

Yankton County Fair which will include public presentations and Fashion Revue will be held Thursday July 30th - August 1st

Yankton County Fair project entry deadline will be July 20th

Yankton County Fair Setup will be July 26th starting at 1:00 pm

Special Foods Contest will be held June 26th

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Yankton County 4-H News

MARCH 2020

Upcoming Events

Tuesday, March 3rd	7:00 pm	Shooting Sports Meeting - Extension Office	
Friday, March 6th	5:00 pm	T-Shirt Contest design due	
Saturday, March 7th	9:30 am - 5:00 pm	Youth Artificial Insemination Day Camp - Beresford	
Saturday, March 7th	8:30 am	YQCA @ SDSU Southeast Research Farm Beresford	
Tuesday, March 17th	7:00 pm	Shooting Sports Meeting - Ex- tension Office	
Sunday, March 15th	3:00 pm	Jr. Leaders Meeting	
Tuesday, March 17th	10:15 am	Rockin for Meals - Senior Center	
Thursday, March 19th		Fruit Delivery -Yankton Ag	
Thursday, March 19th	3:45 pm	Library Science	
Saturday, March 21st	9:00 am	Project Workshop 'Home"	
Sunday, March 29th	1:00 pm	Horse Safety - Extension Office	
Monday, April 13th	10:00 am	YQCA -Yankton Ext Office	
Sunday, April 19th	3:00 pm	Painting With Sherri	
Friday, May 1st		Finals Entry Packet Due	
Monday, May 25th		Office Closed	
Friday, June 12th	9:00 am	Farm Safety Day Camp	
Wednesday, June 24th	9:00 am	Tri-County Horse Show	
Friday, June 26th	9:00 am	Special Foods contest	
Friday July 3rd		Office Closed	
Monday, July 20th	5:00 pm	County Fair Entry Deadline	
July 20th - July 22nd		State Horse Show	
July 23rd - July 26th		Summer Spotlight	
Sunday, July 26th	1:00 pm	County Fair Setup	
July 30th - August 1st		Yankton County Fair	
September 2 -7th		South Dakota State Fair	



Date: April 19th

Time: 3:00 PM

Where: 4-H Building

Cost: \$25

Age: 8+ (Cloverbuds

must be accompanied

by an adult)

Let Katie know at the Extension Office by Friday, April 10th.





Project Workshop

Date: March 21st

Where: Extension Office

Time: 9:00 a.m.

Cost: \$40 (financial assistances may be available, ask Katie for more details)

"O" Designs to choose from (pick 4): popsicle, sun, flip flops, Santa, Grinch, snowflake, cancer ribbon, school pencil, apple, football, clover, flower, pumpkin, tree, bunny.

Please let Katie know at the Extension office by March 10 in order to ensure the "o" designs can be shipped on time.

This class will be put on by 438 Design Co.



Location: Yankton Community Library

Contact: Amanda Raiche, Youth Services Librarian Address: 515 Walnut Street, Yankton

Library Phone Number: (605) 668-5276

The Yankton Community Library Science Club program will be open to Kindergartners through fifth graders. The program will take place the third Thursday of the month from September through May from 3:45 p.m. to 4:45 p.m. There is no cost for this program and registration is not necessary.

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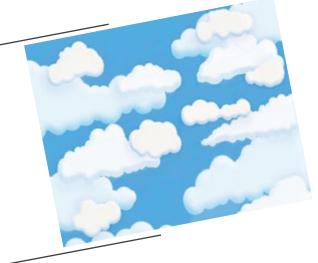
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March's Science Club Activity

March 19th 3:45 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.

Have you ever wondered what the different cloud shapes mean? Join us to learn about what the different clouds shapes can tell us about what weather is coming our way!





CREATE YOUR OWN THEME

FOR A CHANCE TO WIND CASH!

\$25 PRIZE

to the person who creates the best County Fair Theme!

Only 1 entry is allowed per 4-H member. Each entry must contain the 4-H Clover. The Leaders Association will vote on a winning theme. The winning theme will be used for the 2020 County Fair.

All Entries are due to the office by Friday, March 6.



SOUTH DAKOTA 4-H SCHOLARSHIP DEADLINE

The deadline for submitting scholarship applications to the State 4-H Office is April 1, 2020. The webpage has been updated with the qualifications and amounts for 2020-2021. Please share this information with your 4-Hers. Website: https://extension.sdstate.edu/event/south-dakota-4-h-scholarship-deadline

PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS UPDATE

The following rule changes will be implemented starting in 2020:

- Maximum time limit deductions have changed for all Demonstrations, Public Speaking, and Illustrated Talks.
 They will now include a 3-point deduction for the first minute over, and an additional one point deduction per each minute after that.
- Senior age 4-H members must set-up the entirety of their presentation to include: supplies and digital presentation. If a senior 4-H member receives assistance from an adult, with the exception of extenuating circumstances to be determined by the event host, a 3-point deduction will occur to their overall score.

The following registration change will start in 2020:

- Teams participating in Public Presentations will have one member register the presentation via a team lot, at which point they will indicate their teammate(s) and desired time for the presentation.
- Additionally, please make sure to emphasize to youth attending state that it is highly advised to bring their presentation on a flash drive, as internet is not a guarantee.

Flood damage can take weeks, months, or even years to repair. The disruptions to daily life can take a toll on your mental health. Contact Lewis & Clark Behavioral Health Services Inc. at (800) 765-3382 or (605) 665-4606 for more information about free and confidential counseling. Crisis Counselors are available to visit with you and provide resources and support at no cost to you.

Need to talk? We are here to listen and help. While it is normal to feel depressed, anxious or stressed, some may still feel those heightened emotions for months or years after a disaster. Crisis Counselors are available to address your immediate needs and connect you with local resources. Call Lewis & Clark Behavioral Health Services Inc. at (800) 765-3382 or (605) 665-4606 to visit with a Crisis Counselor.

Spring of 2019 caused record flooding in South Dakota. If you or someone you know is struggling to cope with their stress or is experiencing continued interference with their normal functioning, get help by calling Lewis & Clark Behavioral Health Services Inc. at (800) 765-3382 or (605) 665-4606. You will be connected to a crisis counselor who can address your immediate needs and connect you to local resources.

Please let me know if you can help!

Thanks,

Carleen Simpson

Intern at Lewis & Clark Behavioral Health Services Inc.

(605) 665-4606

Farm Safety Awareness

In the Spring of 2017 seven year old Jaxon Boomsma was killed in a tragic farming accident and his family would like to raise awareness of the importance of being safe while on the farm. The Boomsma family is not only providing t-shirts for Farm Safety Day Camp held by Yankton County 4-H in June, they would also like to give back to the youth involved with 4-H. Their family has decided to give a special award to three winners of their choice who enters the best project at Yankton County Fair, that relates to being safe on the farm. There will be three age division, Beginner, Junior, and Senior, one youth from each age division will be selected as the winner. The award will be given during Yankton County's Recognition Event. We strongly encourage all 4-H youth to participate in this project.



2020 Meat Goat Changes

- Breeding Meat Goat Show will be split into two divisions
 - o Registered Breeding Meat Goats
 - 4-H exhibitors are required to upload a copy of the animal registration papers
 (in their name, farm name, family name, or sibling name) to 4HOnline by July 1.
 - Full blood and percentage animals will be shown together
 - Will be shown by Date of Birth with Age Divisions as follows:
 - Junior Doe 3 to under 6 months, 3/1/20 5/31/20
 - Junior Doe 6 to under 9 months, 12/1/19– 2/29/20
 - Junior Doe 9 to under 12 months, 9/1/19 11/30/19
 - Yearling Doe 12 to under 16 months, 5/1/19 8/31/19
 - Yearling Doe 16 to under 20 months, 1/1/19 4/30/19
 - Senior Doe 20 to under 24 months, 9/1/18 12/31/18
 - Senior Doe 24 to under 36 months, 9/1/17 8/31/18
 - Senior Doe 36 months & over, Born prior to 8/31/17
 - Commercial
 - Shown by weight
 - Must not have kidded by time of show
- Schedule for Meat Goat Show

Thursday 8-11AM Check In

Thursday 1PM Showmanship (Sr- Jr- Beg)

Thursday 3 PM
 Registered Breeding Meat Goat Show

Thursday 6PMFFA Sheep ShowCommercial Show

Friday 11AM (Approximately) Market Goat Show (Doe/Wether)

STATE FAIR 4-H DIVISION—BEEF—NOTABLE UPDATES FOR 2020

- 1. Showmanship time moved to 3pm on Friday (This ensures the arena is clear at the conclusion of the dairy goat show.)
- 2. Addition of the following beef breeds:
 - Market beef only-

Miniature Steers with requirements as follows: steers must be registered in accordance with their appropriate breed, weigh between 500 and 1000 pounds, and be no more than 47" at the hip.

Breeding beef only-

Percentage Red Angus with requirements of: Registered as Category II or III and be no less than 50% Red Angus, must have at least one registered Red Angus parent, must be polled and red hided.

STATE FAIR 4-H DIVISION SWINE

- Breeding swine will be a new area in 2020
- Both Market and Breeding Swine will be non-terminal

The SDSU Extension 4-H Volunteer Field Specialist, Jenae Hansen, will be holding optional volunteer trainings
across the state during the month of March. Information on registration and training details to come, but the
dates are below. All trainings will take place from 6:30pm-8pm local time.
☐ March 2-Mitchell
☐ March 3- Sioux Falls
☐ March 9-Pierre
☐ March 10-Rapid City
☐ March 11-Winner
☐ March 16-Lemmon
☐ March 24-Aberdeen
☐ March 26-Watertown

RODEO FORMS updated for 2020

2020 Rodeo Rule book: https://extension.sdstate.edu/sites/default/files/2020-01/P-00019.pdf

2020 Rodeo Policy and Procedure Document:

https://extension.sdstate.edu/sites/default/files/2020-01/P-00015.pdf

Finals Entry Packet (Due May 1): https://extension.sdstate.edu/sites/default/files/2020-01/MC-00746.pdf

Insurance Declaration Form (do not send in with finals packet):

https://extension.sdstate.edu/sites/default/files/2020-01/MC-00745.pdf

2020 Rodeo Approval Form (Due March 1):

https://extension.sdstate.edu/sites/default/files/2020-01/MC-00744.pdf

2020 SHOOTING SPORTS DATES

- End of Match 1 Feb. 15
- End of Match 2 (Safety Scores are due and Last Day to register new SS members for Winter Program)
 March 15
- State Match Registration Opens March 16
- End of Match 3 April 15
- State Match Entry Closes April 16
- State Match April 24-26 Ft. Pierre/Pierre (shooting sites in both towns)
- National Team Archery Qualifier and Coaches Workshop June 13-14 (2021 Team Qualifier) Yankton
- 4-H SS National SS Championships June 21-26, Grand Island, NE
- End of Match 4 (Safety Scores are due and Last Day to register new SS members for Summer Program)
 July 15
- End of Match 5 Aug 31
- Fall Match Entries Due Sept 1
- Fall State Shoot Sept 12-13 Mitchell
- Annual Meeting December 12-13 Pierre

Calling All Champions!

Manna Pro is "Calling All Champions" to showcase their 4-H experience, past and present, in a photo mosaic available on MANNAPRO.COM/4H. All participants will receive coupons from Manna Pro and the states with the most photos submitted will be eligible for cash prizes. The promotion will run from February 1, 2020 through April 30, 2020 to help bring 4-H programs to more youth across the country and Inspire all Kids To Do. For more details and official contest rules, please visit HTTPS://WWW.MANNAPRO.COM/4H.



Spring Training

- ALL youth showing beef, dairy cattle, sheep, goats, dairy goats, swine, poultry or rabbits in 2020. Youth must re-certify each year – for questions about your certificate expiration, contact Lauren.
- <u>Step 1:</u> Go to https://yqca.learngrow.io/Account/Login
- Step 2: Click sign in with 4HOnline icon.
- <u>Step 3:</u> Select SD 4-H Youth Development from the drop down menu.
- Step 4: Login to your 4HOnline account.
- <u>Step 5:</u> Select the youth who you wish to sign up for a training.
- <u>Step 6</u>: Select the course applicable based on youth's 4-H age.
- Step 7: Select the training the youth will attend.
- Step 8: Add a credit card and pay \$3
 online or use the voucher code. *each
 child will be a separate transaction



April 13, 2020, 10:00 a.m. Yankton County Extension Office

- In person training \$3
- One-year certification online training available - \$12
- Additional trainings available in other counties. Don't wait until the last minute!

Questions?

Katie Doty 4-H Youth Program Assistant Yankton County Yankton.pa@sdstate.edu







YOUTH THE QUALITY CARE SANIMALS

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*Cloverbuds do not need YQCA training



March 7, 2020, 8:30 a.m.

Prior to the Youth A.I. Day CampAll 4-Hers Welcome for YQCA

SDSU Southeast Research Farm (29974 University Rd, Beresford, SD)

- In person training \$3
 - (You may be able to receive a coupon code from your local office)
- 1-year certification online training available -\$12

*When you log-in to the YQCA site you will be able to view all trainings available in the state. More are added all the time.

Questions?

Lauren Hollenbeck 4-H Youth Program Advisor Clay, Union & Yankton Counties Lauren.hollenbeck@sdstate.edu

South Dakota State University. South Dakota counties, and USDA cooperating. South Dakota State University adheres to AA/EEO guidelines in offering educational programs and services.

Summer Spotlight Goat Show Schedule

Thursday, July 23, 2020

7:00-8:00 am Breeding Goat check-in Commercial and Registered Does

8:00 Silent Auction opens (middle ring) closing at conclusion of Wether Doe Show
10:00 am Breeding Goat show Commercial followed by Registered Does (South Cattle Ring)

Jackpot showmanship at conclusion of show

Senior(14-21), Junior(11-13), Beginner(8-10), Pee Wee(7 & under)

11:00-noon Weigh-in of Wether Does, Market Wethers & Market Does Light to Heavy weight

1:00 Stockshow U Clinic Goats (north ring)3:00 pm Wether Doe Show (South Cattle Ring)

Silent Auction Closing/short break for pictures

Market Does followed by Market Wethers Light to Heavy weight

Jackpot showmanship at conclusion of the show

Senior(14-21), Junior(11-13), Beginner(8-10), Pee Wee(7 & under)

Market & Breeding Goat Division

- *Open to SD residents 21 and under as of Jan 1 or enrolled in SD 4-H/FFA
- *\$15 per head entry fee---Cash is appreciated
- *Enter Breeding Does 7-8:00 am shown by age
- *Enter Wether Does & Market Goats 11:00-noon shown by weight, light to heavy weight
- *Goats stalled on west side of 4-H Complex
- *Ownership as of June 1
- *All registered does MUST show papers at check-in
- *All goats MUST have scrapie tag (with the exception of Registered Does who have Scrapie tattoo and proper documentation)
- *Does may ONLY be shown in ONE class, market, wether doe, commercial or registered
- *Jackpot Showmanship following each show
- *Health papers required for all goats

Breeding Does: Commercial and Registered Age Divisions offered at the discretion of the coordinator.

- 1. Jr Doe- 3 to under 6 months 3/1/20 5/31/20
- 2. Jr Doe- 6 to under 9 months 12/1/19 2/28/20
- 3. Jr Doe- 9 to under 12 months 9/1/19 to 11/30/19
- 4. Yearling Doe- 12 to under 16 months 5/1/19 to 8/31/19
- 5. Yearling Doe- 16 to under 20 months 1/1/19 to 4/30/19
- 6. Sr Doe- 20 to under 24 months 9/1/18 to 12/31/18
- 7. Sr Doe- 24 to under 36 months 9/1/17 to 8/31/18
- 8. Sr Doe- 36 months or over, born prior to 8/31/17

Classes will be broke by the discretion of the show coordinators.

2020 US Targhee Sheep Association (USTSA) Starter Flock Program

Purpose?

To promote growth and visibility of the Targhee breed, and to promote youth involvement and education within the breed.

Who is eligible?

Any youth, age 9 to 17 as of January 1, 2020, whose immediate family does not raise Targhee sheep.

What comprises the starter flock?

The winner will be awarded one (1) ewe lamb, one (1) yearling ewe, and one (1) brood ewe donated by members of the USTSA. Each animal will be a USTSA registered animal, and at least QR in scrapic codon 171 genotype.

Promotion?

The program will be featured on the USTSA website, and advertisements will be placed in various trade journals as determined by the USTSA. Promotion by current members at shows and sales is strongly recommended.

Policy and Procedures:

- 1. An application and all supporting materials (listed below) must be submitted (postmarked or emailed) to the USTSA Secretary by April 1, 2020.
 - a. An essay must be completed and included with the application. The essay should detail the interest in the Targhee breed, any other sheep or livestock experience, facilities available for raising the sheep, and intentions for the sheep.
 - b. A signed letter from parent(s) or guardian(s) stating their approval of the application and all the responsibilities (feed, finances, time, etc.) that go along with the possible receipt of the award.
 - c. A signed letter of recommendation from a 4-H/FFA leader, <u>or</u> from a current USTSA member.
- 2. Receipt of application by the USTSA Secretary will be provided to the applicant via email or written letter.
- 3. Complete applications with supporting material will be reviewed by a USTSA committee, and the top five (5) finalists will be chosen per USTSA policy. Those five (5) finalists will be notified by mail or email of their selection.
- 4. The applications of the five (5) finalists will be forwarded to an independent judge, outside of the USTSA, who will select a winner and an alternate winner from those applicants.

NORTHWESTERN ENERGY GRANTS & SCHOLARSHIPS that may be utilized by your 4-H programs, students or teachers. On our Northwestern Energy website under Community Works you will find links to grant applications & scholarships that may not be common knowledge to the masses. A visit to these links will give you more specific information, regarding the different avenues we support under each. A grant could be considered to cover or help support a specific program, equipment needs or special event. Involving your community, in an event experience would also be something our company would support. For the Extension offices in our service territory, we also have a volunteer program that pays money to the organizations for the volunteer hours of our employees, to these organizations. So if one of your 4-H programs has a Northwestern Energy employee volunteer with judging, teaching students about circuits & switches or helps man a concession stand during 4-H festivities, you would be eligible for payment for the volunteer hours they accrue. Don't be afraid to reach out to your local Northwestern Energy Offices when you are in need of volunteers, as this program encourages our employees to get involved with the community in a way that benefits the organizations & institutions they volunteer their time to. It's a great way for our employees to interact with the programs that their very own children may be involved in. The volunteer time wouldn't have to revolve around energy related themes & could be any type of assistance the program or team may need. Currently, 32 hours or more of employee volunteer time equals \$400 awarded to the 4-H program they volunteer time to, which may be used in any way the program decides. Your programs can also benefit from our "Charitable Team Participation program, for Northwestern Energy employees who volunteer for more than one day during a multi-day event such as your annual 4-H days or community cleanup efforts. \$100 will be donated to a qualifying organization for each employee who participates in the Charitable Team Participation activity. For an employee who volunteers more than one day on a multi-day event, the nonprofit organization will receive \$100 for the first day & \$50 for each additional day up to \$250 total for the efforts of that employee. This is a great way to recognize those employees who go above & beyond to make community events shine! Don't forget to check out Northwestern Energy's Kid's Corner for free teaching materials, activities, games & experiments! Hope this was helpful awareness to all your programs! Please contact Christine Wood with any questions.

CONSUMER DECISION MAKING CHANGES FOR 2020 STATE FAIR

The Consumer Decision Making Committee has worked on changing the format of the Consumer Decision Making Contest into a Skill-A-Thon. The format for the contest will now include:

- Sewing and Clothing ID
- Interior Design and Housing ID
- Food and Cooking ID
- 2 Judging Classes (2 of these 3 will be used: clothing and textile; food and nutrition; child development)
- Seniors, Juniors, and Beginners will have 1 set of check type questions

This format follows the Skill-A-Thon at Western National Roundup. A change is that youth would be participating in the FCS Skill-A-Thon instead of Consumer Decision Making at Western National Roundup. The other change that would occur with this is that we would be taking the top 4 Senior individuals from State Fair instead of the top team. The rationale behind this is that all youth get an equal opportunity to qualify to have a chance to participate at Western National Roundup.

The number of items that the youth have to identify are dependent on their age division. The beginners will have to identify 10 items in each category, the juniors will have to identify 15 items in each category, and the seniors will have to identify 25 items in each category.

As far as resources, the committee will have the answer sheet and definitions on the website. We will also be putting resources on Box for counties to access. This would include the answer sheet, definitions, and a PowerPoint of the pictures that are available from Western National Roundup. Currently the PowerPoint and Booklets are uploaded into Box. If your county has youth who are requesting resources to study, please provide them with the information that is available.

Please let the Consumer Decision Making Committee (Tracey Lehrke and Bonnie Nehlich) know if you have any questions. We are excited with the changes that the CDM committee is making and think it will be a positive change in the long run.



FarmHouse Fraternity Incoming Students' Scholarship



Overview: This is the first year of FarmHouse incoming students' scholarship. FarmHouse fraternity was created 1905 with the goal of building men. FarmHouse promotes the growth and welfare of our members through the four pillars that focus on intellectual, social/moral, spiritual and physical development. SDSU FarmHouse chapter is known for its willingness to give and is excited to be able to help high school seniors. Applications are due at midnight March 8, 2020 to sdsufarmhouse@gmail.com. The amount of this scholarship is \$500.

Criteria to Apply:

- Applicants must be high school senior men planning on attending SDSU in the Fall 2020.
 - o Applicants can be pursing any major offered by SDSU
- Finalists must attend 97th Little International on March 27th
- Applications must be emailed by Midnight March 8, 2020 to sdsufarmhouse@gmail.com
- Finalists will be notified March 9th March 12th, 2020.

List and Describe your Extra Curricular Activities

- Finalists will be interviewed by the FarmHouse Scholarship Committee.
- Interviews will be conducted on Friday, March 27th. Times will be set upon notification.

Contact Info:
Name
Home Address
Cell Phone Number
Email Address
High School and High school address
Background:
High School GPA

Bon Homme County 4-H Fall Fun Horse Show & Play Day

SUNDAY, September 20th, 2020 @ 9:00 am
Tyndall 4-H Arena at the corner of 20th and Birch
In case of rain, it will be held at
7-N Arena, 31164 Equal Rights Road, Springfield SD
Judge: Joe Rowe

Proceeds benefit Bon Homme County 4-H Horse Project

-9:00 AM Start Time-

1.	English	Pleasure	19 and	Over
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2. English Pleasure 14-18

3. English Pleasure 13 and Under

4. English Equitation 19 and Over

5. English Equitation 14-18

6. English Equitation 13 and Under

7. Open Hunter Hack

8. Open Crossrails 18"

Walk/Trot Pleasure 10 and Under (English or Western)

Walk/Trot Equitation 10 and Under (English or Western) 11. Trail 19 and Over

12. Trail 14-18

13. Trail 13 and under

14. Ranch Horse Pattern Class 19 and Over

15. Ranch Horse Pattern Class 14-18

16. Ranch Horse Pattern Class 13 and Under

17. Open Western Pleasure (Stock type)

18. Open Western Pleasure (Pleasure type)

19. Walk/Trot Beginner Rider 11 and Over

20. Open Bareback Equitation

21. Tandem Bareback Equitation

-Lunch Break-

22.Leadline23. Open Pleasure Driving

24. Open Egg and Spoon

25. Candy Bar Race 10 and Under

26. Flag Race 10 and Under

27. Flag Race 11-13

28. Flag Race 14-18

29. Flag Race 19 and Over

30. Open 2 Man Rat Race

31. Keyhole 10 and Under

32. Keyhole 11-13

33. Keyhole 14-18

34. Keyhole 19 and Over

35. Poles 10 and Under

36. Poles 11-13

37. Poles 14-18

38. Poles 19 and Over

39. Open 4-in-a-Line

40. Barrels 10 and Under

41. Barrels 11-13

42. Barrels 14-18

43. Barrels 19 and Over

Rules:

- 1. Judges decision is final.
- 2. Show office charge is \$1 per rider
- 3. Entry fees are \$5 per class
- 4. No refunds for any reason
- 5. Awards 1st through 5th; Lead line-every rider wins!
- 6. Classes 9, 10 and 19 are Walk/Trot Classes Rider cannot enter any other performance class requiring a Canter/Lope. But may enter any of the games.
- 7. Class 1-8 requires English attire and ASTM approved helmet.
- 8. Class 30 and 39 require their own colored card. Entry is \$5 per team you may ride on more than one team.
- 9. All participants/Parents/ Guardians must sign a release agreement
- 10. Classes 1-21 are Performance Classes and require appropriate show attire and tack: split reins, boots, western shirt, hat/helmet etc; chaps are Not required
- 11. For more information please call Jen Torsney at 605-464-1115

High Point Awards in all 4 Age Groups!





4-H CAMP COUNSELORS WANTED



Do you like helping others?
Do you enjoy leading games and activities?
Do you LOVE CAMP??

Become a 4-H Camp Counselor! You must be in 4-H and between the ages of 16 and 18.

Choose either:

June 3-5 & 8-12 Camp Poinsett Arlington, SD

---- OR ----

June 8-12 Storm Mountain Camp Rapid City, SD

Want to apply? Contact:

Katherine Jaeger
SDSU Extension
Youth Outdoor Education
Field Specialist
Katherine.Jaeger@sdstate.edu
(605) 782-3290

Thousand Hour Challenge



What it is:

Yankton County 4-H members and clubs are challenged to complete **1,000** hours of community service during the 2018-2019 4-H Year.

How it works:

Individuals will report their hours of service to their club leader using the provided form telling them what you did to complete those hours. The leaders will then report the hours to the Extension Office. The Challenge will kick-off in October, with the first hours being reported in November. (We will back log and accept any hours completed in the month of October) For reported hours to count, you MUST have them to your club leader by the 5th of every month.

What's in it for me?

Prizes will be awarded to winners in different categories (Top Club, Hardest Worker, etc.). Winners will be unveiled at the 2019 Recognition Event!

For more information, contact the Yankton county Extension Office, or your 4-H Club Leader!

How will you serve?



****** Thousand Hour Challenge Monthly Report Form

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Name:		
Club:		
Month:		
How did I serve?	Where did I serve?	Hours completed
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Thank you for serving the Community!

Total Hours for the Month:_____

Please turn this into your club leader by the 5th of every month!

4-H Member Spotlight

Each month a 4-H member is featured in the observer. If you would like to be featured, please fill this out and turn back in to Katie.

Name:	
Age:	
Parents & Siblings:	
School:	
Grade:	
4-H Club:	
Years in 4-H:	
Favorite 4-H Activity:	
Favorite 4-H memory:	
Greatest 4-H achievement:	
Favorite part of County Fair:	
How did you get interested in 4-H?	
What has 4-H taught you?	
Why should other join 4-H?	
What do you like to do for fun?	
Favorite subject in School:	
Favorite food:	_ PHOTO
Favorite song:	
Role Models:	
Future Plans:	
Favorite animal:	
Favorite sports team:	
Other hobbies & interests:	
If I won a million dollars, the first thing I would buy is:	

What would you like to be when you grow up?_

4-H MEMBER SPOTLIGHT: CAIN HEALY

Age: 11

Parents & Siblings: Simon and Amanda

Bella, Diesel and Blaise

School: Irene Wakonda

Grade: 5th

4-H Club: Get Up and Go

Years in 4-H: 7

Favorite 4-H Activity: Showing my heifers

Favorite 4-H Memory: is receiving Grand Champion Breeding Heifer my first year at county fair. All of

my family was there to see it.



Favorite Part of County Fair: is all of the new activities there and all the people that come.

How did you get interested in 4-H? I became interested from my dad telling me about being in 4-H when he was young

Why should others join 4-H? Others should join 4-H because its fun. You get to meet new people and do things and activities you've never done before.

What has 4-H taught you? 4-H has taught me a lot. From showing livestock and now being our club president, I have to know how to conduct meetings.

What do you like to do for fun? For fun I like to be in sports. I like to spend time with my cousins. I like to go on the 4-Wheeler and pull my siblings around on a sled

Favorite Subject in School: PE

Favorite Food: is stuffed crust pizza

Favorite Song: Eyes On You by Chase Rice

Role Models: My roll models are my parents. My dad knows so much about farming. He knows his stuff pretty well out there.

Future Plans: My future plans include going to SDSU and then farming.

Favorite Animal: is our dog

Favorite Sports team: Kansas City Chiefs

Other hobbies & interests: I like football, baseball, sledding, 4 wheeling, and driving my dad around.

If I won a million dollars, the first thing I would buy is: I would buy a pickup.

What would you like to be when you grow up: I want to farm when I grow up.







South Dakota State 4-H Events and Deadlines

1-31-2020

View South Dakota 4-H state and national event dates and deadline reminders. Check back regularly throughout the 4-H year for updates and new information.

2020

February

15: 4-H Shooting Sports, Match 1 Deadline

March

- 1: 4-H Rodeo Approval Form Due to the State 4-H Office
- 15: 4-H Shooting Sports, Match 2 Deadline
- 16: State Shoot Registration Opens
- 28: April 2: National 4-H Conference Washington D.C.

April

- 1: South Dakota 4-H Scholarship Applications Due to the State 4-H Office
- 1: Shooting Sports Scholarship Applications Due to John Keimig
- 15: 4-H Shooting Sports, Match 3 Deadline
- 16: State Shoot Registration Deadline
- 24-26: State 4-H Spring Shoot Pierre/Ft. Pierre, SD

May

- 1: Rodeo Finals Packet Due to Kim Larson, 4-H Finals Rodeo Secretary
- 18: Science of Ag Brookings, SD

June

- 1: Livestock Ownership Verification Due in 4HOnline (Breeding Beef, Breeding Meat Goat, Breeding Sheep, Dairy Cattle, Dairy Goat, Market Beef, Market Goat, Market Lamb, Market Swine, Poultry, Rabbit)
- 1: Horse Form & Horse Achievement Form Due in 4HOnline
- 1: South Dakota 4-H Dog Project ID Affidavit and Vaccination Verification due in 4HOnline
- 1: Late Rodeo Finals Packet Deadline Due to Kim Larson
- 1: Animal Project Lease Form due in 4HOnline (if applicable)
- 1-5: Teen Leadership Conference Brookings, SD
- 14-20: Performing Arts Troupe Camp Aberdeen, SD
- 13-14: National Team Archery Qualifier and Coaches Workshop Yankton, SD
- 20-28: Citizenship Washington Focus Washington, D.C.
- 21-26: 4-H Shooting Sports National Championships Grand Island, NE





July

- 1: "Youth for the Quality Care of Animals" Completion Deadline
- 1: Breed Registration Papers Due in 4HOnline
- 1: State Horse Show Registration Deadline
- 15: 4-H Shooting Sports, Match 4 Deadline
- 20-22: State 4-H Horse Show Huron, SD

August

- 1: SD 4-H Volunteer Hall of Fame Nominations (including SSHOF)
- 11: State Fair and State Dog Show Deadline (Livestock, Display Exhibits, Youth-In-Action)
- 14-16: State 4-H Finals Rodeo Ft. Pierre, SD
- 29: State 4-H Dog Show Huron, SD
- 31: 4-H Shooting Sports, Match 5 Deadline

September

- 1: Fall State Shoot Registration Deadline
- 3-7: South Dakota State Fair Huron, SD
- 12-13: State 4-H Fall Shoot Mitchell, SD

October

- 4-10: National 4-H Week
- 8-11: Western Junior, Livestock Show & 4-H FCS Show Rapid City, SD

December

12-13 – Shooting Sports Annual Meeting

To Be Announced:

- State Livestock Skillathon
- State 4-H Livestock Judging
- State 4-H Livestock Judging and Skill-A-Thon Registration Deadline
- Summer Camps



P.A.Y. SCHOLARSHIP

Promoting Agricultural Youth

P.A.Y. Scholarship Program

The Yankton Area Chamber of Commerce P.A.Y. Scholarship will award (8) \$3,000 scholarships to graduating high school seniors in the Yankton area that want to pursue post-secondary education in the related fields of agricultural.

Objectives

- Recognize local youth that are leaders in agriculture.
- Provide local financial support for academic study and leadership development.
- Foster the development of future leaders in rural America, agribusiness and production agriculture.

Student Eligibility

Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for the scholarships. Those not meeting the requirements will not be considered.

- Students are high school seniors, graduating in the spring of 2020.
- Students will study an agricultural-related major at a two- or four-year college.

Examples of Ag-related degrees:

Agribusiness Biology **Agricultural Economics** Dairy Manufacturing and Production Agricultural Education **Diesel Mechanics** Agricultural Engineering **Diversified Agricultural Studies** Agricultural Journalism **Electrical Engineering** Agricultural Systems Technology **Environmental Management** Agronomy **Environmental Restoration Science Animal Science Environmental Studies Animals Ethanol Engineering Biochemistry** Fisheries and Wildlife Biocyber Food Science and Technology **Biological Systems Engineering** Food Technology for Companion

Forensic Science
Grassland Ecology and Management
Grazing Livestock Systems
Horticulture
Hospitality, Restaurant and Tourism
Management
Insect Science
Irrigation Technologies
Landscape Architecture and Design
Mechanized Systems Management
Microbiology
Natural Resource and Environmental

Economics
Park Management
Plant Biology
Plant Protection Sciences
Pre-Forestry
Pre-Veterinary Medicine
Range Science
Veterinary Science
Veterinary Technologist
Water Science
Wildlife and Fisheries Sciences

- Applicants must attend high school in one of the specified schools:
 - <u>SD</u>: Avon, Bon Homme, Freeman, Gayville-Volin, Irene-Wakonda, Menno, Scotland, Tripp-Delmont, Vermillion, Viborg-Hurley, Yankton
 - <u>NE</u>: Hartington-Newcastle Public, Cedar Catholic, Wynot, Laurel-Concord-Coleridge, Niobrara-Verdigre, Wausa, Bloomfield, Crofton, Creighton, Santee, Randolph

Selection Process

The scholarship recipients will be selected by the P.A.Y. Scholarship Committee Members through an application and interview process. The recipients of this award will be recognized at the 2020 Ag Producer & Business BBQ presented by the Yankton Area Chamber of Commerce.

Fund Distribution

Selected scholarship winners will be paid out in two \$1,500 increments for a total of \$3,000. The first \$1,500 will be paid in the second semester of your first year. The second \$1,500 will be paid in the second semester of your second year. Recipients will be required to submit their spring class schedule each year to the Yankton Chamber of Commerce to receive their scholarship. If recipient changes their field of study to a non-ag related major within this two-year time frame, all undisbursed funds will be forfeited. Requests for deferred payments will be made on a case by case basis with a possibility of forfeiting the scholarship.

6TH ANNUAL "ROCK-A-THON"

Help us Eradicate Senior Hunger, please donate!

TUESDAY, MARCH 17, 2020

10:00AM THRU 1:00PM

AT THE CENTER-900 WHITING DR.

March For Meals is a National Campaign that shines a light on Senior Hunger. The funds raised, provide low income Seniors with a hot homemade, nutritious meal.

It costs less to provide a Senior with meals for an entire year, than it costs to spend one day in the hospital or six days in a nursing home.

Help us keep our Seniors independent in the comfort of their homes.

Come out and support your favorite Rocker!



10:15AM-10:30AM

BOY SCOUTS



YANKTON CO. 4-H

KYLE USSERY

ENJOY CORNED BEEF & CABBAGE WITH ALL THE FIXINS!

SERVING FROM 11:30AM-1:00PM, CALL 665-1055 FOR MEAL RESERVATIONS



GREEN BEER, GAMES AND DOOR PRIZES (MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN-DRAWING @ 11 & 1)

Your support provides:

10 meals(\$37.50)

20 meals(\$75.00)

40 meals(\$150.00)

100 meals(\$375.00)

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING MEALS ON WHEELS



"ROCK-A-THON" MARCH 17TH



DONATION TRACKING REPORT

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Mandi Lampman (665–1055), mealsonwheels@thecenteryankton.org Christy Hauer (665–4685), chauer@thecenteryankton.org

You can help end senior hunger.





Davison County 4-H Shooting Sports Is Hosting The 2020 Winter Shoot Fest

Here is a chance to have some family fun!!!

The Date & Location

Two days only ----- March 21 and 22, 2020 ----- Davison County Fair Grounds 3200 W Havens, Mitchell

Registration

Registration will be required to setup times for shooting. There are limited number of shooting times and lanes which will be filled in the order of which times are requested. Shooting lanes are not assigned. For Preregistration information please contact Bryan Titze at 605-770-4385 or bryanfisherman@hotmail.com.

Day of the Shoot - Available shooting times will be determined by those not filled by pre-registration. Pay when you arrive and check in, not before.

The Rules

The 4-H Code of Conduct will be enforced. The rules governing the 4-H Competition will be used. Go to https://extension.sdstate.edu/ to read the rule books. In gun disciplines NRA range commands will be used. There will be no challenges accepted, as there are no awards only certificates of achievements will be given out.

Both Kids and Adults Can Participate

Kids - Since we are using the 4-H competition rules, to participate you MUST have been age 8 before Jan. 1st, 2020.

Adults - Must be young enough to safely participate in the disciplines of your choosing. Adults are encouraged to shoot too. This is what will make it a family event.