

Tooele County 4-H Newsletter



4-H Achievement Night is November 7th



The time has come to honor the work of our outstanding 4-H youth!! The annual 4-H Achievement Night will be held November 7th at 6:30 pm in the Extension Auditorium. Come and enjoy a great dinner and help us celebrate the achievements of our great 4-H youth and volunteers throughout this past year.

Please RSVP for dinner. Call 277-2405 and let us know how many people are coming with you so we are sure to have plenty of food!

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4-H Portfolios and Achievement Scorecards are due October 19th

4-H Portfolios are due Wednesday, October 19th for the county judging. Don't forget to turn in your 4-H Achievement scorecard too! Awards given out at achievement night come largely from the portfolios and the scorecards so don't be left out! If you haven't ever put together a 4-H Portfolio, come by the office and we'll get you going.

Celebrate National 4-H Week with Bake and Take



The first week in October is National 4-H week. 4-H youth all over the nation are participating in lots of different activities. In Utah, we take time to thank our leaders and sponsors by "baking" them a treat and "taking" it to them. The Utah Bake and Take is a tradition of the best kind.

Don't get left out! Think about all of those people and businesses that have helped make 4-H happen for you this year. Now, figure out something to make. Work as a group, its even more fun. Then, take it with a note of thanks so they know who you are and why you came.

I pledge...



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*... to my club, my community,
my country, and the world.*



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4-H Service Opportunities

Attention 4-Hers, parents & leaders:

Are you looking for some fun volunteer opportunities? Darlene is looking for help in a few ways. If interested, please call her at 435-277-2406 or e:mail her at darlene.christensen@usu.edu.

On Saturday, October 29th from 1-4 Darlene will be sponsoring a "Here's the Trick: Don't Get Sick - Wash your hands!" booth at the Together with Youth Halloween Carnival at the Dow James building in Tooele. She is looking for help setting up the booth, running it and giving out candy.



On Monday, November 7th 4-H Achievement night will be held. Darlene is responsible for cooking the meal. She is looking for volunteers to help plan the menu, make the food and help clean up.

Fall Kitchen Clean-up: interested in helping clean up the county kitchen? With many hands, it's quick and easy. Let Darlene know if you are interested in helping. A date will be set up sometime in October.



9/11 Anniversary Candy Drive Service - we're still taking candy and notes. If you are interested in donating hard candy to the troops overseas to hand out to children, please bring it to the office by Achievement Night, November 7th.

4-H Scholarships

Are you a senior in high school this year? Are you trying to decide what to do next? Go to college! Apply for a 4-H scholarship. Applications are due in Logan February 15th. You can turn in your 4-H Portfolio for part of the application. Information and the forms are available on the 4-H website at utah4h.org. It's never too early to get started! Good luck!



State Fair Rosette Winners

The following youth received rosettes at the state fair this year:

Mikelle Rogers (2):	Ace Beets
	Pear Tomatoes
Holly Cox:	Necklace/Earring Set
Aniah Young:	Beaded watch band
Shaylyn Sheffield:	Duct Tape Purse
Savannah Hall:	Jalapeno Peppers
Jason Hall:	Pimiento Peppers
Jennifer Hall:	Banana Squash



Congratulations to all those who had entries in the state fair. You did a great job! Thanks for all your hard work and we hope to see even more of you in 2012. Keep working on your projects.

4-H Working Ranch Horse Program

One of the newest programs in Utah 4-H is the Working Ranch Horse. "Gatherings", as the competitions are known, are a series of 5 skill tests: written test over horse/ranch knowledge, rope a steer's head, rope a steer's heels, sort cattle and ride a reining pattern & fence-work a steer. 4-H youth compete in the 3 age groups. Maneuver difficulty is an appropriate level for each age group.



Three gatherings will be held this year. All are 2 day events with a family event on Friday evening and the 4-H gathering on Saturday.

October 7-8:	Panguitch
October 28-29:	Deseret Peak, Tooele
November 5-6:	Tremonton

Our Tooele gathering will hold a clinic in the morning and the competition in the afternoon. The clinic is for 4-H youth who want to learn the skills needed in the events and costs \$5. The actual competition is \$30. Both together is \$35. Bring your own rope and horse. The registration deadline is October 14th. Forms and information are available at the office or on utah4horse.org.

State 4-H Horse Show Results



Congratulations to all of those who participated in the State 4-H Horse Shows this season. Everyone did a great job representing the Tooele County 4-H Horse program.

In the **State 2-Handed Western Horse Show**, all 4 Tooele County youth placed in the top ten in at least one event and Teri Dawn Haws was the Grand Champion in the Intermediate division. **AWESOME JOB!!!** The 2-Handed show is for horses aged 3-5 that are "in-training" by their 4-H youth.

Intermediate riders:

Terri Dawn Haws: 7th Int. test, 2nd trail
2nd showmanship,
2nd equitation

Placed 1st overall in Intermediate riders

Lindsey Johnson: 1st Int. test

Placed 7th overall in Intermediate riders

Senior riders:

MaKenzie Brown: 3rd western pleasure
2nd equitation

Placed 8th overall in Senior riders

Caitlyn Camp: 1st trail, 4th equitation

Placed 7th overall in Senior riders

The **State 4-H Western Individual Horse Show** participants qualified at our county summer horse show to compete at the state show. 282 riders from across Utah participated. Of our 17 riders, 15 placed in the top 10 in at least one event. Two, Jenna Gowans and Crystal Ruby, were the Reserve Grand Champions in their respective age groups. This is one of the best showings at the state show ever! **WAY TO GO TOOEELE COUNTY!!!**

Junior riders:

Jenna Gowans: 4th Jr. test, 3rd bareback,
7th horsemanship
3rd overall in judged events,
7th scurry, 7th poles,
9th barrels

3rd overall in speed events

Placed 2nd overall in Junior riders.

Tate Johnson: 5th Jr. test
Trent Johnson: 6th Jr. test
Sabrina Allen: 10th Jr. test
Lacey Laws: 5th horsemanship,
14th overall in judged events
4th overall in speed events
Placed 4th overall in Junior riders

Brylie Gipson: 4th showmanship,
11th overall in judged events
9th poles, 7th barrels
11th overall in speed events
Placed 9th overall in Junior riders

Intermediate riders:

Crystal Ruby:
11th overall in judged events
2nd scurry, 4th barrels,
4th poles

1st overall in speed events

Placed 2nd overall in Intermediate riders

Jessica Gowans: 3rd Int. test, 9th bareback
14th overall in judged events,

Teri Dawn Haws: 2nd horsemanship
12th overall in judged events
Placed 16th overall in Intermediate riders

Bailee Dodge: 2nd Int. test

Lindsey Johnson: 6th Int. test
Placed 9th overall in Intermediate riders

Hanna Pollock and **Carrissa Jennings** also rode.

Senior riders:

Caitlyn Camp:
9th overall in judged events
14th overall in speed events
Placed 7th overall in Senior riders

Holly Cox: 2nd Sr. test,
6th horsemanship
14th overall in judged events

Kenzie Brown:
11th overall in judged events

Sierra Allen: 7th Sr. test

Great job everyone! Thanks to all who have been involved with our county 4-H horse program.

Utah State and Tooele County Jr. Turkey Shows



Do you speak gobble? Hopefully your turkeys do. The State Jr. Turkey show is November 12th in Tremonton. Show registration/processing forms and payment are due to the 4-H office on Monday, Nov. 1st. 4-H Portfolios (record books) must be completed to enter birds into the show. The date that those will be due is yet to be determined. Plan for your show birds to be picked up on Thursday, Nov. 10th. They will be judged on Friday the 11th. The show/auction begins at 8 am on Sat. in Tremonton.

The Tooele Co. Show is Tuesday, Nov. 15th at the Tooele High School lunchroom. Registration for the Toole Co. show is also due Nov. 1st. Call the office for more information.

4-H Contest of the Month: Favorite Foods: Holiday "Bake Off"

Wednesday, Nov. 15, 6:30 pm at the 4-H office.

For Junior and Intermediate (grades 3-8) 4-H youth, you make your favorite holiday food at home and bring it to the office at the time of the contest. You serve it to a judge and while they enjoy your creation, you tell them about your dish and answer a few questions. You'll need a placemat or tablecloth and a centerpiece decoration to present your dish in a most appealing way. That's it!

Senior 4-Hers have a new wrinkle. You prepare your dish and then present a 5-10 minute talk about it for the judge. Your score is based on your presentation, place setting, knowledge and, of course, on the dish itself. Its fun and best of all, you get to eat your favorite food!

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Upcoming Events

October

- 3-8 Utah 4-H Bake & Take (or anytime this month)
- 14 Tooele Co. Working Ranch Horse registration due
- 19 4-H Portfolios and Achievement Scorecards due
- 20-22 Teen Leadership Training (TLT), Logan
- 28-29 Tooele Co. Working Ranch Horse Gathering, Deseret Peak (registration due by Oct. 14)

November

- 1 State and Tooele County Turkey Show registration due
- 5 Working Ranch Horse Gathering, Tremonton
- 7 **Tooele County 4-H Achievement Night Dinner 6:30 pm**
- 10-12 Utah State Jr. Turkey Show, Tremonton
- 15 Tooele Co. Jr. Turkey Show, THS

