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It is hard to believe that we are already in August with “Back to School” knocking at our doors! I hope that you were able to enjoy some much needed down-time and family bonding during your summer break from school and the routines that go with it. Let’s start the 2019-2020 4-H YDP year off with anticipation as we look forward to the great opportunities that lie ahead.

I would like to congratulate our CA 4-H Archery Team from Tulare County for representing us well at the National Shooting Sports Competition in Grand Island, Nebraska at the end of June, with special recognition to Caylob Campos, Springville 4-H member, for placing 13th overall! Don’t forget to get your Tulare County Fair Livestock on-line entries completed by the 8/2 deadline and your Indoor on-line entries completed by the 8/23 deadline! I hope that your clubs are working on their Centennial Celebration Educational Booths to promote the history of the Tulare County Fair during your club specific time period. I look forward to seeing the fabulous displays that our youth-adult partnerships create. You may contact Shari at the 4-H Office to see if we have any items that you could utilize in your display. I look forward to another great year of the Tulare County 4-H Youth Development Program!

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2019-2020 4-H Program Fees & Enrollment Information

- ◇ \$60 youth members (if paid online with a credit card)
\$58 discount price paid with cash or check
- ◇ \$25 adult volunteers (if paid online with a credit card.)
\$24 discount price paid with cash or check



Members in Tulare County 4-H Clubs may pay enrollment fees online with a credit card at:
<https://ucanr.edu/survey/survey.cfm?surveynumber=27748>

Renewing Members – please note you **MUST LOG INTO YOUR EXISTING FAMILY PROFILE** when re-enrolling in 4hOnline at <https://ca.4honline.com/>. Family members are grouped together in one family profile. Only one family profile for all family members, please! If you are under 18, please have a parent or guardian enter the information because you will have to submit medical release forms through the system. If you are unable to log in to your existing family profile, please contact the 4-H Office for assistance (559) 684-3300.

New Members – please note if your family is “new” to 4-H, you must create a **FAMILY PROFILE** in 4hOnline at <https://ca.4honline.com/>. 4hOnline is our online system to sign up members and volunteers in 4-H. Family members are grouped together in one family profile. Only one family profile for all family members, please! If you are under 18, please have a parent or guardian enter the information because you will have to submit medical release forms through the system. Please use an email that you will check regularly because that is how we will confirm your enrollment and send communications to you. Download instructions: [New Member - How to enroll in 4hOnline](#)

Adult Volunteers – Must be 18 years or older. A volunteer cannot simultaneously be a 4-H member. Chaperones must be at least 21 years of age or older. Potential volunteers must submit a 4-H Adult Volunteer Interest Survey, complete the 4-H adult volunteer application process in 4hOnline, complete the required volunteer training in eXtension, submit fee payment to club leader, and complete a live-scan clearance with the Department of Justice. For instructions and link, please click on one of the following: [4-H Returning Volunteers for 2019-2020](#) or [4-H New Volunteer Initial Process](#)

* Great news regarding the online training courses. The State 4-H Office has revised the courses and shortened the length considerably. For “Returning Volunteers” course time dropped from 1 ½ hours to 30 minutes. For the “New Volunteers” it dropped from 3 hours to 2 ½.



Handbook for Families



Now available on the [Member Resources page](#). This handbook was created as a guide for families get to know the resources and activities available in 4-H in California. A County Contact Sheet is also part of the resources available, so you can keep your local 4-H contact information handy.

Animal Ownership and 4-H Project Supervision Requirements

4-H FFA Grange CDFA Agreement July 1, 2016

<http://4h.ucanr.edu/files/20199.pdf>

Poultry, Rabbit, Feeder and breeding animals—must be owned and supervised for not less than 30 consecutive days and be enrolled in the project for not less than 60 consecutive days.

Market sheep, swine, veal and goats — must be owned and supervised for not less than 60 consecutive days.

Market beef—must be owned and supervised for not less than 120 consecutive days.

Horses—must be owned/leased and supervised for not less than 120 consecutive days. Male foals may be shown by 4-H members, but yearling and older stallions are ineligible for 4-H projects. The age of the horse shall be computed on the basis of a calendar year starting January 1 of the year foaled; it is a weanling during the calendar year in which foaled, and a yearling during the first calendar year following its foaling date, regardless of year foaled.

Llamas & Alpacas—must be owned/leased and supervised for not less than 120 consecutive days.



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Steps to Success in 4-H

Member in Good Standing

Complete the enrollment process and be enrolled in at least one project.
Comply with 4-H Member Code of Conduct.

Project Completion

Be a member in good standing.
Complete a minimum of 6 hours of project instruction or more as required by the project leader.
Complete Annual Project Report (APR) form.*
Annually receive a year stripe and pin.**

Club Participation

(for 4-H club programs only)
Be a member in good standing.
No attendance requirement.
100% attendance pin for perfect club meeting attendance.

Requirements to Exhibit at Fair

Complete Project Completion requirements.
Meet requirements as set by the county or fair.

Event Participation

Participation in county, sectional, state and national 4-H events is open to all 4-H members in good standing.
There may be eligibility requirements established by the event planning committee.

Incentives and Recognition

There are many ways to earn recognition in 4-H.
Awards can be earned based on project and club attendance and work.
Awards can be earned for participating at county, sectional, state and national 4-H levels.
Awards earned will be governed by county and state 4-H Incentives and Recognition Committees.

*Primary members, youth aged 5 to 8 years, do not complete the APR. Record keeping is not required for project completion.

**Primary members receive a year stripe and pin for participation in a project. Project completion is not required.

**Junior/Teen leaders receive a gold stripe and year pin for completing the Leadership Development Report (LDR). Junior/teen leaders are not required to actively participate in the project in which they are a leader.

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COUNTY FAIR INFORMATION

TULARE COUNTY FAIR DEADLINES AND INFORMATION

The 100th Anniversary of the Tulare County Fair is happening September 11—15

Livestock Entry Deadline is August 2nd
Indoor Entry Deadline August 23rd

Go to the following website for information and to enter online:

https://tcfair.org/competitions_contests.php

From the Fair: What an incredible opportunity; this year exhibitors will be competing during the 100th anniversary. We have a FANTASTIC, EXCITING Fair planned for you this 100th year. In addition to a fantastic livestock show we are once again offering all Fair goers National Entertainment Acts, hands-on education for school children and some great exhibits. The Foundation will host the annual kick-off CCA Pro Rodeo on September 7th. Back by popular demand, High School Madness will celebrate which school has the biggest school spirit. The admission to High School Madness is FREE.

We are thrilled you have decided to enter YOUR County Fair. This year's Fair dates are **September 11-15, 2019**. *Entries close August 2nd, 2019*. In addition to entering livestock please consider entering an "indoor exhibit". This year all FFA & 4-H Chapters are required to enter as a group, one history booth of the Fair. Clubs and FFA will be given a 5 year span to tell the history of the Tulare County Fair.

For the past several years our online entries have increased. We appreciate everyone who entered this way. Unfortunately with the cost of labor continuing to increase we have moved to a 100% online entry system. *We are only accepting on-line entries this year. Everything will need to be done through the on-line system for livestock.*



A MESSAGE FROM TULARE COUNTY FAIR REGARDING THE POULTRY SHOW

The Tulare County Fair is planning to hold the poultry show during the Fair. If the State Veterinarian recommends, at any point, the fair needs to cancel the show they will have to abide by their decision. The fair will make no refunds available in the event of a cancellation of the poultry show. Entry fees and costs associated with those fees will be donated to the Tulare County Fair Foundation. If you have any questions regarding this please contact the fair directly at: 559-686-4707.

TULARE COUNTY FAIR MANDATORY WORK DAYS SCHEDULE



This year's mandatory Tulare County Fair workdays are Saturday, August 17th and Saturday, August 24th. The work days will begin at 9:00 a.m. and conclude at 2:00 p.m. The fair will have a check in and check out registration for all members. It is important that members sign in and out, credit will only be given if you do both. The fair will again be painting, weeding, barking, cleaning, mowing and trimming. Please bring your own tools, wheelbarrows, gloves and anything else that might be needed. It is imperative that advisors/leaders keep track of their groups.

The fair will be providing water and lunch for everyone. These work days are a great team building for groups. Members get to witness first-hand the hard work as fairgoers enjoy the Fair. The Fair appreciates everything that is accomplished during the work days. If you have any questions, you may call the Fair Office at 559-686-4707.

Remember, if exhibitors already have an animal entered in the fair there is no additional fee for indoor entries. Help celebrate the 100th anniversary with an indoor exhibit to show your Tulare pride!



TULARE COUNTY 4-H LEADER COUNCIL MEETING

WHEN: Monday, August 26, 6:00 P.M.

WHERE: Tulare County Agricultural Building, 4437 S. Laspina St., Tulare, CA 93274

WHO: All clubs must be represented at these meetings. All volunteers are welcome to attend! Important information and event planning will be on the agenda! Hope to see every one there!

SEE You THERE



Exhibitor Trainings

Ages 12-18: Saturday 8/3 at 9:00AM-11:00AM

Ages 8-11: Saturday 8/10 at 2:00PM-4:00PM

Ages 12-18: Thursday 8/22 at 5:00PM-7:00PM

Ages 8-11: Saturday 8/24 at 9:00AM-11:00AM

Come join us for a 2 hour training packed with fun! We will cover:

Food Safety - Animal Care - Life Skills Embedded in Livestock Production - Agriculture Advocacy - AND MORE!!

REGISTER TODAY!!

1. Go to: <https://yqca.org>
2. Create an account (Unless you already have one)
use an email you check regularly
3. Search for the following training:

Jessica Kelley

Tulare County 4-H Extension Office

Your Selected Date & Time

(Please register under the correct date for the age group listed above)

4. Pay the \$3 training fee to YQCA

Email your trainer to ensure you are registered correctly or for any questions/concerns!

jessicakelley@portervilleschools.org

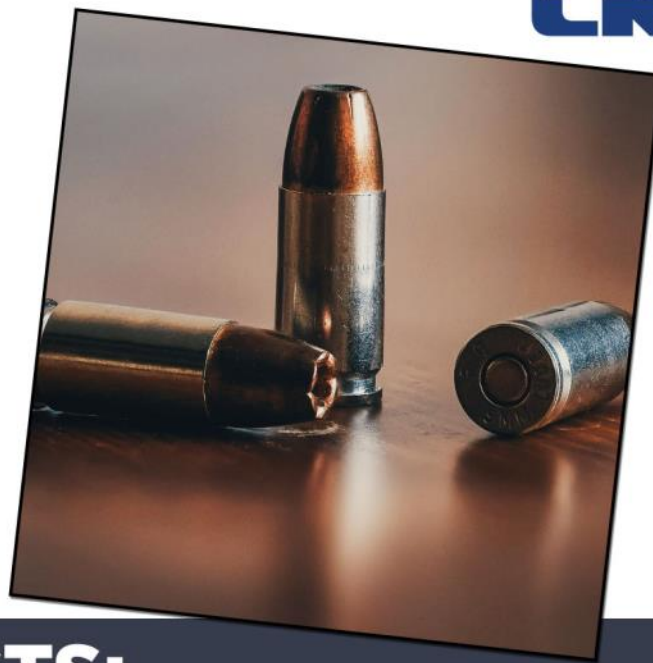
YQCA training is mandated by the Tulare County Fair for ALL exhibitors. The \$3 registration fee is collected directly by YQCA for certification, and is not controlled by the trainer. All students are expected to abide by the FFA and 4-H code of ethics during the entire training. Failure to do so will result in both excusal from the training session and failure of the course



GEORGIA BOOT & 4-H

We are proud to announce our new partnership with Georgia Boot! Together we will put our **#4Hbestbootforward** and give back to our communities. Current 4-H'ers, family, staff, alumni, and volunteers can save 50% off full-price items at GeorgiaBoot.com now through September 30, 2019! Use code: **GB4HAUG** to claim your coupon. In addition to this great discount, Georgia Boot will give 5% of every discounted purchase back to support 4-H!

JULY 2019 AMMO REGS



QUICK FACTS:

- 1.** Californians need a California Driver License or ID to purchase ammo.
- 2.** Californians cannot purchase ammunition from out of state and bring it back with them. They may, however, buy ammo and have it delivered to a licensed vendor in California to pick up.
- 3.** CCW holders are not exempt from ammunition background checks.
- 4.** Californians may have to undergo background checks, even while buying ammo at a range.
- 5.** Californians with no record of a firearm registration will pay \$19 for a background check; \$1 for those with a firearm registered.
- 6.** Californians will no longer be able to hunt with lead ammunition. Lead ammo may only be used for self-protection and target shooting.
- 7.** CRPA is fighting CA's ammo background checks in *Rhode v. Becerra*.

More Info: www.crpa.org/ammo-background-checks



e4: The Volunteer Retreat
November 8-10, 2019
Asilomar Hotel & Conference Grounds
Pacific Grove, CA

Steps to register for The Volunteer Retreat:

1. **Register for the retreat** (include any pre-retreat extended workshops or certifications you desire to take) Go to: <https://ucanr.edu/survey/survey.cfm?surveynumber=26861>
 - Early Bird Plus (April 15, 2019-May 12, 2019) \$249.00 per person
 - Early Bird (May 13, 2019-June 30, 2019) \$279.00 per person
 - Regular Registration (July 1, 2019-September 9, 2019) \$299.00 per person
 - Late Bird (September 10, 2019-October 7, 2019) \$349.00 per person
2. **Secure your Accommodations** (Separate registration & fee required) See pricing below. Asilomar has provided a generous housing package which includes your lodging, dinner on your day of arrival through lunch on your day of departure. If you choose to stay at another facility, you will need to pay the day use fee instead.
 - **Day Use Fee** (includes parking and lunch for 1 day) \$150 per person per day
 - **Day Use Fee for Monterey, San Benito and Santa Cruz counties ONLY** (includes parking and lunch for 1 day) \$50 per person per day

Asilomar Housing and Meal Package Rates

- **Single Occupancy Rate** \$296.94 per night, per person
- **Double Occupancy Rate** \$197.12 per night, per person

There are options for bringing family members that are not participating at the conference.

Please note that lodging is NOT included in the registration fee.

If you are paying by check, please make payable to UC Regents and mail to:

California State 4-H Office
ATTN: The Volunteer Retreat
2801 2nd Street
Davis, California 95618

For registration assistance, please contact Jen Henkens, 916-875-6530 or sacramento4h@ucanr.edu.



4-H Day
@ CAL Football



Saturday
08.31.19

Cal Vs 

CAL Memorial Stadium
Kickoff at 3:30 PM

Last day to purchase is Thursday, Aug. 29. A \$3.60 processing fee is assessed per ticket. All sales are final. There will be no refunds or exchanges. Tickets are not eligible for repost for resale.

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Hello 4-H Friends, Family, and Alumni,

Cal Football, in partnership with CA 4-H, invites you to join us and celebrate 4-H Day here at UC Berkeley when we kick off the 2019 Football season vs. the UC Davis Aggies at California Memorial Stadium.

When: Saturday, August 31, 2019 **Where:** [California Memorial Stadium](#) **Time:** Cal Football vs. UC Davis at 3:30 p.m. PST. Gates will open 2 hours prior to kickoff. Festivities begin at 12:30 PM with a 4-H meet/greet, food vendors and various entertainment in the [tailgate town](#) area.

Transportation: Public transportation is highly recommended on football game days. Game day shuttles offer transportation to Memorial Stadium from the Downtown Berkeley BART station and nearby campus locations. Visit the [Parking and Transportation](#) page for more information.

What To bring: Represent your 4-H pride by wearing your green/white/4-H apparel, or your blue & gold to support either university. Cal has a [clear bag policy](#) and a *list of prohibited and permitted items*, please [click here](#) for more information.

Ticket Purchase: When a ticket is purchased through this link, a unique URL will be created at the end of your transaction. If you purchased using an established group or county url link, you will be joined into that group. If you are the first from your group our county to purchase, forward your unique URL to the rest of your friends, family, and 4H alumni to ensure your seats are all together! *(A portion of ticket proceeds will benefit your local 4-H organization)*

What do you get: Ticket to Cal Football + First 250 tickets purchased will receive an exclusive 4-H tote bag! All 4-H tickets will be seated in the Southeast corner, in [sections K and KK](#)

For additional questions regarding this event, please contact Roger Kristof at (510) 664-9924 or rkristof@berkeley.edu

<https://www.fevo.com/edp/4H-Day-at-Cal-Football-7pV6BHT>

BOGUS CA HUNTING/FISHING LICENSE BUYING WEBSITES



The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has been made aware of several websites that improperly charge customers extra fees for online fishing and hunting license purchases and collect sensitive personal information as part of their unauthorized transactions.

California hunting and fishing licenses may properly be purchased in only one of four ways:

- Through a [CDFW license sales office](#),
- Through an [independent license sales agent](#) authorized by CDFW (such as a local sporting goods store, large discount store, or a bait and tackle shop),
- Online through [CDFW's Automated License Data System](#)(ALDS), or
- Over the telephone through CDFW's authorized Telephone Sales agent. Telephone Sales can be reached at (800) 565-1458.

The ALDS, which is CDFW's exclusive means of online license sales, was launched in 2011. ALDS can be accessed via CDFW's website or by clicking the link that is frequently provided in official communications from the department. When making an online purchase, please check the URL of the site you are visiting to ensure you are on the official CDFW website (www.wildlife.ca.gov) or the ALDS website (www.ca.wildlifelicense.com/internetsales). These are the only CDFW-affiliated links for hunting and fishing license sales.

Customers should be aware that there are many unofficial websites that attempt to represent the CDFW and/or contain information about hunting and fishing licenses, and Internet search engines may not always list the official CDFW website as the top result.

Please be cautious when providing personal information to any website. While authorized purchases made through independent license sales agents and ALDS are subject to an additional 5 percent handling fee, the fraudulent sales websites offer products for sale with "shipping and handling fees" that are much higher than 5 percent of the base purchase price. To date, it appears that the fraudulent activity has been limited to charging customers unauthorized fees. Licenses that have been mailed to customers after unauthorized transactions may be valid; however, CDFW cannot guarantee that this is or will be true in all cases.

If you believe you may have been defrauded by an unauthorized website or would like to check the validity of a previous purchase, please provide us with information about your experience at ReportFraud@wildlife.ca.gov.

2019 STATE SHOOTING MATCH RESULTS

Congratulations to all participants! To view a list of full results go to: http://4h.ucanr.edu/Projects/STEM/SET_Projects/ShootingSports/ Tulare County participants results in their divisions are as follows. (x= participation)

NAME	CLUB	ROS	ROS-P	RIP	CR	SKEET	TRAP
Matthew Hart	Elbow Creek			x			Team trophy
Cole Revious	Elbow Creek						Silver medal
Kassidy Pace	Elbow Creek		Silver medal				x
Derek Estermann	Elbow Creek			x			
Austin Mendoza	Elbow Creek		x				
Cody Estermann	Elbow Creek		x				
Jillian Morris	Elbow Creek		Bronze medal				
Hunter Seymore	Elbow Creek					Gold medal	Gold medal - Team trophy
Jason Borges	Elbow Creek		x				
Isabella Borges	Elbow Creek			x			
Avery Hupp	Elbow Creek			x			x
Gavin Correa	Elbow Creek			x			
Kaidence Blakenship	Elbow Creek			x			
Kaylee Greeson	Elbow Creek			Silver medal			x
Karter Whitney	Exeter	Silver medal		x		x	x
Krista Whitney	Exeter	x	x				
Sydney McNulty	Exeter			x			
Addison McNulty	Exeter			x			
Wyatt Jardon	Exeter						x
James McNulty	Exeter			Gold medal			
Keith Whitney	Exeter	Silver medal					
Sean Phillips	Springville			x			
Maliyah Rios	St. Aloysius		Bronze medal				
Seth Leonardo	St. Aloysius		Bronze medal	x			
Patrick Oliver	St. Aloysius		Silver medal	Silver medal			
Alexis Martinez	St. Aloysius		x				
Kevin George	St. Aloysius		Gold medal	Gold medal— Team trophy	Silver medal— Team trophy		
Matthew Clifton	St. Aloysius		Silver medal	Bronze medal			
Ryan Leonardo	St. Aloysius		Gold medal	x			
Aidan Mercado	St. Aloysius		x	x			
Tyler Clifton	St. Aloysius		Silver medal	Silver medal- Team trophy	x Team trophy		
Jaden Mercado	St. Aloysius		x	x			
Zack McLain	St. Aloysius		Silver medal	Gold medal— Team trophy	Gold medal- Team trophy		

Webinar-Youth in Action Awards-for Youth Applicants

Date: September 4, 2019

Time: 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Contact: Suzanne Morikawa, morikawa@ucanr.edu

Sponsor: 4-H Youth Development Program



Event Details:

This National 4-H webinar about the 2020 Youth in Action Awards gives information and tips for submitting an application. This webinar is for all 4-H youth interested in applying.

You will need to access this webinar via computer browser online or via the free Zoom app. Sound will be through your computer audio or you can also call via phone.

[Register for the webinar](#) to receive the login link and code.

4-H RECORD BOOK INFORMATION



In California, we have two ways to complete a Record Book - through our Online Record Book (ORB) or with a paper Record Book. Both versions are aligned with the same forms and follow the same instructions for completion. You can use either version as your Record Book.

The 4-H program has a long history of record keeping. The focus reflects the importance of this life skill in our daily lives. Completing a 4-H Record Book is a process where you record project and club work using a standard format.

To learn more about Record Books and to obtain **up to date** forms and information, go to: http://4h.ucanr.edu/Resources/Member_Resources/RecordBook/

Kings County Community Outreach Specialist (UC Cooperative Extension/4-H)

OPENING DATE: 07/31/19

CLOSING DATE: 08/12/19






JOB OPPORTUNITY:

One immediate vacancy in the UC Cooperative Extension working directly with the California 4-H Youth Development Programs. This recruitment and selection process will emphasize education in agriculture or a related field and paid or volunteer experience with UC Cooperative Extension, 4-H, or a related program.

For detailed information go to:

https://agency.governmentjobs.com/kingscounty/job_bulletin.cfm?JobID=2511598

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4-H Connection August 2019



Visit our Website at: <http://cetulare.ucanr.edu>

Rochelle Mederos

4-H Program Representative

(559) 684-3300



4-H Club Facebook Pages

If your 4-H club or 4-H Project has a Facebook page please send an invite to the 4-H staff. 4-H Facebook pages must be monitored by 4-H Staff. For social media guidelines please contact the 4-H Office. Thank you!

Our programs are open to all potential participants. Please contact the Tulare County UCCE office, (two weeks prior to the activity), at (559) 684-3300 if you have any barriers to participation requiring special accommodations.



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http://cetulare.ucanr.edu/4-H_Program/

California State 4-H Website <http://4h.ucanr.edu>

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