USU Extension Sanpete County 4-H

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Fall 2020 Newsletter



Sanpete Teens in Action

The Sanpete County 4-H Teen Council and TRY Team found ways to get together and serve their community through the summer. In July, the TRY Team and Teen Council assembled a 9 Square in the Air Game and tried it out. This game set will be able to be used throughout the county at 4-H events for members of all ages.

In August, the Teen Council gathered to make Law Enforcement Survival Kits as a thank you to all our local law enforcement in the county. These teens are amazing leaders.



A Message From Our Staff

Dear 4-H Members, Parents and Leaders,

As we finish wrapping up the 2019-2020 4-H year and begin a new year for our members, we reflect on a year of many changes and challenges. We are so thankful for the 4-H leaders, volunteers, members and parents that have helped to make this last year a success.

We have been amazed at the things that you all have been able to accomplish this year. We have continued to find many members diligently involved in their projects.

Looking ahead, we will continue to use precautions in dealing with Covid-19. We all look forward to the time when this challenge will be behind us but in the meantime, we are appreciative of your patience and understanding.

This year, we will be introducing Livestock, Horse, Rabbit and Poultry Rank Advancements hoping to enhance those programs. We will see Volume 2 of the Horse Curriculum published for use. And many of you have already used our new enrollment platform, Zsuite. If you have any questions about any of the new changes, please do not hesitate to contact the extension office for answers or assistance.

The Sanpete County Extension Staff

BARN IMPROVEMENTS



In August, members, parent and leaders in the Junior Livestock Program, spread gravel, set steel posts, installed a drain and poured over 30 yards of cement for the new wash racks and alley way at the fairgrounds. Participants at the Junior Livestock Show were able to enjoy this new addition to the barns this year. This project was funded by the parking fundraiser from 2019.

SANPETE BIRDS & BUNNIES



The Birds and Bunnies Club was able to meet over Zoom with Nicole Reed from Morgan County Extension to learn about rabbit showmanship. They learned how to position, hold, carry and display their bunnies along with what they need to say about their rabbits when presenting them to a judge in a rabbit show.

GOOSE CHASE PAYS OFF



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Several 4-H families in Sanpete County were invited to participate in two different Goose Chase Challenges. Goose Chase is an app based challenge game. Each team is made up of five devices. Teams completed challenges ranging from service, trivia, science, math, engineering and activity tasks. These games were sponsored by the Utah 4-H STEM Department.

The Sanpete Teams placed 1st on one challenge and 2nd in the other. These teams won great resources for our program. They won a 3D printer and a drone. We hope to be able to use these new items to expand our STEM Program and our Agri-Science Programs throughout the county.

Special thanks to the Olsens, Everitts, Wirschs, Manns, Holyoaks, Rebers and Sanpete 4-H Teen Council for playing in these challenge games. If your family would like to get involved, let Brandi know and she will include you in the next one.

Stay Connected with Sanpete County 4-H

<u>Email:</u> We send emails regularly. Please make sure that we have the correct email address for you on your registration.

Text Message: We use the *Remind App* to send reminder texts.

To get text messages, text @sanpetec to the number 81010

Facebook: Find us on Facebook @ Sanpete County 4-H

Website: For the most updated information on rules,

study material and information, visit our website

extension.usu.edu/sanpete

4-H Afterschool Program Expands Clubs in County



The 4-H Afterschool
Program is back in session at
four elementary schools this
year. They have learned what
the four H's stand for and
have completed Harvest
Week. The program has also
added two new schools to a
modified, monthly schedule.
The new clubs are in
Gunnison and Spring City. The
response has been great.

Sanpete Outdoor Rec Club



The Sanpete County Outdoor Rec Club has started meetings. Over the next year, they will be focusing on Outdoor Skills, Safety, Adventure and Stewardship. Members will have the opportunity to fish, canoe, climb and rappel, hike, learn

how to cook outdoors, use telescopes and much more.

WESTERN 4-H HORSE CLINIC









After a successful County 4-H Horse Show season 24 Sanpete County youth had the opportunity to go and compete at the 2020 Utah State 4-H Horse Show in Ogden. Thanks for representing Sanpete well!



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SAMPETE COUNTY SHOW





















SHOW AND SALE









VOLUNTEER SPOTLIGHT



Alicia Moutton

I'm Alicia Moulton. I run a 4H club in Spring City Utah. I've been involved with 4H since doing an internship in the Salt Lake County 4H office in 2000, working with ag sciences. I also worked as the USU Extension Ag/4H agent in Wasatch County for a couple years until I had my first baby in 2007.

I love 4H because it gives kids experiences they may not have otherwise. I love how it teaches important life skills in a "learn by doing" way. They can follow their interests and create projects around them. It fits well with our family culture and homeschool and I love to work with the other awesome families in our club!

It's been great meeting other club leaders in our county too. What you are doing is amazing and so valuable to our kids. Keep up the great work!

YOUTH SPOTLIGHT

Sarah Everitt

Sarah Everitt is a Junior at Manti High School. Not only does she excel academically in school but she is a very involved member of the 4-H Program. She has served in Teen Council as Vice-President and is currently in her 3rd year as a Southern Region



Ambassador. Sarah is involved in the Junior Livestock Program, the Western Horse Program, State Dog Club and currently works as a 4-H Afterschool Educator at Manti Elementary. She is deeply involved in community service projects of all kinds and is also the reigning Sanpete County Fair and Rodeo Sweetheart.

4-H SPORTMANSHIP AWARDS

Congratulations to
HUNTER PHELPS - HORSE
AND LEVI REBER - LIVESTOCK
for all being voted by their peers

to receive the Sportsmanship Award.

UPCOMING EVENTS

HANDS FOR LARGER SERVICE

OCTOBER

- 15-17 Utah 4-H Horse and Livestock Symposium
- 22 Teen Council @ 7:30 Extension Office
- 22 Sanpete County Outdoor Rec Club
- 24 4-H Design Team Training
- 27 Birds and Bunnies Club Show @ 7:00
- 29 Sanpete County Outdoor Rec Club
- 31 Halloween

NOVEMBER

- 2 Junior Livestock Awards Banquet @6:30
- 2-19 Sanpete County 4-H Food Drive
- 4 Q & A with State Ambassadors
- 5 Shooting Sports Club Meeting Archery
- 7 Region Ambassador Training Beaver
- 12 Western Heritage Club Meeting @6:00
- 19 Sanpete Outdoor Rec Club @ 6:00
- 19 Teen Council @ 7:30 Extension Office
- 21 4-H University
- 26-27 Thanksgiving Break Extension Closed

DECEMBER

- 3 Shooting Sports Club Meeting Archery
- 17 Teen Council @7:30 Extension Teen Leader Appreciation
- 16 Livestock Record Books Due
- 24-25 Holiday Break-Extension Closed
- 30-31 Holiday Break-Extension Closed

REMEMBER TO RE-ENROLL
YOUR YOUTH FOR 4-H IF

YOU HAVEN'T YET AT 4H.ZSUITE.ORG

KIDS helping KIDS

Sanpete County 4-H Food Drive

November 1st-19th

Benefitting the Sanpete Pantry Kids Packs Program

FOOD NEEDS:
Granola Bars
Top Ramen or Cup-A-Soup
Fruit Cups
Fruit Snacks
Juice Boxes

Juice Boxes
Instant Oatmeal
Hot Chocolate Mixes
Individual Crackers or Treats
Small Cereal Packs

Donations can be made through any Sanpete County 4-H Club or Member

Or can be turned into the USU Extension Office in Ephraim - 325 W 100 N

Call 435-201-0423 with questions or to arrange pickup



CONGRATUALTIONS!

A big SHOUT OUT to those 4-H Members that entered exhibits that were chosen to go on to the State Fair. Congrats go to Cadee Alder, Cali Alder, Carrie Everitt, Wally Everitt, Sarah Everitt, Hannah Haley, Kortney Mitchell, Mathew Olsen and Lillian Trendler.

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