



MILLARD COUNTY 4-H NEWSLETTER

May/June 2011

Volunteers Honored

State 4-H Leadermete Honors County Volunteers



Utah 4-H held their annual Leadermete March 17-19 in St. George. Four Volunteers from Millard County were recognized and honored for the service that they have given to 4-H youth in various programs in our County. These ladies have put in many hours as they have taught their skills and passed on their talents and knowledge to the younger generation. Our community is definitely a better place because we have so many wonderful people willing to work with the youth. Thanks goes out, not only to these four ladies but to all volunteers who give of their time and talents in so many ways in our community.

Those who received awards are: Pat Sanderson for her years of organizing and running a Quilt Camp for the Fillmore 4-H Club. Deborah Willoughby and Emily Fleming for sharing their talents with the Delta Craft Club and Sewing Camp, and Dezzie Probst was awarded the Farm Bureau award. She will also attend the annual Farm Bureau Award Banquet in the fall where she will be awarded for her outstanding service.

County Contests

4-H offers a unique opportunity for members to learn a skill and then practice how to teach this skill to others through demonstrations. As youth meet together in their various clubs they learn new things that they become excited about doing and sharing. In their clubs they are given the opportunity to demonstrate to the other club members a new talent they have learned and love to do. As they show others, they practice communication skills.

Once a year 4-H members come together for County Contests. Demonstrations are presented to a panel of judges who give them a chance to show and tell a favorite skill that they have learned this year in their 4-H experiences. Positive comments are given to each youth that helps them to perfect their demonstration for State Contests. (Those age 14 and older) Following are the dates for this year 4-H County Contest Demonstrations:

Horse Demonstrations:

May 26 @ 3:00 at Delta Extension Office

Other Demonstrations:

June 8 @ 4:00 at Fillmore Legion Hall

June 22 @ 4:00 at Delta Fair Building

Call the Extension Office for information on all the categories available and to sign up for a time.

864-3830/Delta 743-5412/Fillmore

4-H Leadermete is a time each year that 4-H volunteers and directors all over the State get together to learn and share new ideas to help work with youth. Next year, 2012 is 4-H's Centennial and Leademete will be an extra special occasion. It will be held in Logan in conjunction with State Contests and all the other State Centennial Celebration activities the week of July 12th. This celebration will be a family event so make plans now to attend the 4-H Centennial Celebrations in 2012. Millard County will be hosting various celebration activities. Information of this will be available soon.

Welcome

Millard County welcomes Bobbette White to USU 4-H Extension. She will be coordinating 4-H programs on the East side of the county along with the Horse and Livestock programs.

Bobbette lives in Holden. She and her husband Sam have 4 boys. She has been involved in 4-H all of her life. As a youth, she attended 4-H clubs learning skills that she uses today. She was a JYL, Teen Council member, County and State Ambassador.

Bobbette is excited to work with the youth and 4-H volunteers in our community. Drop by the Extension Office in Fillmore during the office hours on Tuesday and Thursday.



Deborah Willoughby is joining our staff as the new 4-H assistant and will also be working with the Horse and Livestock programs. She is married to Rick Willoughby and lives in Oasis on their family farm where she has developed many skills in working with livestock. They have 4 children, 2 boys and 2 girls.

For the past 3 years Deborah has been volunteering her time to help with 4-H clubs and has been a major part of the 4-H sewing Camp. Deborah was raised in Flowell on the Milo Anderson family farm. We are excited to welcome Deborah to Millard County Extension 4-H.

MILLARD COUNTY EXTENSION WEB SITE

Keep connected and updated on activities, events, and information with 4-H through the Extension web site: extension.usu.edu/Millard

Check often to keep updated on any changes in date, time or place of clubs or events!!

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<http://extension.usu.edu/millard>



Upcoming Events

May

- 2 Fillmore Jr. Ambassador Mtg. 3:00 @ Library
- 3 Delta Craft Club 3:15
- 4 Delta Rockets 3:15 @ Ext. Office
- 5 Fillmore Rockets (Craft Club) 3:15 Pavilion
- 11 Fillmore Cooking Club 3:15 Legion Hall
- 11 Delta (Parents) Garden & Fruit Class 6:00 pm
- 12 Fillmore (parents) Garden & Fruit Class 6:00 pm
- 12 Adventure Camp Registration Due
- 12 Hairy Horseshow 5:30 in Delta
- 16 Delta Photo Club 3:15
- 17 Delta Creative Writing Club 3:15 @ Tech.
- 18 4-H Sweetheart Contest 5:30 in Delta
- 19 Fillmore Sweet Treats Club 3:15 @ Armory
- 19 Delta Cooking Club 3:15 @ Extension Office
- 25 Delta Paper Piecing Club 3:15 @ Ext. Office
- 26 Horse Demonstrations 3:00 @ Delta Ext. Office
- 26 Junior Youth Conference Registration due
- 30-June 2 Jr. Livestock Show

June

- 7-9 Fillmore Sewing Camp @ Legion Hall
- 8 Fillmore County Contests @ Legion Hall 4:00
- 8 Fillmore Cooking Club 3:00 @ Legion Hall
- 8 Delta Creative Writing Club 1:30 @ Tech.

- 13- 15 or 15-17 Adventure Camp - Flaming Gorge
- 16 Fillmore Sweet Treats Club 2:00 @ Armory
- 16 Delta Cooking Club 2:00 @ Extension Office
- 21-23 Delta Sewing Camp @ Fair Building
- 22 Delta County Contest @ Fair Building 4:00
- 22 Fillmore Cooking Club @ Legion Hall
- 27-29 Junior Youth Conference, Ephraim 5-6 grades
- 30 Delta Cooking Club 2:00 @ Extension Office

July

- 6-8 Delta Quilt Camp @ Fair Building
- 11-13 State Contests, Logan USU Campus
- 13 Fillmore Cooking Club 2:00 @ Legion Hall
- 21 Fillmore Sweet Treats Club 2:00 @ Armory
- 19 Wildlife Fun Day
- 20 Fillmore Cooking Club 2:00 @ Legion Hall
- 21 Delta Cooking Club 2:00 @ Extension Office
- 28 Delta Cooking Club 2:00 @ Extension Office

August

- 4-6 Millard County Fair
- 2 Enter Exhibits into Fair 1:00-7:00 pm
- 3 Enter Flowers & Vegetables 7:00-9:00 am
- 3 Judging Day
- 4 Fair Opens 12:00 / 4-H Fashion Review
- 18 Fillmore Sweet Treats 2:00 @ Armory

Darlene Scott – Bobbette White 4-H Coordinators

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Searching 
for Alumni & Friends of 4-HGo [Members](#) [Leaders](#) [Parents](#)

Utah 4-H will celebrate our 100th birthday in 2012! The Utah 4-H Centennial celebration will include many local and statewide 4-H events including a walk, run, bike fun day.

In preparation for this wonderful celebration, we have kicked off our 4-H Alumni Identification Campaign to help us reconnect with adults who were 4-H club members as children. We encourage you to register as an alumnus so we can keep you informed of all the events and activities. You will receive a "4-H Alumnus" car window decal just for registering so you can show your 4-H pride.

Thanks for helping Utah 4-H continue to *Make the Best Better!*

Forms are available at the
Millard County Extension Offices

Plans are being made for activities in Millard County to help celebrate 4-H's 100th birthday. We need volunteers to help. If you would like to be on a committee for this once in a hundred year experience contact the Extension Office. Plans for a community 5K bike, walk and run plus other events are in the planning.

Judge & Volunteer Training

Each year judges are needed to help with the 4-H Jr. Livestock Show, County Contests and County Fairs. The youth work hard all year with their projects and are anxious to participate in the contests and fairs. Volunteers make the final step of their projects possible. If you have helped in the past you know how rewarding it is to help these 4-Hers succeed. If you haven't been involved now is the time to sign up to help. Millard County Extension will be offering a training for those who would like to judge any or all of the events this year. If you are interested in helping judge portfolios, county contests or travel to another county to judge their fair, please contact the Extension Offices. Delta 864-1480/Fillmore 743-5412. This training will also be for all that volunteer in anyway with 4-H programs. Club leaders, teen mentors, horse program volunteers and others will be able to learn the latest and greatest in 4-H. The youth in our community are worth giving the very best. Come learn how to give them the best there is.

4-H ACTIVITIES

Pre-Registration is required for each 4-H activity so that enough supplies can be obtained. Drop by the Extension Offices or call: 743-5412 / 864-1480

**** Dates, times, and activities are subject to change.**

**Check the 4-H web site often for up to date information:
<http://extension.usu.edu/millard>*****

County Contests

What have you been learning in your 4-H clubs that you would like to teach others how to do? Do you have a talent, piano, vocal, instrument, dance or other that you would like to show off? When you come up with the answer to these question then start getting ready for demonstrations. Call the Extension Office to schedule a time on the following days:

HORSE DEMONSTRATIONS:

May 26 @ 3:00 Delta Extension Office

OTHER DEMONSTRATIONS: (Talent, impromptu speech, all other demonstrations)

Junior Youth Conference

Every summer in Ephraim, on the Snow College campus, 4-H presents its camp for those youth who have just completed **5th and 6th grade**. Junior Youth Conference is held the last week in June every year.

Youth who attend JYC are split into groups upon arrival and assigned to a Teen Leader. Youth are able to make new friends and experience new things as it is usually the first time for the youth to be on such a trip. While at the conference, all youth get the opportunity to go through many workshops that teach them about teamwork, trust, friendship, and many other life skills. Teen Leaders manage each group in order to keep the youth always busy with games, activities, or a project of some kind.

Activities at JYC also include Snow Follies, which is a Snow College sponsored event in which Snow College ambassadors throw a huge water fight that everyone gets involved in!

Registration is due to the Extension Office on or before **May 26**. Complete information can be picked up at the Extension office or on line at www.utah4-h.org.

Millard County Rocket Making

Jim Stevens has volunteered to teach rocket making one more time before he moves out of the County. In order to have enough rockets, you need to register as soon as possible.
DATES: Fillmore, Thursday May 5 / Delta, Wednesday, May 4
TIME: 3:15
PLACE: Fillmore, Armory / Delta, Extension Office
COST: \$10.00
AGE: 8 and older
 Rockets will be made this day and launched on the Saturday of the Fair in August. Bottle rockets will be launched the day the rockets are made.

Delta Science Club

Summer is a great time to get together and experiment with science and see what can be created. Kari Mitchell is the club leader and will be launching some spectacular projects for all to learn and have fun with. Dates and time TBA. If you are interested register at the Extension Office in Delta. As soon as there are enough registered the club will start. Don't miss out on the fun.
 Check out the web: www.extension.usu.edu/millard for the most up to date information on all 4-H activities.

Millard County Boondoggle Camp

Leather work, rockets, GPS, cooking over a fire, making bow and arrows, goo making, boondoggle projects, wood working, paracord bracelet. Do any of these projects spark an interest and are they something that would make your summer days fun? If your answer is YES....then you need to come into the Extension Office and sign up for the Boondoggle Camp as soon as possible. Space is limited and is filling up fast.
 You will sign up for the projects that you want to do and rotate to them.
DATE: TBA
TIME: TBA
PLACE: Millard County Fair Building
AGE: 8 and older
COST: Depends on what you sign up to do. Projects range from 3.00—\$10.00
 Don't forget to sign up now or it may be too late.

Teen Council

Teen Council and Jr. Teen Council is open to youth 12 years and older. Their focus is on building leadership skills and community service projects. Teens meet once a month at the Extension Offices.
 Call 743-5412 or 864-1480 and drop into the office to fill out registration forms.
May: End of School Party
June: Helping with summer 4-H clubs
July: Summer Fun Activity /State Contests
Aug.: Helping with County Fair

Millard County Horse Program

May 12 Delta - Hairy Horseshow 5:30pm ages 9-99 (\$1.00 an event)
 May 19 Delta - 4-H Sweetheart Contest 5:30pm ages 9-19
 May 30-June 2 Delta - Stock Show
 June 16 Delta - Hairy Horseshow (\$1.00 an event)
 June 29 Nephi - Open Horse Show 1:00p
 June 30 Delta - 4-H Open Horse Show 5:30pm

Fillmore Sweet Treats Club

This will be a year round club. It will be every 3rd Thurs. of the month, starting May 19th @ 3:15 in the Fillmore Armory. Bobbette will be teaching monthly themed sweet treats. Cost will be \$2 for each class. Contact the 4-H offices if interested.

Millard County Sewing Camps

Sewing Camp is one of the favorite 4-H summer event. Following are the dates and information for this years camp.
FILLMORE: **Date** June 7,8,9
Time 9:00-4:00 daily
Place Legion Hall
Cost \$20.00
DELTA: **Date** June 21, 22,23
Time 9:00-4:00 daily
Place Fair Building
Cost \$20.00

Space is limited and is filling up quickly. There are still a few spots left so make sure you register soon. You must pay to secure your registration.

Delta Quilt Camp

DATE: July 6-8
TIME: 9:00-4:00 each day
AGE: 10 and up preferred
PLACE: Millard County Fair Building
COST: \$5.00 (for snacks each day) plus own supplies
 Pick up supply list at the Extension Office when you register.

Southwest Teen Retreat



The Millard County Teen Council attended the annual Southwest Teen Retreat in Antimony at the Rockin' R Ranch on April 8-9. The teens worked on service projects by putting together first aid kits, sewing felt hearts and cutting plastic bags. Some highlights were making new friends, dancing, and good food.