults	Youth	1st Year	Adults	Youth
American Union	Diana Hepner	3	18	8	4	24
Blossom Trail	Marcie West / Kristen Rusconi	20	67	34	21	69
Fairmont	Cambria Dyes / Erin Collup	20	80	37	20	84
Fowler	Lucille King	4	7	3	2	6
Kerman	Shannon Babshoff	16	59	26	15	54
Kingsburg	Nathan Williams	15	87	34	19	90
Lone Star	Patti Hatayama	3	13	6	5	20
McKinley	Angeleene Sanchez	9	47	25	15	39
Pleasant Valley	Kristin Welch	3	8	3	3	10
Reedley	Clara Plascencia	16	43	13	21	42
Renegades	Anna Allen / Traci Nielsen	8	30	15	7	21
Ridge Top	Amy Osterberg	6	20	7	13	22
Rural Route	Christina and Donny Rollin	14	70	18	16	77
Sanger	Audrey Bonomi	9	30	14	6	38
Sierra	Shaun Skierka	19	45	21	21	54

The Exhibit Application for the 2020 4-H Field Day is now available by clicking here!

<https://ucanr.edu/survey/survey.cfm?surveynumber=29177>

4-H Field Day, initiated in 2002, is California 4-H's largest and most comprehensive educational event for 4-H youth members (ages 9-19) and 4-H volunteer educators, with more than 1,500 participants annually. 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.

4-H Field Day will take place:

Saturday, May 30, 2020

8:00am - 6:00pm

University of California, Davis - West Quad

We are looking for **departments, faculty, 4-H clubs, projects, countywide groups, and organizations** that can set up an exhibit during this important day for our youth. Exhibits are a great opportunity to share knowledge, interact with youth and adults, and engage people in new activities. Exhibits could include games, hands-on activities, community service crafts, informative booths, etc. **To apply for an exhibit or to get more information, visit this site:** <https://ucanr.edu/survey/survey.cfm?surveynumber=29177> For any questions contact us at 4hsfd@ucanr.edu

"Ewe" don't want to miss this!



Fresno County 4-H Sheep Field Day

~ Saturday, February 22, 2020 ~ 10 a.m. – 2 p.m. (rain or shine) ~

Visit a commercial
sheep operation

Learn how 4-H
plays a role in the
sheep industry
and
brush up on your
sheep knowledge
for Livestock
Achievement!

Talk to a
vet about
sheep
health

Learn about car-
cass an meat
evaluation

Bring a chair, a jacket and
wear close-toed shoes or
boots.
Lunch will be provided!

Location:
Indart Ranch
10464 E. Herndon Ave.
Clovis, CA 93619
Hurry and sign up...space is limited!
Contact
Susanne Carroll (559) 269-9959
or Georgene Diener (559) 269-1177
or email:
susanneandkevin@yahoo.com
to reserve your spot!



Revised Date Please Note Annual 4-H Model Horse Show



Hosted By: Fairmont & Kingsburg 4-H Horse Projects

When: **Saturday - February 22, 2020** at 9:00 a.m. Registration at 8:00 a.m.

Where: Fairmont Elementary School- 3095 N. Greenwood Ave. Sanger, CA. 93657

Who: Open to All 4-Her's. Horse project membership is NOT required

New this year - 2 entries allowed per class - Showing rain or shine

Friendly competition, No horse hauling hassles, Join the FUN!

We will offer showmanship this year so study up on horse knowledge



✓ Ribbons 1st thru 6th

✓ Rosettes Division Champions

✓ Trophies to Overall Champion

For further information please contact:

Tracy Newton 559-970-3092

Malia Weeks 559-246-9673

Debbie Ramirez 559-473-6299

✓ Great Silent Auction

✓ Scrumptious Snack Bar

✓ Fee \$1.00 per class

<https://ucanr.edu/sites/4-H-Fresno/?calitem=398956&g=90407>

Fresno County 4-H Livestock Achievement

Livestock Project Leaders and Members... please mark the following dates on your calendars:

April 1-30th, time for livestock project leaders to order and have members take the written test for the Fresno County 4-H Livestock Achievement Program.

May 9th – Skills Testing for Livestock Achievement.

Brush up on what will be covered for each level of the Livestock Achievement program by visiting the Livestock Achievement page on the county website: https://ucanr.edu/sites/4-H-Fresno/Projects/Livestock_Achievement/

The Power Point on the website outlines the knowledge and skills needed for each level of the program. Project leaders, written tests will be available to pick up at the county office on April 1st. The tests must be turned back in to the office by April 30th. The Skills Testing will take place during the 4-H Fair on May 9th. We've had great participation in this program over the years and look forward to even better participation this year! The program is open to all members who are enrolled in a 4-H livestock project (beef cattle, sheep, swine, meat goat, dairy goat).

If you need help planning meetings or finding resources for your livestock project, or if you have a resource you'd like to share, please contact:

Beef Cattle – Susanne Carroll 559-269-9959

Meat Goats – Alonzo Hernandez 559-481-2041

Swine – Alisyn Gaasch 550-289-7292

Dairy Goats – Clara O'Daniel 559-593-0449

Sheep – Georgene Diener 559-269-1177



Attention 4-H Friends and Families

Please follow, promote and support the new "We Love 4-H" group through any of these platforms on social media or online. We love 4-H is a group of devoted parents, 4-H volunteers, local community leaders and 4-H alumni concerned about the current California 4-H Program budget deficit that impacts our local and state program. Together we are working to come up with sustainable ideas and action plane to protect the 4-H program we love. Join our cause and stay informed.



2020 FRESNO COUNTY FASHION REVUE

Saturday, March 14th, 2020

Fresno Fairgrounds, 1121 S. Chance Street, Fresno

Contestant Check-in at 9:00 am, Fashion Show at 1:30 pm

Theme: 20/20 Fashion ... What's your vision?

ENTRIES, INCLUDING COMMENTARIES, DUE MARCH 2nd

Email commentaries directly to Sierra 4-H Club at fresnocountysierra4h@gmail.com, include name, club, category, and age group with each commentary. See county website for additional guidance.



NEW THIS YEAR~SPECIAL DONOR SPONSORED AWARDS! SILENT AUCTION

RULES FOR ALL CATEGORIES:

The outfit must be produced and modeled by the individual member during judging and the fashion show (not created for someone else).

All outfits must meet the 4-H Dress Code. All shorts, skirts, dresses, etc. must be at least fingertip length. Articles of clothing that display profanity, products or slogans that promote tobacco, alcohol, drugs and sex are prohibited. Items of clothing that expose bare midriffs, cleavage (front or back), undergarments or that are transparent (see-through) are prohibited. These general guidelines apply to 4-H members, adult volunteers, parents/guardians and program participants.

All outfits entered must be suitable for comfortably walking, sitting, and going up and down stairs. You may enter in three different categories.

A commentary describing the outfit being modeled must be submitted. The preferable length of the commentary should be approximately 100 words. Use descriptive and fun words to describe outfit and member.

Age categories: Participant's age of 12/31/19, Primary (under age 9), Junior (9-10), Intermediate (11-13), (Senior 14-18)

CATEGORIES: Traditional – Consumer Science Purchased, \$40.00 Limit – Vintage Challenge

Cosplay Challenge – Box Challenge – Skill Challenge

COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECTS – JUDGING CONTESTS – HIGH TEA LUNCHEON

APPROXIMATE PARTICIPANT SCHEDULE FOR THE DAY

9:00 am	Contestant check-in
9:30 am	Orientation and Judging Begins
	Community Service and Consumer Science Judging
12:00-1:00 pm	Lunch break (Several fast food restaurants in area)
1:15 pm	Change clothes and line up for fashion show
1:30 pm	Fashion show & awards

For complete details please see the county website events page found here:

<https://ucanr.edu/sites/4-H-Fresno/> Questions contact Amber McReynolds (559) 261-5751

2020-21 Fresno County 4-H Ambassadors

Do you LOVE 4-H and want to spread the word about the great programs and services that Fresno County 4-H has to offer? Do you enjoy leadership and mentoring younger 4-H members. Could you use scholarships in the future to help pay for college? If you answered yes to any of these questions, then consider applying to serve as a Fresno County Ambassador for 2020-21 if you will be age 15 or older by December 31, 2019. Ambassadors ARE the county level representation of 4-H and we need you! Will you consider joining us? Find out more about the role that ambassadors play and how you could make an important contribution while having fun serving our organization. Please note that it is no longer required to have completed an Emerald Star project in order to apply.



Please plan to attend an informational meeting along with a parent/guardian in person on March 12th at 6:30pm in the conference room #24 at the Fresno County 4-H office. If not able to attend in person that night, you and your parent may participate in an alternative meeting. Please contact the adviser, Audrey Taylor at (559) 352-7718 for more information.

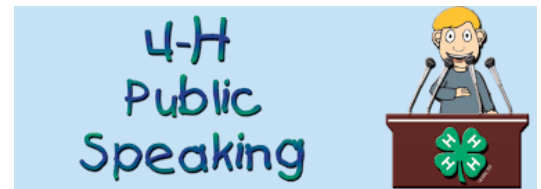
FRESNO COUNTY 4-H PRESENTATION DAY

Important Dates:

March 16, 2020 – Entry Forms Due

March 28, 2020 – County Presentation Day

May 2, 2020 - Area Presentation Day



County Presentation Day gives members the chance to communicate an idea or concept to an audience. By going through the process of giving a presentation, members learn how to research a subject, organize ideas in a logical order, and practice public speaking skills which are valuable later in life. Every member is encouraged to give a presentation each year. There are many different types of presentations, which allows the participant to choose the format most appropriate to their topic and goals.

Demonstrations

Illustrated Talk

Educational Display Talk

Science or Engineering Presentation

Informative Prepared Speech

For all category details and further instruction see State Presentation Day Manual:

<http://4h.ucanr.edu/files/2193.pdf>

Online entries open Friday, Feb. 14th through county website:

<http://ucanr.edu/sites/4-H-Fresno/>

Volunteer evaluators and room monitors needed for the success of event!

Minimum of 15 Judges Required.

Please see county website as of Feb. 14th for volunteer instructions: <http://ucanr.edu/sites/4-H-Fresno/>

County Presentation Day Location:

Fancher Creek Elementary School

5948 E. Tulare Avenue, Fresno 93727

Fresno County 4-H Ambassador Service Learning Project 2019-2020

“4-H Salutes Veterans



Fresno County 4-H Ambassadors Siena Rollin and Ciara Zito are proud to kick off their service-learning project for the year. We will be supporting and educating our 4-H youth about the needs of Veterans in Fresno County, most specifically at the Veterans Hospital of Fresno (VAH). We are requesting all clubs to promote donations varying by quarter for specific items. We have learned from the interim Chief of Volunteer Services at the VAH, Mary Golden, the needs of the volunteer services and what they do in their role at the VAH. Their department is the one that offers a Veteran a blanket when they come in, provides snacks when necessary to the Veterans and their families, and gives out free coffee every morning for anyone visiting the hospital. Please share with your clubs as we will begin collecting items in *December-February*. Lastly, they also look for items such as movie tickets, zoo tickets, etc that Veterans living in the Community Living Center would enjoy for a night out. Any help for the Veterans that served our country to keep us “The Land of the Free” would be greatly appreciated. Follow us on **instagram @fresnocounty4_hambassadors** and the **Fresno County 4-H Facebook page for updates**. If you donate anything, take a selfie/photo with your item(s) and use the hashtag **#4HSalutesVeterans** and state what club you’re in to be entered into a drawing to win a special prize!

How to Help & Participate:

The first items we are looking for in the months of *December-February* are new and **unused blankets and chapsticks**. Please check the back of this flyer to see our donation list and timeline for more information.

Where to drop it off?

We will be collecting blankets and chapsticks through the end of February at all 4-H County Events and the Fresno County 4-H Office.

The address is below:

550 E. Shaw Avenue Ste. 210-B
UC Center Fresno, CA 93710



Please see Fresno County 4-H Website for Collection Item Details: <https://ucanr.edu/sites/4-H-Fresno/>

Contact Information:

Siena Rollin - siena.rollin011@rjUSD.org
(559) 482 - 4222
Ciara Zito - wildnfree623@gmail.com
(559) 770 - 9056

For Additional Information Visit:

<https://www.fresno.va.gov/giving/index.asp>



Color Me Green

5 K
Fun
Run
&
Walk

Participants run or
walk
5 kilometers while
being showered with
colored dye

Free carnival style
games, face painting,
photo booth, and
small animal exhibits
~ Fun for ALL!

LOCATION: Dry Creek Park
885 N. Clovis Avenue
(Clovis & Alluvial Ave.)

DATE: Saturday, April 18, 2020

TIME: Registration 8:00 a.m.
9:00 a.m. - Runners
9:05 a.m. - Walkers
10:30 a.m. "Clover Dash"
Obstacle Course (5 – 8 yr. old only)

***COST:** 5 thru 11 yr. old \$15
12 yr. old and up \$20

***Cost increases by \$5 as of**
April 1, 2020

REGISTRATION LINK:
<http://ucanr.edu/cm2020reg>

CONTACT INFORMATION:

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Tracy Newton tnewton@ucanr.edu
(559) 241-7525

**New This Year - Credit Card payment option
available through online registration**



**Don't Miss the Fun! Special Prize
to 4-H'er with highest number
referred participants.
Pizza Party to 4-H club with the
most members participating.**

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If you need a disability-related accommodation or wheelchair access information, please call Tracy Newton (559)241-7525

Toiletry Kit Drive 2020

I PLEDGE 

MY HEAD TO CLEARER THINKING MY HEART TO GREATER LOYALTY MY HANDS TO LARGER SERVICE MY HEALTH TO BETTER LIVING

FOR MY CLUB, MY COMMUNITY, MY COUNTRY, AND MY WORLD.

Blossom Trail 4-H is collecting toiletry items. These basic care items will go to help people leaving abusive relationships helping them to make a fresh start.

The kits will be donated to a local non-profit called "*Breaking the Chains*" benefiting the women they provide services too.

We would like to invite everyone to get involved in this community service project by donating small cosmetic bags and travel size toiletry items (see below for suggestions).

Drop Off Dates: Jan 18, Feb 22, Mar 28, Apr 18

Drop Off location: At 4-H County events or any Blossom Trail community club meeting.

Suggested Items:

Cosmetic bags & travel size:

Shampoo	Lotion
Conditioner	Toothpaste
Soap	Toothbrush
Body wash	Mouthwash
Comb/hair brush	Chapstick/lip-balm
Hair-ties	

Questions?

Contact:

Blossom Trail 4-H
Rachel, Hannah or Kristen
jkusconi@comcast.net



GIVING BACK TO OUR
COMMUNITY!

SAVE THE DATE! 4-H CAMP at CAMP Keola!

SAVE THE DATE

Dates Revised as of 12/01/2019

Fresno County 4-H Summer Camp 2020

June 16th through 20th

Now is the time to begin planning and fund-raising for 4-H Camp. Held at beautiful Huntington Lake, Keola Camp is a great time for FUN, FRIENDS, & making GREAT 4-H memories! More details coming soon. Camper cost will be in range of \$275.00 - \$290.00 for a 5 day stay. Adult camp chaperones will be required 1 per 5 campers. Tractor Supply Clover Drive Funds will be available on limited basis. Watch for additional information coming soon.

In 2018, Tractor Supply Co. Paper Clover provided scholarships for more than **32,000** kids to attend camp and leadership events.

Mark Your Calendars!

60 Days until Tractor Supply Co. Paper Clover



visit tractorsupply.com/4h for more details



California 4-H State Field Day is May 30, 2020

California 4-H State Field Day
May 30 2020, 8 am - 6 pm
UC Davis

The California 4-H State Field Day is the largest educational event for California 4-H youth members and adult 4-H volunteers. The event is intended to provide a culminating experience in public speaking, textiles, plant sciences, photography, interview skills, and entomology. This family-friendly event is for all ages to participate.



Save the Date and Sign Up to Help!

State Field Day contests are planned and implemented by 4-H volunteers. This year, we could use more help! The following committees need adult and youth volunteers:

1. State Fashion Revue Committee
2. State Presentation Day
3. Livestock Quiz Bowl
4. Interview Contest
5. Entomology Contest

[State Field Day Event Page](#)

Please contact Steven Worker at 4hsfd@ucanr.edu to help make these contests happen at State Field Day!



2020 Adventure Risk Challenge Summer Courses

Adventure Risk Challenge offers exciting opportunities for motivated high school youth who want a bright future. Your adventure may begin in Yosemite National Park, in the mountains of Tahoe, or in the tall forests of Sequoia and Kings Canyon National Parks. You will backpack and go on other outdoor adventures, read, write, improve your academic skills, learn about the environment, and work as a team. ARC summer courses are designed for students who are excited to learn and excited to be in the outdoors.

After submitting the application, students from Tahoe/Truckee, Reno, and the Central Valley will be invited to an orientation weekend in April or May, during which interviews will take place and final students will be accepted into the summer courses. If you are a student applying from another region, an orientation may be available in your area and ARC staff will contact you with more information. If you are admitted to the program, ARC staff will determine which of ARC's three sites (Yosemite, Tahoe, or Sequoia/Kings Canyon) will best suit your interests and needs.



- **ARC Yosemite National Park – June 22 – July 25**
Come explore Yosemite National Park's natural beauty, its waterfalls, its alpine lakes, and its spectacular granite cliffs! Yosemite is one of our country's premier national parks.
- **ARC Tahoe – June 29 – August 1**
The Sierra Nevada mountain range around Lake Tahoe will be home to students in the ARC Tahoe course. You will see breathtaking mountain lakes and waterfalls. Come experience life in the mountains!
- **ARC Sequoia & Kings Canyon National Parks – June 22 - July 18**
Sequoia's backcountry offers a vast expanse of high-alpine wonders. You'll enjoy gorgeous views of granite domes, lush green meadows, and towering Sequoia trees—the largest trees in the world!

Early application deadline: Friday, March 13, 2020
Regular application deadline: Friday, April 10, 2020

Selection criteria: ARC selects students using the following criteria: Submit **all** all required materials (recommendation, transcript, and online application including four short answer questions) by the deadline.

- Thoughtful responses to questions.
- Positive letter of recommendation.
- Commitment to being physically active before and during the summer course.
- A positive attitude and willingness to try new and difficult challenges.
- A desire to work with others to solve problems, to learn, and to make a difference.

Click Here for Link to Website and Application <https://www.adventureriskchallenge.org/apply/>

California 4-H State Shoot 2020

The 36th Annual State 4-H Shooting Sports Match will once again be sponsored and hosted by the Siskiyou County 4-H Council. **Entries for the event must be postmarked by March 2, 2020.** The cover letter, match rules, and registration can be found on the Fresno County website using the link https://ucanr.edu/sites/4-H-Fresno/Events/Annual_State_Shooting_Contest/ Please direct any questions regarding the event to Siskiyou County.



2019 Annual State Postal Archery Shoot Contest CONGRATULATIONS to the following contestants!!

Name	Club	Division	Results
Marcus Harrison	Sierra 4-H	Junior	2nd Place Overall
Oscar Glass	Sierra 4-H	Junior	3rd Place Overall
Dylan Hatcher	Sierra 4-H	Senior	7th Place Overall
Matthew Skierka	Sierra 4-H	Intermediate	9th Place Overall
Annamarie Weaver	Sierra 4-H	Senior	10th Place Overall
Adieson Glass	Sierra 4-H	Intermediate	14th Place Overall
Sam Paloutzian	Sierra 4-H	Intermediate	15th Place Overall

Fresno County Team Sierra 13th overall!

2020 National 4-H Western Heritage Workshop! --- Save the Date!

April 13 – 16, 2020 Winton, CA

The 4-H Western Heritage Project combines a comprehensive study of the Old West with the shooting sports discipline of western action shooting. The purpose of this project is to provide an avenue for 4-H members and adult leaders to experience the lifestyles and cultures of the Old West from the period of around 1860- 1900 through a living history approach to learning while instilling the concepts of gun safety and personal responsibility. Members dress in Old West clothing, shoot replica firearms of the frontier period, and expand their knowledge of U.S. history.

A National 4-H Western Heritage Workshop will be held in Winton, (Merced County) California in the spring of 2020. The training will start on Monday, April 13th at 6:30 p.m. and conclude Thursday, April 16th at 7:00 p.m. at the River Oaks Firearms Training Center <https://safetyfirstshooting.net/>. This is a National Level II training and requires attendees to be state certified and experienced in at least one 4-H shooting sports discipline. More details will be released in a few weeks. For now, mark your calendars and save the date!

Festive Food Faire—January 18, 2020—Results

Dairy Winners

Junior - Bronze	Kashlynn Moore	Fairmont	Oreo Truffle Delight
Junior - Silver	Ava Capozzi	American Union	Strawberry Pizza
Junior - Gold	David Sharp	Fairmont	Thanksgiving cheeseball
Inter- Bronze	Hannah McReynolds	Sierra	Russian Tea Cakes
Inter Silver	Cathy Calzada	Kerman	Chocolate Flan
Inter Gold	Hannah Rusconi	Blossom Trail	Goat Milk Fudge
Senior - Bronze	None		
Senior - Silver	Nicole Ward	Reedley	Mocha Icebox Cakes
Senior - Gold	Harley McCorkle	Sierra	Aunt's Lemon Cake



Traditional Winners

Junior - Bronze	Gabriella Hood	Fairmont	Coconut Crowned Cappuccino Brownies
Junior - Silver	David Sharp	Fairmont	Banana Bread
Junior - Gold	Emilia Calzada	Kerman	Bread Pudding
Inter- Bronze	Atianna Marquez	Fairmont	Zucchini Bread Recipe
Inter Silver	Lillian Johnston	Sierra	Lemon Donuts w Raspberry Glaze
Inter - Gold	Rachel Rusconi	Blossom Trail	Bestamor's Apple Pie
Senior - Bronze	Matthew Skierka	Sierra	Winter Squash Rolls
Senior - Silver	Diana Flores	Lone Star	Soft Flour Tortillas
Senior - Gold	Katrina Suarez	Fairmont	Mexican Bunuelos Recipe
			Sonoma Thanksgiving Corn Chowder



Candy Winners

Junior - Bronze	Jordan Flores	Kerman	Rocky Road Fudge
Junior - Silver	Logan Friend	Sierra	Saltine Cracker English Toffee
Junior - Gold	Austynn Beckham	Sierra	Cow Pies
Inter- Bronze	Stephano Gropetti	Reedley	Fantasy Fudge
Inter - Silver	Ashlyn Johnson	Blossom Trail	Turtle Candy
Inter - Gold	Hannah Rusconi	Blossom Trail	Peanut Brittle
Senior - Bronze	Lauren Leonard	Blossom Trail	Apple Pie Caramel Apples
Senior - Silver	Katrina Suarez	Fairmont	Sugar Cookie Truffles
Senior - Gold	Diana Flores	Lone Star	Cake Pops

Healthy Goodies Winners

Junior - Bronze	Alyssa Bauer	McKinley	Peanut Butter Oatmeal Cookies
Junior - Silver	Ava Youngberg	Kerman	Persimmon Cookies
Junior - Gold	Ronan Ryan	Blossom Trail	No Recipe Granola Bars
Inter- Bronze	Faith Collup	Fairmont	Banana Bread
Inter Silver	Rachel Rusconi	Blossom Trail	Banana Nut Bread
Inter Gold	Brianna Johnson	McKinley	Strawberry Mousse
Senior - Bronze	Katrina Suarez	Fairmont	Snickers with Oats
Senior - Silver	Caydin Simonian	Sierra	Harvest Bars
Senior - Gold	Rachel Leonard	Blossom Trail	Hummingbird Cake



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Tricks from a Mix Winners

Junior - Bronze	Kashlynn Moore	Fairmont	Espresso Chocolate Cake
Junior - Silver	David Sharp	Fairmont	Apple Cinnamon Bread
Junior - Gold	Enzo Martinez	Kerman	Gingerbread Cake w Orange Cream Cheese Glaze
Inter- Bronze	Ashlynn Johnson	Blossom Trail	Brownie Cookie Recipe
Inter Silver	Mary Rhoades	Kerman	Chocolate Kahlua Cake
Inter - Gold	Georgia Karlson	Blossom Trail	Easy Chocolate Cake Pops
Senior - Bronze	Harley McCorkle	Sierra	Grandma's Just Cake
Senior - Silver	Diana Flores	Lone Star	Princess Cakes
Senior - Gold	Katrina Suarez	Fairmont	Mint Ice Cream Cake

Holiday Winners

Junior - Bronze	Massey Babshoff	Kerman
Junior - Silver	Rylee Nielson	Renegades
Junior - Gold	Kashlynn Moore	Fairmont
Inter- Bronze	None	
Inter Silver	Mary Rhoades	Kerman
Inter - Gold	Ashlyn Johnson	Blossom Trail
Senior - Bronze	Katrina Suarez	Fairmont
Senior - Silver	Sandra Flores	Lone Star
Senior - Gold	Diana Flores	Lone Star



Chocoholic Winners

Junior - Bronze	Ava Capozzi	American Union	Vava's Fudge
Junior - Silver	Kashlynn Moore	Fairmont	Double Dark Chocolate Truffles
Junior - Gold	Adalynn Imber	Blossom Trail	Peppermint Bark
Inter- Bronze	Alexis Minas	Sanger	No Bake Chocolate Peanut Butter Bars
Inter Silver	Jacob Johnson	Kerman	Wookiee Cookies
Inter Gold	Sloan Ryan	Blossom Trail	Nutella Stuffed Deep Dish Chocolate Chip Skillet Cookie
Senior - Bronze	Cayden Simonian	Sierra	A Day at the Beach Chocolate Crinkle Cookies
Senior - Silver	Nicole Ward	Reedley	Espresso Caramel Bars
Senior - Gold	Katrina Suarez	Fairmont	Mini Death by Chocolate Cheesecake

Cupcake Decorating Winners

Junior - Gold	Paige Metzler	Blossom Trail
Junior - Silver	Macie Richardson	Fairmont
Junior - Bronze	Faith Collup	Fairmont
Inter- Gold	Nicole Ward	Reedley
Inter Silver	Delbert Driggers	Kerman
Inter Bronze	Catherine Driggers	Kerman
Senior - Gold	Jaylynn Ornduff	McKinley
Senior - Silver	None	
Senior - Bronze	None	



BEST OVERALL ENTRY: Paige Metzler, Blossom Trail 4-H Valentine Holiday Decoration

Total Food Entry Participants by Club

- American Union - 2 Members, 6 Entries
- Blossom Trail - 19 Members, 39 Entries
- Fairmont - 10 Members, 33 Entries
- Fowler/Lonestar - 7 Members, 13 Entries
- Kerman - 13 Members, 29 Entries
- McKinley - 6 Members, 13 Entries
- Pleasant Valley - 1 Member, 1 Entry
- Reedley - 2 Members, 6 Entries
- Renegades - 7 Members, 15 Entries
- Sanger - 1 member, 1 Entry
- Sierra - 13 members, 17 Entries

Total Members = 81	Total Entries = 175
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Thank you all that participated and assisted in the Great Success of Festive Food Faire and Judging Contests!

Congratulations Blossom Trail 4-H Club for having the HIGHEST NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS!

If you missed it this year be sure to plan for Festive Food Faire 2021.

Festive Fair Judging Contests 2020 Medalist

Junior—Plants & Mechanical

Ava Youngberg	Kerman	Gold
Gabriella Hood	Fairmont	Silver
Jordan Flores	Kerman	Bronze

Junior- Consumer Science

Austynn Beckham	Sierra	Gold
Logan Friend	Sierra	Silver
Amarise Pecina	Sierra	Bronze

Intermediate - Plant & Mechanical

Brianna Moya	Renegades	Gold
Stephano Groppetti	Kerman	Silver
Cathy Calzada	Kerman	Bronze

Intermediate—Consumer Science

Brianna Johnson	McKinley	Gold
Stephano Groppetti	Kerman	Silver
Massey Babshoff	Kerman	Bronze
Lilly Johnston Sierra	Bronze	

Senior—Plant & Mechanical

Bryan Welsh	Pleasant Valley	Gold
Harley McOrkle	Sierra	Silver
Presley Babshoff	Kerman	Bronze

Senior—Consumer Science

Presley Babshoff	Kerman	Gold
Bryan Welsh	Pleasant Valley	Silver
Lisa Bates	McKinley	Bronze

Total Participants - 2020

Primaries	12
Juniors	21
Intermediates	19
Seniors	12

Grand Total 64

Total Clubs in Attendance 10

American Union	2
Blossom Trail	14
Fairmont	7
Fowler	1
Kerman	11
Lone Star	3
McKinley	4
Pleasant Valley	1
Renegades	9
Sanger	1
Sierra	11

Grand Total 64