COUNTY FASHION REVUE
May 1st
MLCS
Entries for County Fashion Revue are now closed. We have a great group of entries this year! Everyone is invited to attend the Fashion Show at 3:30pm. Categories for entries include Traditional, Recycled, Purchased Outfit ($100 limit), Embellished and the $15 Purchased Challenge. Attending this event counts toward your fair eligibility requirement.

4-H SKATING PARTY
The annual 4-H Skating Party was held April 9th at the High Country Sports Arena. Thank you to Lucky Trails club for hosting this great event! We had very few participants this year but everyone who came had a great time!

PULL TABS FOR DIALYSIS
Lucky Trails club will be collecting pull tabs from aluminum cans to benefit dialysis. Each pull tab=one minute of dialysis for a patient in need. Please collect pull tabs and bring them to your club meetings this month. They will then be transported to the 4-H office where a member from Lucky Trails will pick them up. You can make a difference!

2011 FAIR PRE-WEIGH
Saturday, May 14th
Mother Lode Fairgrounds
Pre-weigh for market swine is 6am to noon. Market lambs and market goats are accepted from 1-3 pm. The exhibitor must be present with their animals.

MOTHER LODE ROUND UP
May 7-8
Mother Lode Fairgrounds
It’s that time already! Lucky Trails 4-H Club will be selling popcorn and water during the Round-Up Parade on Saturday. If you attend the rodeo, be sure to stop by 4-H booth and enjoy a great sandwich! 4-H will once again be barbequing tri-tip for sandwiches at the rodeo food booth. Sign ups to help out with the booth were done at your club meetings in April. Hope to see you all there!

RELAY FOR LIFE
May 21-22
Sonora High School Track
Come support the Tuolumne Pioneers 4-H team or a local cancer survivor. There will be entertainment throughout the event. Teams will have walkers on the track for 24 hours to raise funds for the American Cancer Society. There is no admission charge for spectators.

MOTHER LODE FAIR
July 7-10th
http://www.motherlodefair.org
The theme for the this years fair will be “Christmas in July”. The Stanislaus National Forest has been selected to harvest the Capitol Christmas Tree for this year. The tree will be displayed on the front lawn of the U.S. Capitol in Washington D.C. in December. The fair theme was chosen to reflect this special event. The Exhibitor’s Handbook will be published in early May. Please check the fair website often for details.

Happy Mother’s Day!
ALL STAR & LEADERSHIP TEAM
May 4th, application deadline
Go to http://tuolumne4h.ucdavis.edu for information. Look for Forms & Manuals.

POSTAL SHOOT
May 15
Mother Lode Gun Club
The 27th Annual State 4-H Shooting Sports Match for 4-H members and leaders enrolled in the program will be May 15th beginning at 8am. The competition will likely take up most of the day, ending around 4pm. For more information please contact Rodger Tidball at 984-4933.

HORSE LEVEL TESTING
Written Test May 9
Practical Portion May 15
Tuolumne County Sheriff’s Posse Grounds
The written portion of level testing will be conducted at the 4-H office on May 9th at 6pm. The practical portion will take place Sunday, May 15th at 9am at the Posse Grounds. In order to participate you must be a member of a horse project in Tuolumne County. All 4-H members and family are welcome to attend the practical portion. Bring your own chair, lunch and drinks. This is the last event offered that will count for your fair eligibility.

CALAVERAS COUNTY FAIR
May 19 - 22
Calaveras County Fairgrounds
Entries are now closed for the fair. Come see all the fair events Calaveras County has to offer including livestock shows, horse shows, Cattlemen’s Day, still exhibits, concerts, the carnival and more! This counts as a 4-H event attended but not for your fair eligibility requirement.

STATE FIELD DAY
May 28
UC Davis
http://www.ca4h.org/Programs/Events/SFD/
All qualifying members may register for State Presentation Day and Fashion Revue at the above link. Members will be able to see Robotics, Rabbits, and Races at Field Day this year. Many other events such as Judging, Horticulture, interview contest, photography, and film festival are all happening at the State Field Day. For more information please contact Quang "Hogan" Tong at qtong@ucdavis.edu

STATE 4-H HORSE CLASSIC
May 28-29
UC Davis
This event will be held in conjunction with State 4-H Field Day. Registrations are due by May 6 (post-marked). Late forms incur an additional $5 late fee for each contest. Please make checks out to UC Regents. If you have any questions contact Cynthia Barnett at (909) 387-2193. For the registration form, go to: http://www.ca4h.org/Projects/SET/Animal/EquineEducation/Horse_Classic/

CAMP TWEETY
June 17-20
Lions Camp Pacifica in Ahwahnee
Come join Mariposa County 4-H at their annual summer camp! Registration is open to all youth 4th-8th grade. Both 4-H and non-4-H members are welcome to attend. Teen staff (9th grade and up) as well as chaperones are also needed. The cost is $80 for current 4-H members and $95 for non-4-H members. Registration is due by June 3rd. For more information contact Donna Wice, dswice@ucdavis.edu or 209-966-4829.

MERCED COUNTY 4-H SUMMER CAMP
June 24-27
Camp Sylvester, near Pinecrest
Merced County invites our members to attend. Cost is approx. $170 for regular age members through 8th grade (no primaries). We may need to send an adult chaperone with our youth campers. Are you interested in being a teen camp staff? For more information contact Darlene McIntyre, dlmcintyre@ucdavis.edu or 209-385-7418.

C.A.S.T. FISHING FAIR
June 11
The C.A.S.T. Fishing Fair for disabled and disadvantaged children will be held at New Melones Lake on June 11. The water level is up at the lake this year and 4-H will be there to assist. The forms to register participants are accepted April 1-30. 4-H members and adults - save the date and plan to participate or assist!

FREE GOATS!
Toggenburg/Alpine X, born March 2010, one wether & one doe available. Free to good home! Please call Lora at 327-2546 for more information.
C.A.S.T. for Kids Fishing Fun Fair

Saturday June 11, 2011
New Melones Lake ~ Tuttletown Recreation Area

FREE fishing event for disabled & disadvantaged children ages 5-16

Pre-registration is required, between April 1-30

Fishing
Boat Rides
BBQ lunch
Free T-shirt
Contests
Gold Panning
Water Safety
Animal Tracks

For information contact Ranger Hilary at 209-536-9094 ext. 236

This event is made possible by the generous support of community members, businesses, local service clubs, and organizations. The C.A.S.T. for Kids Foundation is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization. Donations gladly accepted.
CHILD APPLICATION FORM

Space is limited. Your application must be received in our office no later than April 30, 2011. Complete one application for each child. Answer ALL questions completely.

Child's Name: FIRST ______________________ LAST ______________________

Age (must be 5 – 16) _____ Male _____ Female _____ Phone (______) ______________________

Mailing Address ________________________________________________________________

City ______________________ State ________ Zip ___________ E-mail _____________________

1. What is your child’s T-shirt size? Circle one: YOUTH SM MED LG ADULT SM MED LG XL XXL
2. Has your child ever participated in a C.A.S.T event before? Yes _____ No _____
3. Can your child swim? Yes _____ No _____
4. Please indicate if your child has special needs that require assistance from C.A.S.T. staff. Yes _____ No _____
   What assistance would be helpful? ________________________________________________________

A limited number of participants will be selected to fish with a fishing buddy in a boat. If you would like your child to be considered for this opportunity, please fill out the information below.
Note: Boat rides without fishing are offered to all participants.

I would like my child to be considered to fish on a boat with a fishing pro. Yes _____ No _____
If yes, please answer questions below.

Has my child ever been on a boat before? Yes _____ No _____
Has my child ever fished on a boat before? Yes _____ No _____

A parent or guardian over 18 must accompany the child on the boat. Name of adult ______________________

Permission is granted to photograph my child(ren) and myself for future C.A.S.T. promotions. I hereby waive and release the Bureau of Reclamation, event officials and sponsoring organizations from all claims for injury and/or damage incurred in connection with the C.A.S.T. Kids Fishing Fun Fair event.

_____________________________ ________________________ ________________
Parent/ Legal Guardian Print Name Parent/ Legal Guardian Signature Date

You will be mailed a confirmation letter prior to C.A.S.T. with directions and instructions.
If, after registering, your child cannot attend, please call us right away so that another child can participate.

Fax completed application to 209-536-9652 or mail to: NEW MELONES C.A.S.T.
6850 Studhorse Flat Rd.
Sonora, CA. 95370

Call 209-536-9094 Ext. 236 for more information
MAY IS NATIONAL YOUTH TRAFFIC SAFETY MONTH
May celebrates National Youth Traffic Safety Month, a national campaign empowering young people to take a stand for traffic safety. The 2011 focus is youth distracted driving prevention. In 2009, 16 percent of all drivers younger than 20 involved in fatal crashes were reported to have been distracted while driving. To participate in national contests and promote traffic safety in your community, visit: www.noy.org/national_youth_traffic_safety_month.aspx.

4-H SCHOLARSHIPS FOR HIGHER EDUCATION
Deadline: May 31, 2011
Have you considered pursuing a career in nutrition, fitness, or other health-related fields? The California 4-H Youth Development Program is committed to promoting higher education, in part through offering financial assistance for youth pursuing college after high school. Scholarships are available for graduating high school seniors and college attending students between the ages of 16 and 25. If candidates were 4-H members in high school they may apply for funds to cover tuition, books, and room and board. For more information, visit www.ca4h.org/Resources/Members/Scholarships.

CA 4-H STATE FASHION REVUE 2011
Make a quilt square, a quilt top, or a complete quilt for a wounded soldier. Special size for stretchers and gurneys, approximately 45 x 81 inches, are needed. Red, white and blue fabrics are preferred. If you make 12 ½” x 12 ½” squares then they can be combined with squares made by other people for a whole quilt. Bring or send your squares, quilt tops and quilts to State Fashion Revue at Olson Hall, UC Davis during State Field Day, May 28, 2011. Youth are invited to sew squares together and quilt during the morning SFR workshop. There will also be a quilting demonstration booth at the California State Fair on July 20th from 12pm-10pm. Help is needed in 2 hours shifts. Parking and admission is free so there would be time for helpers to enjoy the rest of the fair. Please contact Mary Engebreth for more information, maryengebreth@comcast.net

STATE LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE
Are you at least 8th grade now? Are you interested in gaining leadership experience and meeting other 4-H teens from throughout California? You should consider attending SLC this year at UC Davis, July 28-31. Jamie Smith, a Tuolumne County 4-H member and one of the current 4-H State Ambassadors, is helping to plan the conference. The Tuolumne County All Star Team will be teaching a workshop session. The conference cost will be $420. To help defray expenses, California 4-H Foundation and Wells Fargo Bank offer partial scholarships for SLC. If you would like to attend and can’t afford the registration fee, you should apply for a scholarship. Applications are due by May 13 and can be downloaded at http://www.ca4h.org/files/53496.doc

STATE LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE FINANCIAL AID
Through a grant from Wells Fargo and assistance from the California 4-H Foundation, financial aid is available to delegates wishing to attend the 2011 State Leadership Conference. Applications are due by May 13, 2011. Download application at: http://www.ca4h.org/files/53496.doc. Please contact Quang “Hogan” Tong at qtong@ucdavis.edu for more information or go to the SLC website at: http://www.ca4h.org/Programs/Events/SFD/.

STATEWIDE ADVISORY COMMITTEES
Statewide 4-H Youth Development Program (YDP) Advisory Committees are comprised of a representative group of 4-H members, adult volunteers, county and state 4-H YDP staff. Statewide 4-H YDP Committees offer insight, review and input for the operation and management of the Statewide 4-H YDP to the State 4-H YDP Director. Committees meet face-to-face various times of the year, and may schedule conference calls, and utilize email to conduct committee business. Travel to meetings may be reimbursed through the State 4-H YDP Office. Open recruitment for committee membership takes place every spring. 4-H members, recent alumni, 4-H adult volunteers, 4-H YDP program partners and collaborators, and County 4-H YDP staff are invited to apply. Applications are due to the State 4-H YDP Office postmarked by May 31, 2011. For information, see http://www.ca4h.org/Administration/Advisory_Committees/
4-H ARCHERY LEADER CERTIFICATION
A shooting sports training workshop for the archery discipline will be held in Red Bluff, CA on Saturday, May 21st from 9am-3pm and Sunday, May 22 from 8am-3pm.

Upon successful completion of the course, participants will be certified as archery volunteers and can instruct archery club projects and camp programs. Attendance at both days is required. NEW! Attendees will also learn about & participate in the youth only tournament scheduled for Sunday, May 22nd.

The course will be held at the Tehama County Search & Rescue Building, Park Avenue & Baker Road, Red Bluff, and at the Ishi Archery Club Range, Hwy 36 East, Red Bluff. Cost for the course will be $40 and includes morning refreshments, Saturday lunch and class materials. Dry camping is available at the range.

For more information, contact Leland George, State 4-H Archery Instructor, at 530-527-4200 or e-mail: ljgeorge@clearwire.net. Pre-registration is due Monday, May 16th.

2011 SHOOTING SPORTS NATIONAL TRAINING CONFERENCE
Scheduled for May 15 – 20 at the Iowa 4-H Center in Madrid, Iowa. Attendance and successful completion of this workshop certifies an individual to be a California 4-H Shooting Sports State Instructor. State Instructors are part of the team that put on shooting sports trainings throughout the state. It requires an established commitment and a recognized ability to be a State Instructor. This year California will be able to provide financial assistance of $750 to three individuals selected to attend this training. Please contact John Borba at (661) 868-6216 for more information.

FILMFEST 4-H
This is a new event for youth ages 11-18 who are interested in learning more about filmmaking and the film industry. Young filmmakers can submit their work for screening consideration. Attendees of the Fest will be able to go to workshops and network among other film enthusiasts. You may submit until June 1st for a fee of $15. More information is available at: http://4h.missouri.edu/filmfest/.

STATE 4-H PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST
http://www.ca4h.org/Programs/Events/SFD/Photo/
The photography contest will be held during CA 4-H State Field Day at UC Davis on May 28, from 8:30am-6:00pm. The online registration is now open, and the deadline is May 6. Participants do not have to be a member of a photography project in order to participate. Photographs must be hand delivered to the contest on May 28th. For more information please contact John Trammell at (909)863-8912.

2011 CALIFORNIA STATE FAIR
“The Adventure Is Bigger Than Ever!”
Big food, big entertainment, BIG Fun! July 14 - 31, 2011

4-H BOOTH AT CALIFORNIA STATE FAIR
The California 4-H Foundation is recruiting 4-H members and leaders to help staff the 4-H booth at the California State Fair (July 14 - July 31). This is a great opportunity for 4-H members and volunteers to share their experiences as well as the wide range of projects and leadership opportunities that are available to youth through participation in the California 4-H Youth Development Program. We encourage you to bring small 4-H projects (robots, rabbits, arts/crafts, service dogs, etc.) to give the public a “feel” for the variety of experiences available to 4-H participants. Examples of service projects also make for good stories to share with the public. (See the tips above for telling these stories powerfully.) Please feel free to bring photo albums or record books with you to share with visitors to our booth – these are a great way to showcase our amazing 4-H youth and volunteers. Parking passes and fair admission tickets will be provided to 4-H members and adults who sign up for a 2-hour shift. A maximum of 4 youth and 2 adults per shift will be allowed. Each shift must have two adults in the booth at all times. To sign-up, please visit http://ucce.ucdavis.edu/survey/survey.cfm?surveynumber=6119

HOST FAMILIES STILL NEEDED
The California 4-H Program is seeking host families for Japanese and Costa Rican boys for a 1 month exchange this summer. Boys ages 10 – 15 can host a Japanese boy from July 22 to August 18. Placements are made on a first-come, first-served basis with early applicants able to select their student. Boys ages 14 – 19 can host a Costa Rican boy from June 18 – July 16. Interested families can learn more by contacting Pat English at 530-754-8520 or penglish@ucdavis.edu.
STATE 4-H OFFICE NEWS CONTINUED...

YOUTH ART & DESIGN COMPETITION
This includes youth fine art, clothing, quilts, needlecraft, crafts & hobbies, photography, video & animation, graphic art, and scrapbooking

All entries must be submitted as a digital image on a CD. Only selected entries will need to be brought to display during the fair. For tips on how to take a great picture of your entry see Photographing Your Entry for the State Fair.

This year there is a special same day judging event for all Fashion & Textile Show entries on April 30; exhibitors bring in their actual entries and they will be judged that same day.

YOUTH TASK FORCE
Do something fun with your fellow youth this summer at the California State Fair! The Youth Task Force program offers youth the opportunity to participate before and during the California State Fair by providing volunteer assistance.

Youth, ages 14-17, are invited to join. Youth Task Force activities may include the following: exhibit check in/out, labeling displayed entries, planning a demonstration day, assembling mailings, staffing fair-time events, assisting in the demonstration kitchen, and much more!

The Youth Task Force is a fun way to participate in the California State Fair and volunteerism is an important part of any resume or scholarship application. Each Task Force member will receive a Certificate of Hours, and Letters of Recommendation are available upon request. For more information please see the Youth Task Force Brochure & Application.

Contact:
Youth Programs, California Exposition & State Fair
P.O. Box 15649, Sacramento, CA 95852
(916)263.3189, youthexhibits@calexpo.com

LEADER RECOGNITION LETTERS
Each November at the State Leader's Forum at Asilomar, attending 4H Leaders from our state are recognized for their length of service to the 4H program. This year we'd like to also provide for each attendee a letter from an actual 4Her, thanking them for their volunteer work.

4H members throughout California who would like to create a letter to a leader are encouraged to do so, and those having trouble composing their own letter may use one of the following templates. We anticipate 200+ leaders at the event, and can duplicate (Xerox) contributed letters to ensure each leader in attendance receives one (if this letter-writing request results in 200+ letters, all the better!). Any 4Her may write a letter using the following guide:
- Date the letter
- Dear 4H Leader (we won't know exactly who will receive it until the event; sort of like sending Valentine's in grammar school!)
- Thank the recipient of the letter for being a volunteer leader
- Tell a little about what 4H projects you're in
- Tell a little about what you've learned, and how you enjoy it
- Thank the recipient again
- Close the letter with 'sincerely' or 'yours truly' etc.
- Write your first name only, your club and county

The letters can be written on binder paper, plain paper or fancy sheets of stationary. They can be decorated with stickers or drawings if the member chooses to be artistic, but this is not required. **The goal is to provide each leader who attends the State Leader's Forum at Asilomar with a meaningful souvenir of how important their time, expertise, guidance, commitment, etc. are to our members across the state.**

Members writing a letter may include a copy of it in their 4H book, in the section for letters.

**Please submit to the following address no later than August 15.**
Christina Wagner
8542 Cumulus Way
Orangevale CA 95662

If you have any questions, please contact Chris at mjwcs@comcast.net

Don’t forget to honor those who have served our country on Memorial Day!
FOOTHILL 4-H
At our last meeting we decided to have a hamburger picnic at Railtown for our year end meeting. I will post next month who needs to bring what. Any help I can get from families to set up and clean up would be appreciated. Don’t forget we start serving at 6pm. Also, a reminder to swine members: There will be no meeting in May because of pre-weigh.

Sharon Smales

GROVELAND HIGHLANDERS
At our April meeting we collected two full boxes of donated food for the Groveland Food Closet and had several presentations from the Swine and Rabbit project groups. We are planning to help at the Tuolumne Trails Kid’s Camp at their Volunteer Day on Saturday, May 7th beginning at 9:30am. Our next meeting will be Tuesday, May 10th. We will begin working on our record books.

Caitlen Amos, Reporter

HI 4-H
Hi 4-H had a fun and successful Disneyland Trip. Everyone was great!! Hi 4-H will have a Haunted House float in the Mother Lode Roundup parade on May 7th. We will also be serving pancakes to participants at the Relay for Life on Sunday, May 22nd. Hi 4-H is helping to coordinate the CAST for Kids event at New Melones, which will be held on June 11th. Any 4-H member may volunteer to help. If interested contact Linda or Jodi Hembree at 532-8656. Our next meeting will be May 18th at 7:00 pm at the Sonora Youth Center. We will be having an ice cream social and anyone interested in learning more about Hi 4-H is encouraged to attend. This will be our last meeting until September. Any Questions call Linda Mager, 532-5896, Anita Payne, 532-8309 or Linda Hembree, 532-8656.

LUCKY TRAILS
We would like to extend a warm welcome to our new members: Caleb Brewer, Joshua Brewer, Hayden Jacobsen and Alan Ginn! In May we will be decorating the bulletin board at the 4-H office and selling water & popcorn at the Round Up Parade. Please bring pull tabs off of aluminum cans to the next meeting. Each pull tab—one minute of dialysis for a patient in need. We will also be discussing record books and the end of the year party. Happy Mother’s Day to all the 4-H mothers and grandmothers!

MOUNTAIN RANGERS
Thanks to all of you who came to the last meeting. At our last meeting Brittany Gilles talked about “Pay It Forward”. We also talked about many other things. Please bring pull tabs off of soda cans and other cans to the next meeting. Our next meeting will be May 12th at 7:00pm. Record books will be done after every meeting for about 15 minutes, help will be provided. For more information please contact Gwen Swenson at 586-1922 or Patricia Carlson at 586-2628. Thank you!

Hale Gragg, Reporter

SONORA CLOVERLEAFS
Happy Spring Sonora Cloverleafs!

Thanks to those who remembered to bring books and ice cream fixings for the Ice Cream Social last meeting. We have decided to donate the books the kids in Africa instead of the local library.

Also, we would like members to bring in school supplies for the children in Africa such as backpacks, pencils, notebooks, or any school supplies you can think of. Make sure the donations are in good shape, but they don’t have to be new. Have a great Easter!

Kaarina Thompson, Reporter

TUOLUMNE PIONEERS
On April 30th we will be repairing Tuolumne County walking trails and catering a luncheon at the Memorial Hall in downtown Sonora. We need ten people for the luncheon; if you signed up for either of these Ron will call you with more information.

For a week in June we will be distributing cookies, pet food and an invitation to get involved as a 4-H project leader for Meals on Wheels customers. We need 6 kids each day for 5 days. The sign up sheet will be put out in May.

If you still need a community event attended in order to show at the fair, County Fashion Revue is on May 1st at the Mother Lode Christian School at 3:30pm.

Canning is meeting April 30th at Denise’s house at noon. There is a golf tournament at Green Horn Creek on April 30th. Barbeque is meeting May 6th at the fairgrounds at 6pm sharp for rodeo prep.

Sydney Jones, Reporter
**COUNTY-WIDE PROJECT NEWS**

**DOG CARE & TRAINING**
The remaining meeting dates are May 3rd and 17th and June 7th. All meetings will be held at the fairgrounds and start at 6pm. The dog show will be held June 25th at 9am at the fairgrounds.

JoAnn Gritz and Mary Barrett

**HORSE (RANCH RIDERS)**
The written portion of Level Testing will be Monday, May 9th at 6pm at the 4-H office. The practical portion will be held Sunday, May 15th at 9am. Everyone needs to attend May 15th whether you plan to test or not as this will count for our May meeting. If you are planning to test, you need to be there no later than 8am in order to get you and your horse prepared. We will have a short project meeting after everyone is done testing. Please bring a chair to sit and a sack lunch. **For May only, there will be no Saturday meeting! This means everyone must come Sunday to get meeting credit for May.**

Jen, Melissa & Sarah

**POULTRY**
Our next and final meeting before fair will be May 19th at 7pm at the 4-H office. Please have your Poultry Project Report filled out and ready for signature. You will need this for your minimum record book requirement to enter into the fair. We will be filling out fair forms and going over fair rules & processing day information. If you need to make up a meeting for your project report requirement, please call me at: 586-2784 See you at the meeting!

Greg & Lynn Hummel

**SMALL LIVESTOCK ASSOCIATION**
The next SLA meeting will be the third Monday in May, the 16th at 7:00 pm at the UCCE/4-H Office. SLA is open to and provides activities for 4-H, FFA, and independent youth who raise and show small animals. There is still a lot of work to be done before the fair. We would love to see more small livestock members and families at this meeting! Call Sue Moore with questions or to volunteer at 743-2020. Thank you!

**4-H SUPPLIES**
4-H Council sells member supplies at cost. Green & white hats are $13. Hats are in sizes medium, large & XL. The white hat is for high school members. Some parents purchase white hats for 8th grade graduation gifts.

Regular and Clip Ties are $11, Scarves are $13. Or you can sew your own scarf. A complete scarf kit with fabric is $6.50 or you can get a free pattern, buy the patches for $2 and get your own fabric.

The 4-H record book cover is $4, but not required. We also have a cover insert for a 1” view binder for $1.50. The metal 4-H Member Gate Sign is $20, made for us by Amos Graphics.

If you have stripes, patches, medals or a star to put on your hat, consult the “4-H Hat Etiquette” on the UCCE office website for their placement. It is printed in the Tooter each year after Achievement Night.

The 4-H Office has some recycled white pants for free to any Tuolumne County 4-H members. They are in the office meeting room, so stop by during office hours 8-5 to look through the box. If your children have outgrown their whites, please remember our recycle box for your donations. We are very short on small sizes. The Fair allows exhibitors to show in dark blue or white pants.

**FAIR SHOW UNIFORM**
Each fair has different requirements. The Mother Lode Fair requires all livestock exhibitors to wear “whites”. This means white pants and a white shirt. Then each exhibitor adds specific garments which signify their organization affiliation. The fair also allows dark blue jeans.

4-H exhibitors should be wearing:
- Solid white collared dress shirt or blouse. Long sleeves are required for beef and rabbits. Others may be short sleeved. No tee shirts or sleeveless shirts. No low necklines. Shirt must be tucked into pants.
- White pants or dark blue jeans. They should be clean and neat. No hip huggers or low-rise jeans.
- Official 4-H tie or scarf and 4-H white or green hat.
- Closed toe shoes. They do not need to be boots. Shoelaces must be tied.
- No gum chewing.
- Limited jewelry.
- Long hair pulled back neatly so the judge can see your face and your hair isn’t distracting.
4-H Youth Development Program
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