

THE CLOVER

The Spring Edition



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IMPORTANT DATES

April 2022

- 3rd - Deadline to register for Presentation Day. Register [HERE](#)
- 3rd - Deadline to register for Fashion Revue. Register [HERE](#)
- 7th - Leaders Council Meeting (6PM, Farm Bureau)
- 9th - Presentation Day & Fashion Revue
- 15th - Deadline to register for Still Exhibit Competition. Register [HERE](#)
- 21st - Livestock Leaders Meeting TENTATIVE (6PM, Farm Bureau)
- 20th - Deadline to register for Regional Presentation Day Register [HERE](#)
- 25th - Still Exhibit drop off
- 26th - Feeder Calf Leaders Meeting at IV Fairgrounds. (4PM)
- 28th - Record Book Rehash via Zoom
- 29th - Still Exhibit pick up
- 29th - Deadline to register for State Field Day

May 2022

- 2nd - Deadline to register for Clover Chef Challenge
- 5th - Leaders Council Meeting - 6PM Farm Bureau
- 7th - Clover Chef Challenge
- 14th - Imperial County 4-H Family Day! (Includes Judging, Knowledge Bowl and Awards Ceremony)
- 14th - Judging Day / Knowledge Bowl / Awards
- 16th - Record Book Rehash
- 19th - Livestock Leaders Meeting TENTATIVE 6PM Farm Bureau
- 27th - County Ambassador Application Due to 4-H Office
- 28th - Countywide Memorial Day Community Service



IMPERIAL COUNTY 4-H PRESENTATION DAY 2022

Sat, 4/9 8am

What is Presentation Day?

Presentation Day is where our 4-Hers put their public speaking skills to the test! Members may sign up for a variety of presentation styles. Members can get creative while learning how to organize a talk, demonstration, presentation and more! Members will be judged by experienced speakers and given constructive feedback on their performances.

Members that do well will also have an opportunity to compete at Regionals and then at the State level! For a better understanding of the types of presentations available, please see the state manual [HERE](#).

If you are trying to achieve any star ranking, these presentation types are required.

Register for the event [HERE](#)
Deadline to register is Friday, April 1st.

Where can we list this in our Record Books?

PDR Sections:

3, Events Attended: Presentation Day

6, Com. Skills: 4-H Presentations

(Various)



4-H Fashion Revue

Are you into FASHION?

Do you like sewing?

Do you like shopping?

Do you enjoy dressing in costume?

4-H Fashion Revue could be for YOU!

for 2022, there is no requirement to be in in any club sewing project, anyone can enter!

**SATURDAY, APRIL 9, 2022
BRAWLEY BOYS & GIRLS CLUB
165 S PLAZA ST.
10AM**

**THERE ARE 5 CATEGORIES THAT
MIGHT INTEREST YOU:**

Traditional
Consumer Science Project
Box Challenge
Vintage
Trashion Fashion

Please click [HERE](#) for descriptions.

**Where can we list this in our
Record Books?**

PDR sections:

- 2, Project Skill Act.: exhibit
- 2, Project Skill Act.: judged contest
- 3, Events Attended: Fashion Revue
- 6, Com. Skills: prepared talk

REGISTER FOR THE EVENT [HERE](#)

4-H Fashion Revue CATEGORIES 2022

Traditional

Participants in this category will construct garment(s), showcasing sewing skills and the ability to coordinate an outfit. The outfit must contain at least one constructed garment. Participants are encouraged to construct additional garments and/or accessories to complete the outfit.

Consumer Science Project, \$40.00 limit

Participants will shop for an entire outfit with the total cost not to exceed \$40.00, including shoes but not sales tax. Receipts from the current 4-H year are required for any item that is visible. Gifts, prior purchases, and items without receipts are not eligible for this category. Receipts from yard sales, etc. may be hand written. The participant should consider value vs. cost, versatility, the shopping experience, and coordination of the outfit within the cost limit.

Box Challenge

For 2022: Pants

Participants in this challenge will sew a pair of pants. The rules refer to the entry as pants, but they could also be shorts, capris, or a skort. Leggings do not count for this category. The pants must be sewn by the member as part of the Clothing & Textiles/Sewing project. Additional garments may be sewn by the member or purchased. In addition, choose from the following elements that are in your box. Junior members must include at least two in their pants. Intermediate members must include at least three. Senior members must include at least four.

In the box:

- Zipper, functional
- Button with buttonhole
- Waistband
- 2 pockets
- Belt loops, at least 4
- Hook & eye or snap
- Darts or Pleats
- Flat fell seam
- Topstitching

Vintage Challenge

Participants in this challenge will create an outfit that is inspired by or looks like an old design using new fabric and notions. For this category, the design should be from before the year 2000. The entry must state the year or period of the design and include a drawing, photo, or description of the classic design that is being reproduced or duplicated. Add accessories to complete the outfit that are reminiscent of that time period. The outfit must feature at least one handmade garment made by the member. Other pieces of the outfit must be representational and recognizable as belonging to the same era as the hand made garment. There is no 4-H project requirement; any 4-H member may enter this category

Trashion Fashion Challenge

"Trashion" is a fashion philosophy that combines environmentalism with innovation. It comes from a desire to make the best use of limited resources by making traditional and avant-garde clothing from recycled materials or cast off junk. Trashion helps give new life to waste materials that would not normally be used again. Participants in this challenge will create a garment out of recycled, re-purposed, secondary use materials. The garment must be made from at least 75% recyclable or reused materials that would otherwise be thrown away or recycled. The materials should not be new or unused for their original purpose. Do not embellish an existing garment with recycled materials and do not reuse fabric or clothing as the recycled material. All garments must be clean, safe to wear and touch, and durable enough to last a full day's wearing. The participant must be able to walk, sit, and use stairs while wearing their outfit. Trashion Fashion methods may also be used to accessorize the outfit. The entry must list all materials used and include an environmental fact about one of the material's effect on the environment and how the material can be reduced, recycled or reused by the public.

STILL EXHIBITS

Have you started to work on your projects yet?

IT'S TIME!

Projects due
Monday, April 25th
7AM-9AM 4-H Office

FREE to enter. Ribbon awards only.

Members will be allowed to submit a total of 10 projects for judging. Entries can be 12 projects in any category, or combination of categories with a maximum of 2 items per class. Make sure to read the Competitive Exhibits Manual.

View the 2022 Competitive Exhibits Manual [HERE](#)

REGISTER [HERE](#)

**MEMBERS MUST REGISTER THEIR PROJECTS.
REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS APRIL 15, 2022.**



Clover Chef Challenge

SAVE THE DATE



Sat, 5/7 10am to 1pm

Boys & Girls Clubs, Brawley Unit
165 S. Plaza St.
Brawley, CA 92227

This is a twist on the classic Garden Delights, Grilling Good Time and the Foods & Nutrition project.

This will be a team challenge! Teams can be made of mixed age groups and mixed clubs. Three to five members will make up a team. Each team will be given a bin of supplies and a basket of ingredients to prepare a dish. The main ingredients in the basket will be disclosed two days prior to the event for potential preparation. The remaining ingredients and a "bonus point" ingredient will be disclosed on the day of the event. Teams will work together to make a dish that uses all of the ingredients, which cover the basic food groups and nutrition. Teams will be judged on creativity, taste and their ability to work as a team. Bonus points will be given for the use of the "Bonus Points" ingredient.

Cooking utensils will be provided. An electric burner, electric griddle and a grill will also be available for use.

**START MAKING THOSE TEAMS!
MORE INFORMATION, RULES AND HOW TO
REGISTRATION TO COME!**

Where can we list this in our Record Books?

PDR Sections:

- 2, Project Skills Activity: Knowledge Contest -
Cooking/ Nutrition Contest
- 3, Events Attended: Clover Chef Challenge
- 4, Leadership Development: Lead a 4-H Group Activity



FAMILY DAY 2022

SAVE THE DATE

SAT, 5/14 1PM TO 8PM

FLYING D RANCH

2122 HOLTON RD, HOLTVILLE, CA 92250

**ENJOY FOOD, FUN AND LOTS OF OPPORTUNITIES TO
GET PINS AND MEDALS FOR YOUR HAT!**

EVENT FEATURING:

KNOWLEDGE BOWL

JUDGING DAY

STILL EXHIBIT AWARDS

More details available soon!

**Where can we list this in our
Record Books?**

PDR Sections:

3, Events Attended: Family Day 2022



4-H Judging Day

Sat, 5/14 12-2pm

Judging Day will be held at FAMILY DAY!

Flying D Ranch

2122 Holton Rd, Holtville, CA 92250

What is Judging Day?

At this event, 4-Hers come and test their knowledge in their respective 4-H projects. We try to host a judging class for every project in 4-H. Members judge a variety of project displays, placing them in the proper 1-2-3-4 order. The respective Record Book winners in each project serve as the judges, who not only put together 4 questions, but also score each competitor.

Participants can enter a total of 3 classes.

Members will be helped with explanations and encouraged to judge three projects.

**EVERYONE IS WELCOME AND ENCOURAGED TO PARTICIPATE!
ITS FUN AND YOU CAN WIN MEDALS FOR YOUR HAT!!**

Where can we list this in our Record Books?

PDR Section:

- 2, Project Skill Act.: Judged Contest
- 3, Events Attended: Judging Day
- 6, Comm. Skills; Judge (for those that submit a project board for judging)



Knowledge Bowl 2022

Sat, 5/14 2pm

FAMILY DAY

Flying D Ranch: 2122 Holton Rd, Holtville, CA 92250

Time to get your study on!

What is Knowledge Bowl?

This is a game show like competition where members study all of the basic knowledge 4-Hers should know. Teams compete against each other to win prizes, included a prestigious belt buckle. Any 4-H member 9-19 may participate, no specific project enrollment is required.

- There will be a Junior and Senior competition
- A team consists of 2-4 members
- Single elimination tournament
- Multiple teams per club accepted

Don't have a full team? We can help find members to join up with you!

Register [HERE](#)

Resources:

for all of your study needs, please click below:

[Knowledge Bowl Study Guide](#)

[Game Guidelines](#)

Where can we list this in our Record Books?

PDR Sections:

- 2, Project Skills Activity: Knowledge Contest
- 3, Events Attended: Knowledge Bowl



Monthly Record book Rehash

Thurs., April 28, 2022

Mon., May 16, 2022

6pm

Join Zoom [HERE](#)

join us to:

- Discuss where community 4-H events that took place during the month should be listed in your record book
- Discuss where any club events should be listed
- Help members with any questions they have about starting their books

Format will be open discussion for all to attend and participate.

Find the most recent Record Book Manual [HERE](#)



RECOGNITION / ANNOUNCEMENTS

National 4-H Conference

In Mid-March our current State Ambassador, Addison H., attended the National 4-H Conference in Washington D.C.

“ National 4-H Conference was the best 4-H conference I think I’ve ever been to. I really wanted to go to get involved at a national level, and I had heard that this conference was amazing! I got accepted to go, along with 6 other people. 6 of us went in person, and we had 1 person go online. The conference was so much fun, and the group selected was amazing! I got to go to my discussion group, and many workshops, as well as talk to state legislators about 4-H! I defiant would recommend going!

” - Addison H.



RECOGNITION / ANNOUNCEMENTS

Scholarships

Mary Harmon Scholarship

Due March 31, 2022

Find the application [HERE](#)

Other Scholarships you might qualify for, can be found [HERE](#)
and [HERE](#)

Community Service Opportunity

In honor of Memorial Day, all 4-H Clubs will be invited to participate in a community-wide service project. We are still working out all of the details, but we want to make an impact. Check with your leaders for more information later in the month of April.

Leaders' Council Meetings

Leaders Council meetings are set for the first Thursday of every month. As we move back to in-person meetings, we invite all members, parents and leaders to attend. You will get the most current information about events happening in our clubs. Everyone is welcome and we encourage club leadership teams to attend.

Save The Date...

2022 State Leadership Conference (SLC)

July 29- 31 2022

UC Davis Campus

Click [HERE](#) for More Info

