**DRIVE THRU DINNER**
Coming June 11 from 4-6:30 at the Mother Lode Fairgrounds. If you checked out tickets, they need to be returned ASAP to the 4-H Office, Ron Hamilton or Sue Moore. If you want to purchase a dinner or a separate tri tip, call Sue at 743-2020. The Drive Thru Dinner is a fundraiser to send our All Star and Leadership Teams to State Leadership Conference in San Diego in August.

**OPTIONAL FAIR WEIGH-IN**
There will be an optional weigh-in at the fairgrounds on Saturday, June 16th. Animals will be accepted any time between 7am-12pm. This is a great way to see how your animal is gaining prior to the fair!

**ALL STAR & LEADERSHIP TEAM**
The 2012-2013 members of the All Star and Leadership Team have been selected. Congratulations to the newest members of the Leadership Team: Cait Amos and Monica Magdaleno. Our new All Star Team will consist of Grace Bloom, Brittney Gilles, Danny Hamilton and Peter Tidball. We are looking forward to a great year working with each of you!

**CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATES!**
Congratulations to all our 4-H members who are graduating 8th grade and high school this year! We are very proud to have you as 4-H members and wish you the best of luck in the future!

Congratulations to Hollie Swenson and Sarah Woods who both received 4-H scholarships to further their education at the college level. We wish both of you the best of luck!

**CALIFORNIA FOCUS**
Two delegates will be representing Tuolumne County 4-H at the California Focus Conference in Sacramento June 15-19. Brittney Gilles and Cait Amos will both be attending with Anita Vicini as their chaperone. Good luck girls! We can’t wait to hear more about your experience!

**SLC**
Register now for the 2012 State 4-H Leadership Conference, August 9-12 at UC San Diego. Open to 8th grade graduates & up, adult leaders and staff. Registration fee is $459/person if you register by June 15th. After June 15th registration is $489/person. Forms are available at the 4-H Office or online at [http://www.ca4h.org/Programs/Conferences/SLC/](http://www.ca4h.org/Programs/Conferences/SLC/). Forms and fees are due to the 4-H Office by June 14th.

**END OF THE YEAR PARTY!**
The Tuolumne Pioneers 4-H Club invites all 4-H members to the 2012 End of the Year Party!

When: Saturday June 23, 2012
6:00-8:00 PM
Where: Sonora High School Pool

Please bring a large side dish or salad to share. Pioneers will provide hamburgers and hot dogs. Tables will be provided bring your chairs and swim suits. For more info Call Ron 588-6993. Tell all your fellow club members! Let’s fill the pool!
Congratulations to all County Fashion Revue participants on the outstanding outfits entered. The judges were very impressed. Thank you for sewing squares for the Wounded Warriors quilt and we hope you had fun with the Olympic Sewing challenges. Many thanks to everyone who brought refreshments, to Meri Lopez for the decorations, Carol Willmon and helpers for the quilt station, Anita Vicini for taking photos, Leslie Bloom for modeling practice, Rosemary Terrazas and Dakota Siebert for emceeing, and to Rachel Jones and Sue Moore for organizing the event.

Results are:

**Junior Traditional**
- Samanda Beeman, Blue Ribbon & Rosette
- Madelyn Bloom, Blue Ribbon & Medal
- Marissa Erwin, Blue Ribbon
- Amanda Frese, Blue Ribbon & Medal
- Faith Hamilton, Blue Ribbon & Rosette
- Virginia Oellrich, Blue Ribbon & Rosette
- Rebekah Shopp, Blue Ribbon & Rosette (skirt)
  - Blue Ribbon & Medal (dress)
- Sonia Stevens, Blue Ribbon & Medal
- Sophia Stevens, Blue Ribbon & Medal
- Nikki West, Blue Ribbon & Medal

*Our County Winner was Madelyn Bloom*

**Junior $19.99 Challenge**
- Marci Deluca, Blue Ribbon & Rosette
- Amanda Frese, Blue Ribbon & Medal
- Haley Gragg, Blue Ribbon & Medal
- Victoria Smith, Blue Ribbon & Medal (jeans)
  - Blue Ribbon & Medal (dress)

*Our County Winner was Victoria Smith*

**Junior Tote Bag Challenge**
- Megan Ronneburg, Blue Ribbon & Medal

*Our County Winner was Megan Ronneburg*

**Intermediate Traditional**
- Sydney Jones, Blue Ribbon & Medal
- Emma Williams, Blue Ribbon & Medal

*Our County Winner was Sydney Jones*

**Intermediate $19.99 Challenge**
- Rylee Oliver, Blue Ribbon & Medal

*Our County Winner was Rylee Oliver*

**Senior Traditional**
- Grace Bloom, Blue Ribbon & Medal
- Britney Gilles, Blue Ribbon
- Hanna Lopez, Blue Ribbon, Medal
- Amber Manning, Blue Ribbon & Rosette
- Rima Panchal, Blue Ribbon & Medal
- Sydney Sheffield, Blue Ribbon
- Sammy West, Blue Ribbon

*Our County Winner was Hannah Lopez*

**Senior $19.99 Challenge**
- Brittney Gilles, Blue Ribbon & Medal

**Senior Tote Bag Challenge**
- Sarah Norvell, Blue Ribbon & Medal

*Our County Winner was Sarah Norvell*

**STATE FIELD DAY RESULTS**
California 4-H State Field Day was held May 26th at UC Davis. This all day event included State Presentation Day and State Fashion Revue as well as various demonstrations and workshops for 4-H members to participate in. Tuolumne County 4-H was represented well at the event! Thank you to the parents and staff who worked hard to put this event on!

**STATE FASHION REVUE**
- Victoria Smith, State Medalist in Junior $19.99 Challenge
- Megan Ronneburg, State Medalist in Junior Tote Bag Challenge
- Madelyn Bloom, State Medalist in Junior Traditional
- Sydney Jones, State Winner in Intermediate Traditional
- Hanna Lopez, state medalist in Senior Traditional

**STATE PRESENTATION DAY**
- Amanda Frese & Faith Hamilton, Gold Medal
- Victoria Smith, Blue Seal
- Sydney Jones, Gold Medal

**OTHER FIELD DAY AWARDS**
- Faith Hamilton, Blue for Interview contest
- Danny Hamilton, Gold Medal for Interview contest
- Brittney Gilles, Gold Seal & Blue Seal for the Photography contest
RODEO FOOD BOOTH
Wow did we make a lot of tri tip sandwiches! Thank you to everyone who came to work. Some of you even learned the correct way to make change. :-) A big thank you to Ron for all his knowledge and supervision. Your club leaders have the accounting. The funds can be used for a 4-H activity like going to a conference or purchasing project supplies.

AMGEN TOUR OF CALIFORNIA
Tuolumne County 4-H adult volunteers set up and served in the Amgen and Sonora VIP tents right next to the starting line at Courthouse Park. It was a very early but exciting morning! Thank you to everyone who came out to volunteer!

COMING EVENTS

4-H CAMP TWEETY
June 16-18
Lions Camp Pacifica, Awahanee
This 4-H camp is hosted by Mariposa County 4-H but Tuolumne County youth are also invited to attend. The camp is for youth in 4th-8th grade. Minimum age is 9 as of December 31, 2011. Cost is $85 per 4-H member or $105 for non 4-H members. Payments can be made. Registration is due by June 1st. For more information call 966-4829 or visit the website at: http://cemariposa.ucdavis.edu/4H_Program/Camp_Tweety/.

4-H DOG SHOW
The 4-H Dog Show will be held on Saturday, June 30th at 9am at the Mother Lode Fairgrounds.

You must be entered in the 4-H Dog Care and Training project in order to compete in the show. All 4-Hers are invited to attend. This counts as a 4-H event attended (though not for fair eligibility since fair entries are due the 19th). Come out and support this great project!

MLF HORSE SHOW
The Mother Lode Fair Horse Show will take place Sunday, July 1st at 8am at the Mother Lode Fairgrounds.

The show is open to 4-H, FFA and Independent exhibitors from Tuolumne, Calaveras and Mariposa counties. Riders will compete in Showmanship, English, Western and Gymkhana events. All 4-H members, families and friends are invited to attend! This counts as a 4-H event attended (not for fair eligibility). This is an all day event. Bring lots of sunscreen, water and snacks! Hope to see you there!

MINIMUM RECORD BOOK
If you plan to enter the Mother Lode Fair in a 4-H class, you must complete at least a minimum record book with a project report for that project.

Minimum Record Keeping for Fair Eligibility
To be eligible to represent 4-H at the Mother Lode Fair, or any other county, district or state fair, the member must satisfy the following minimum written record requirements:

Page 1 of the Personal Development Report is completed, all sections. It is signed by the member, parent and club leader.

The 4-H Story is written describing the member’s year in 4-H. Minimum length is one-half page.

All sections of the 2 page Annual Project Report are completed, with signatures of the member and project leader. The report should be written in your own words.

If the member is entering a market animal in the Fair, the record book must include one photograph of the member with the market animal.

The club leader’s signature verifies the member has met the club meeting attendance requirement. The project leader’s signature verifies the member has completed the project. The club leader and the project leader must both sign the minimum record book BEFORE the member’s fair entry form is signed.

If the minimum record book has not been completed, the 4-H member’s fair entry will be disqualified. This is for EVERY project entered into the fair.

COMPLETE RECORD BOOKS
Complete record books will include the 2012 Mother Lode Fair. July 15 is the last day to count activities. Your complete record book is due to your club leader by the end of July. County record book judging will take place August 25th. We hope to read some excellent record books at County Judging and recognize members with many awards.
MOTHER LODE FAIR
“75th Anniversary”
Please see the fair handbook for a complete schedule of events and rules. Fair handbooks are available at the Fair Office and online at http://www.motherlodefair.org

WRISTWRAP & PARKING REQUESTS
Each livestock exhibitor will receive one wristwrap at no charge for their use only. Livestock exhibitor’s family members may reserve additional wristwraps at $20 each. On the grounds parking permits can also be purchased at $40 each. You must fill out the appropriate forms located in the back of the fair handbook and return them to the fair office with your entries. Project leaders who do not have family members showing must submit payment and forms to Jennifer at the 4-H office by June 14th in order to be included in the leader list. Wristwraps purchased after June 30th will be $25.

EXHIBITOR MEETINGS
Important meetings are held Wednesday, after weigh-in so be there! 1:30 is for all livestock exhibitors and 2:30 is for small livestock exhibitors.

SATURDAY BUYERS’ RECEPTION
The Junior Livestock Auction reception will begin at 4pm and the Auction at 5pm. All auction sellers are asked to help pass out tea and lemonade in the stands.

BUYER GIFTS
No buyer gifts are to be presented on the fairgrounds at the auctions. You may visit buyers at their businesses after the fair in order to thank them for their support.

SALE FLYERS
Passing out flyers promoting your animals is strictly prohibited on the fairgrounds. This applies to family members of exhibitors as well. We encourage you to visit various businesses in person prior to the fair to invite potential buyers to the auction. No flyers are to be distributed on the fairgrounds at any time during the fair!

PM CLUB TOURS
Summer PM Club will be touring the livestock barns on Friday, July 13th in the morning. Can you help lead their tours or give a demo? Call the 4-H Office or see Jennifer Alderson at the fair to sign up. This is good credit in your record book and it’s fun!

CHAPERONING AT FAIR
Every livestock exhibitor must have an adult chaperone. For 4-H members, the project leader is the official chaperone. Parents are expected to help, and may never drop off kids without prior arrangements for chaperoning. Have a central meeting place or a designated check-in time. In case of emergencies, 4-H Medical treatment forms will be in the livestock office.

LIVESTOCK LOANS
If you received a loan from the Sonora Rotary Club, it must be repaid within 10 days after the Auction checks are released. Bring your payment to the 4-H Office, with a thank you note to the Rotary Club. They would enjoy seeing a photo of you with your project animal.

WHAT IF THERE’S A PROBLEM?
First talk to your project leader. If it is a 4-H issue, you can also discuss it with your club leader or Jennifer Alderson. If it is a livestock issue, see Shelley True-lock, the Livestock Superintendent, Kim Helmbold, the Large Livestock Clerk or Dalaine Heagle, the Small Livestock Clerk. If it is a Jr. Livestock Auction issue, the Committee President is Ron Hamilton. If it is a Small Livestock issue, the association President is Sue Moore. These people are all working together with 4-H leaders, FFA instructors, and volunteers to present a successful fair.

COOPERATION & ETHICS AT FAIR
All members, parents and leaders are encouraged to bring the spirit of cooperation with you each morning when you arrive at the Fair. While you are at the fair, you are representing 4-H to the public. Show Tuolumne County that you are cooperative, responsible, and that you have learned many things in your projects. 4-H is not about making money at the fair. 4-H is about learning, leadership and citizenship.

Members: Be careful with your appearance as well as your animal’s. Clothing requirements for the auctions are the same as for showing. Do not embarrass yourself or your project by wearing inappropriate clothing and being asked to change. Do not chew gum in the ring or during the auction. Remember that good manners are part of good sportsmanship.

Parents: Practice before the fair with your child, then let him/her do their best without commenting from outside the ring. It is not appropriate or ethical for you to assist your child while they are in the ring. The judge could even disqualify your child. Set a good example for your children. Adults acting or behaving in an inappropriate manner will be asked to leave.

Members: Thank your leader and the judge for helping you learn. Keep your experience positive, whatever place or ribbon you receive.
SMALL LIVESTOCK ASSOCIATION
The final meeting before Fair will be Monday, June 25 at 6:30 pm (note time change) at the UCCE Office. Small Livestock organizes the goat, rabbit and poultry barns, puts on the Small Livestock Auction and Benefit Auction, and the Small Livestock Barbecue. 4-H, FFA, and independent exhibitors, their leaders, and their families are invited to the SLA meetings and are expected to assist with SLA activities.

Set up of the Poultry & Rabbit barn will be Sunday, July 8 at 9 am. Come to build the turkey pens, set up supplies and decorate. Do you have decoration ideas? Contact Sue Moore, SLA President, at 2moores@mlode.com. Do you know of a free upright freezer? We need a new one to freeze the water bottles to keep the rabbits cool.

Important dates:
Wednesday, July 11 is check-in of all animals beginning at 6 AM. All poultry must stop at the upper parking lot for inspection. SLA will be taking a count of all poultry going to processing, including extra animals. The required meeting for all small livestock exhibitors immediately follows the 1:30 meeting for all exhibitors.

Thursday, July 12 is the rabbit show in the morning and the poultry show in the afternoon.
Friday, July 13 is the meat goat show followed by the pygmy goat show. Small Animal Round Robin begins at 7 pm.

SLA hosts two auctions. In the first, the Small Livestock Auction, proceeds are returned to the exhibitor. In the second, the Small Livestock Benefit Auction, proceeds are donated to SLA and are used for equipment, feed, awards, barn supplies, and scholarships. Each small livestock exhibitor can sell one lot in each auction. If, for example, you plan to sell 2 turkeys, make sure you enter both turkeys in the fair.

Photographs for auction entries will be taken immediately following each show. Extra photos are $10 so bring your money if you want to order. Auction forms should be turned in when you have your photo taken.

Saturday, July 14 is the interviews for the Caren Eilrich Award, the Outstanding Small Livestock Exhibitor. Enter this using the form in the back of the premium book turned in with your fair entry, or turn it in at the Small Livestock Exhibitor meeting on Wednesday.

Sunday, July 15 at 1 PM is the livestock awards ceremony, followed by the Small Livestock Auctions at 2:30 and the Small Livestock Barbecue at 4:30 PM. Bob Miller organized the barbecue every year since it began and with his passing in March, it will now be the Bob Miller Memorial Small Livestock Barbecue. His family, both local and out of state, will be at the barbecue so come meet them and share your favorite Bob stories.

Market Goats will be processed at Superior this year with the lambs and will be loaded at 3 AM Monday morning. If you sell a market goat and your buyer wants it processed, either be there to load your goat or make arrangements for someone to be there to load it.

Market Poultry (turkeys and meat birds) will be processed at Riella Farms on Monday, July 16. Loading begins at 6 AM. All exhibitors with birds to be processed are expected to participate. Sign up at the exhibitor meeting for the job and time slot you want.

Market Rabbits will be processed at the ___ in Turlock. Gail Aruta will provide this information at the exhibitor meeting.

Congratulations to recipients of Small Livestock Association scholarships:
Caitlin Amos, Sonora High, $500, Howard Kooyers Memorial Scholarship
Kelly McEwen, Sonora High, $500, Bob & Joan Miller Memorial Scholarship
Hollie Swenson, Gold Rush Charter School, $500, Howard Kooyers Memorial Scholarship
Sierra Parada, Summerville High, $500, Bob & Joan Miller Memorial Scholarship

RECYCLED 4-H WHITES
Need white/blue jeans or a white shirt to complete your 4-H uniform? The bins of recycled 4-H whites are now available in the meeting room at the 4-H Office. You may come look through the bins any time during regular UCCE Office hours (Mon-Thurs 8-5). Also, we are always accepting donations. Bring us your whites you have outgrown! All items in the recycled boxes are free to 4-H members.

PURCHASING 4-H WHITES
If you wish to order new white/blue jeans or white shirts for fair head on down to Let’er Buck Western Wear in Downtown Sonora. Laurie offers a great 4-H discount! Some items may be in stock but most white jeans will need to be ordered. Ordering is not a problem! Simply call Laurie at 533-1144 in the next two weeks to place your order in time for fair.

4-H hats, scarves, ties and record book covers are always available for purchase at the 4-H Office. Stop by today!
Volunteer at State Fair!
Deadline: June 25, 2012
The State Fashion Revue committee is again sponsoring a quilting booth at the California State Fair. Our day at the Fair, Thursday, July 19, coincides with the Military Appreciation Day. We will display our 3 completed quilts for Wounded Warriors, set up the quilting frame so fair visitors can try their hand at quilting to help us finish quilt tops, and have materials to make thank you cards for the soldiers. We will need at least two (2) adults with four (4) 4-H members for each 2 hour time slot. For adults we need your full name, date of birth, driver's license #, and your zip code to comply with the Megan's Law requirement. All participants will receive a free admission pass to the fair for the day and a parking pass. This is a great time to help at the 4-H Foundation Fair Booth, too. Each of these opportunities is 'first sign up, first choice of time'. Invite members of your club to be part of this fun event. If you would like to be part of this dynamic experience, please contact Mary Engebreth at maryengebreth@comcast.net or 707-996-2981.

JOIN The Revolution of Responsibility! $1,000 is available to 4-H Clubs and Groups
Due July 15!
The Revolution of Responsibility Centennial Campaign celebrates the power of California 4-H youth taking action through an ambitious statewide program that is funding 1,000 service learning projects at $1,000 each. Through authentic, youth-designed, youth-led community-based projects, youth grow and develop while making a difference in their communities. Since the roll-out in October 2011, over 50 projects have been funded! See the list at http://www.ca4h.org/Support/RofR/FundedProjects/. Watch a new video of a California 4-H project at http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IQdgoyHqP0o&feature=plcp. A toolkit of tips, templates, links, and suggested guidelines has been developed to support your projects. From the initial work to identify a compelling community issue to the final celebration of its completion, use this toolkit to help you carry out the important steps necessary to ensure success. For more information, go to: http://www.ca4h.org/Support/RofR/Toolkit/

Workshops at State Leaders Forum
Deadline: June 30, 2012
The clock is ticking toward the deadline to submit a workshop proposal for the 2012 California 4-H State Leaders Forum at Asilomar. Workshop proposals are due June 30, so please take a minute to design a workshop and submit a proposal. The Forum is November 9-11; all workshops will be presented on Saturday, November 10. Workshops may be presented once, repeated during another time period or extended over multiple time periods. The schedule allows free time between sessions. Submit a workshop proposal via online survey at http://ucanr.org/2012slfworkshop. A printable version of the form is available at http://www.ca4h.org/Programs/Conferences/SLF/. If you have workshop questions, please contact Candy Brown, candy.brown@gracemodesto.org or 209-537-7405.

2012 California 4-H State Leaders Forum
Registration is now open. Wake up to the possibilities at “4-H in a Minute!” Join the South Central Section November 9-11 at Asilomar Conference Center in Pacific Grove. The registration fee is $60 until September 1st, so get together with your friends and plan to register early.
The forum will include:
o Opportunities to network with 4-H peers from throughout the state.
o Inspirational speakers from far and near.
o Workshops designed to help you be a more effective mentor to 4-H youth.
o “Minute to Win It” competitions between 4-H Sections.
o Opportunities to honor dedicated, long-time leaders.
o Ample time to enjoy the natural beauty of the Asilomar Conference Grounds and adjacent beach.

Conference registration is by survey with paper forms also available. The conference housing and meal package is reserved directly through Asilomar until September 9. For further registration information and to find all forms, go to: http://www.ca4h.org/Programs/Conferences/SLF/. SLF 2012 promises to be an exciting conference, focusing on timely issues and having a good time.
FOOTHILL 4-H
Hi Foothill 4-H Club,
To start off, we would like to congratulate our new 2012-2013 Club officers.
President: Rachael Rosasco
Vice President: Emma Wright
Secretary: Grace Bloom
Treasurer: Linda Mathiesen
Also, our next meeting is going to be held on June 13th at the Humane Society at 7pm. This meeting is going to be very important because this is when you will need to have your minimum record book forms completed to get signed by Sharon or Ida. The minimum record book consists of the front page of the PDR, your 4-H Story, and the complete project report forms for the animal that you are going to be showing at the fair. At this meeting, most of the project leaders will be there to sign your project report forms; so have them done show you can show at the fair!!! That is all for now! See you all soon!
Grace Bloom, Reporter

GROVELAND HIGHLANDERS
At our May meeting we discussed the volunteer work day at the kids camp. Thanks to Mrs.West, Nikki West, Sammy West, Margerite and Emma Williams, Gabriela Infelise and Grace Cathrien for your help and efforts at the kids camp, thank you. We also worked on our record books.

Our pond party will be Tuesday, June 12th at 2pm at the McKinnon's pond, to complete record books and fill out Mother Lode Fair entries.
Nikki West, Reporter

LUCKY TRAILS
Our June meeting will be held the 13th at 6:30pm at the 4-H Office.

MOUNTAIN RANGERS
Hello! Here we are at the end of the year already! Don't forget our end of the year party/meeting on June 13 at 6pm. Remember we are having our end of the year party (ice cream social) Bring your favorite ice cream topping to share. Also we will be holding our elections for next year's officers. We are approaching fair time very quickly so don't forget to get your record books ready if you are showing at fair.
Victoria Smith, Reporter

SONORA CLOVERLEAFS
Hello Sonora Cloverleafs,
Summer will soon be here and so will the Mother Lode Fair. In order to show at the fair, you must complete a minimum record book and bring it to our last meeting on Tuesday, June 12 at 7 pm. I must see that you have complete records before I will sign.

We also have an Ice Cream Social planned for after the meeting on Tuesday. For those of you who signed up to bring something, Rima Panchal will be making reminder calls and emails. If you missed the sign ups and want to bring something, we can always use chocolate syrup, whipped cream, and sprinkles.

Our club is holding an End of the Year Party on Tuesday, June 26th at the Peller’s house in Columbia, next door to Columbia Nursery on Quarry Lane. The barbeque should start around 6 pm. A potluck sign-up sheet will be passed around at Tuesday’s meeting. The club will provide burgers, veggies burgers, lemonade, and paper goods. This event will count as an event attended in the PDR.

Hope to see you all at Tuesday’s meeting and at the End of the Year Party. For more information please contact me, Deniel Sheffield at 536-9791 or at sheffy@msn.com

Deniel Sheffield

TUOLUMNE PIONEERS
The end of the year party is June 22, 2012 at the Sonora High Pool. Please see flyer in this edition of the Tooter.

The Officers for next year are:
President: Josie Hodge Gookin
Vice President: Amanda Frese
Secretary: Danny Hamilton
Treasurer: Faith Hamilton
Seargant At Arms: William Quirie/Paul Quirie/Taiten Boyce/Hayden Oakes
Reporter: Rylee Oliver
Refreshments: Humphrey Quirie and Miranda Grider
Historians: Marci DeLuca/Jessamyn Skutches/Bobby Grider/George Quirie
Congratulations!

Record books are due June 4 at 6pm at the Hamilton House. Swine and Sheep Meeting June 4 at 6pm Hamilton House. Address is 18483 Cedar Street in Tuolumne.
Faith Hamilton, Reporter
COUNTYWIDE PROJECT NEWS

DOG CARE & TRAINING
This month we will be meeting June 5th and 19th. The Dog Show will be held on June 30th at 9am at the Mother Lode Fairgrounds.

Jo-Ann Gritz and Mary Barrett

HORSE (RANCH RIDERS)
Congratulations to all of our members who passed their project proficiencies at Level Testing last weekend! You all did an amazing job! Since Level Testing counted as our June meeting we will not be having another meeting this month. We will be meeting before fair sometime in July to create our fair display. We will email you to set a date for this. Don’t forget fair entries are due June 19th! We hope to see all of you at the Fair Horse Show on July 1st. Even if you aren’t showing it is fun to come to watch!

Jen, Melissa & Sarah

PYGMY GOATS
We will be having another showmanship practice at the Gold Rush Elementary Charter School, used to be Sullivan Creek Elementary, at 16331 Hidden Valley Road, Sonora at 6:30 pm. On July 8th at 2:00 pm there will be a pot luck BBQ at Rod and Beth Moore’s, so remember to bring your choice of meat and a dish to pass, along with your goats so they can be cleaned and groomed for the fair. Remember also anyone wanting to arrive in the late morning can do so and we can get to work on your goats right away. July 10th at 5:30 pm we will be decorating the pen area for the fair. In the mean time please practice with your goat(s) and setting them up and working with them. Directions on how to get to these meeting places will follow in an email to everyone.

Beth Moore

RABBITS (TLC)
The TLC Countywide Rabbit project will meet Saturday, June 16 at 10:00 a.m. at Gail Aruta’s house. We will hold a showmanship contest, tattoo rabbits and get fair entry forms reviewed and signed. Call Gail at 532-5257 for directions.

COUNTYWIDE PROJECT NEWS

CLUB RECORDS
Records are required from each club, due by county record book judging on August 25th. The order they are received will determine the order for clubs at Achievement Night:
- Secretary’s book with meeting attendance and minutes
- Treasurer’s book with budget, monthly ledgers, receipts, bank statements, and audit
- Club Inventory
- Vice President: Club Goals
- The club outreach report is completed by the Club Leader

These records are optional
- President’s Agendas
- Historian’s Scrapbook
- Reporter’s articles for the Tooter

NO JULY TOOTER
There will be no Tooter published in July. The Tooter will resume in August with a special welcome back edition that focuses primarily on enrollment, clubs and projects available for the 2012-2013 4-H year!

4-H STAFF OPEN OFFICE HOURS
Starting June 1st 4-H Program Manager, Jennifer Alderson, will have designated office hours on Wednesdays and Thursdays every week. Similar to the methods that professors use, these open office hours are hours where Jennifer is guaranteed to be in her office and her main focus will be on serving our 4-H families. While some weeks Jennifer is in the office all four days, other weeks scheduling conflicts often take her out of the office. We hope that this will make her more accessible to be public. The hours will be as follows:
Wednesday 1pm-4pm
Thursday 9am-12pm

In addition to these hours Jennifer will also have evening office hours on the 1st Wednesday of every month from 5pm-7pm for families who can’t get to the office before 5pm.

Need help but these hours don’t work for you? Simply call the 4-H Office to make an appointment at 533-6990. We will be happy to find a time that fits your schedule!
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TOOTER NEWS
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