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CACHE COUNTY FAIR, AUGUST 10-12, 2017

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4-H Leader Luncheon

Thursday, July 20, 2017
11:30 AM to 1:00 PM

Cache County Administration Building
179 N. Main St., Logan, Suite 109

All 4-H leaders and 4-H parents are invited to lunch.

Join us as we discuss fair preparation and online 4-H fair entry registration. Exhibit Record Sheets may be picked up at this time or printed from:
http://extension.usu.edu/cache/files/uploads/2014_Exhibit_record.pdf

Fair volunteer sign-ups will be available. Get your questions answered about fair guidelines. Don't leave your fair preparation to the last minute. Let us help you get prepared.

4-H Online Fair Registration

Online 4-H Fair registration will open on Monday, July 31, 2017. Registration will close Friday, August 4, at midnight.

Go to County Fair Manager at <https://utah4hreg.usu.edu/cf/>

See page 6 of this newsletter for step-by-step instructions.

You must be a registered leader to be able to enter projects on the fair program.

Leaders check in with the 4-H office to ensure you are registered for 2017.

4-H HORSE SHOWS

4-H FAIR HORSE SHOWS

4-H English Show for ALL AGE GROUPS will be held **Monday, August 7, at 5 p.m.**, with registration at **4:30 p.m.**

4-H Western Horse Show for ALL AGE GROUPS for the Judged Events will be held **Tuesday, August 8, at 5 p.m.**, with registration at **4:30 p.m.**

The Speed Events for ALL AGE GROUPS will be **Wednesday, August 9, at 8:30 a.m.**



CACHE COUNTY RODEO



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Aug. 10, 11 and 12 at 8 p.m.

Cache County Fairgrounds

Thursday: Family Night Reserved Admission: \$10; Covered \$12, 2 & under - free *(lap seating)*

Friday: Reserved Admission: \$12; Covered: \$15; 2 & under - free*

Saturday: Reserved Admission: \$12; Covered: \$15; 2 & under - free*

Tickets Available at: (Rodeo Tickets may be purchased online)

Cache County Admin. Bldg.—179 N. Main, Main Hall Lobby Desk, Logan

IFA Hyde Park Country Store—4075 North Highway 91, Hyde Park

Maceys Food & Drug—50 N. Hwy 165, Providence or 49 E. 400 N., Logan

Lee’s Marketplace (Carnival Tickets only)— 850 S. Main, Smithfield, or 555 E. 1400 N., Logan



BROWN’S AMUSEMENTS

Cache County Fair Amusement Rides

Purchase all day ride tickets \$20 each - before fair only

Available July 5, - August 10 at 5:00 p.m., or until sold out!

Good for August 10, 11, and 12, 11:00 a.m.—Closing

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CACHE COUNTY ADMIN. BLDG 179 N Main St., Logan

MACEYS FOOD & DRUG 50 N. Highway 165, Providence or 49 E. 400 N., Logan

IFA COUNTRY STORE 4075 N Hwy 91, Hyde Park

LEE’S MARKETPLACE 850 S. Main, Smithfield, or 555 E. 1400 N., Logan

***Anyone with an advanced sale ticket may exchange it at the carnival ticket booth for an all day, unlimited ride pass for any single day.

JUNIOR LIVESTOCK

SCOTT'S THOUGHTS



Junior Livestock

All youth participating in the Junior Livestock Market Animal Show and Sale must be enrolled in 4-H or with FFA to be eligible to compete. All youth must have a signed "Commitment to Excellence" form on file with the Extension Office. All youth must show and sell their own animal. Youth in 4-H must submit a completed, up-to-date Project Record Book (available from the Extension Office). The record book will be due August 21, 2017. Books received after that date will not be judged, however, **record books must be submitted** before any checks will be distributed.



A 4-H/FFA exhibitors meeting for all youth, leaders and parents will be held Wednesday, August 3, at 12:30 p.m. in the indoor arena. Rules will be reviewed and questions will be answered. Everyone should arrange to be there.



Pee Wee Livestock Show

Youth younger than 3rd grade can show a lamb or hog in the Pee Wee Show. Registration will be held at the Jr. Livestock weigh-in. Shows will be in conjunction with the 4-H/FFA showmanship contests.



Junior Livestock Schedule: Aug 7-14, 2017

Monday:

6 p.m. Set-up pens

Wednesday:

Enter Project Animals:

6 to 8 a.m. Hogs

8 a.m. to 8:30 am Market Goats

8:30 to 10 a.m. Beef

8:30 to 10 a.m. Dairy Heifers

9 a.m. to 11:30 am Lambs

12:30 p.m.....4-H/FFA Exhibitors, Parents and Leaders mtg, required

12:45 p.m. Livestock Skill-a-thon & Judging Contest 4-H, FFA, Adults

5:30 p.m. Beef Showmanship

Thursday:

8 a.m.Judge Market Hogs

9 a.m.Judge Jr. Dairy Show

10 a.m.Judge Market Goats

Following Goats Judge Market Lambs

2:30 p.m. ... Judge Commercial Dairy Heifers

3:30 p.m. ... Judge Market Beef

Friday:

8 a.m.Swine Showmanship

10:00 a.m....Goat Showmanship

Following Goats....Lamb Showmanship

7:30 p.m. ... Parade of Champions prior to rodeo

Saturday:

8:30 a.m. ... Buyer Registration

9 a.m.Junior Livestock Sale

Sunday:

6 a.m.Check out all livestock projects

Monday:

7 a.m.Clean-up/Pen sign-up for 2018



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• **Jr. Livestock Practice Show** for beef and lamb exhibitors
• will be Monday, July 31, at 6:30 p.m. It will be held at the
• new Paradise Park. The park is located at 9600 S Highway
• 165 on the outskirts of Paradise.
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4-H FAIR EXHIBITS

4-H AT A GLANCE



BRING YOUR 4-H ENTRIES BETWEEN 3 AND 7 P.M. ON MONDAY, AUGUST 7 TO THE FAIRGROUNDS.

Entries **must** be registered in the online fair entry program **between Monday, July 31 and midnight on Friday, August 4.** The online fair entry program can be accessed at <https://utah4hreg.usu.edu/cf/>. Instructions for online entry are included on page 6 of this newsletter. Help will be provided to assist you with the online entry program in the multi-purpose room next to the Extension office on Tuesday, July 19 from 1 p.m. - 5 p.m., immediately following the Leader Luncheon. Entering projects online is simple and easy and will help you avoid long lines on entry check in day! Each individual entry must be accompanied by an exhibit record.



The **exhibit record** can be accessed at:

http://extension.usu.edu/cache/files/uploads/2014_Exhibit_record.pdf

Exhibit cards will be printed by staff and handed out at the fairgrounds on entry day.

Absolutely no 4-H exhibits will be accepted after 7 p.m. on Monday evening, August 7th, with the exception of crops, garden produce and flower exhibits which are to be brought to the 4-H building at the Cache County Fairgrounds **BETWEEN 8 AND 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday, August 9.** You are highly encouraged to enter crops, garden produce, and flower exhibits into the new online fair entry program, but you may also choose to enter them on Wednesday at drop off.



CLOVERBUDS



Cloverbuds must be registered in 4-H before August 1, have spent one hour or more on each of their projects and are limited to four entries.

Cloverbuds have their own class – FD. If youth were in grades K-2nd (in Jan 2017), they are considered “Cloverbuds” for the 2017 County Fair. Mark “FD” on Exhibit Records.



THE CACHE COUNTY 4-H OFFICE WILL NO LONGER TRANSPORT LEGO PROJECTS, DECORATED CAKES OR GARDEN PRODUCE TO THE STATE



Thanks to all those who volunteer time and energy each year to help us at the fair. We are asking all non-animal 4-H volunteer leaders to watch the 4-H building for at least 1 hour during the county fair on August 10-12, 2017.

The sign up sheet is located in our office, however, you may call Jensea, our 4-H secretary at 435-752-6263, and she can sign you up. We appreciate your help!



COUNTY FAIR JUDGES NEEDED!

We have been asked to provide multiple people to come judge the fairs in **Tooele County, Tuesday, August 1st, Morgan County, Wednesday, August 2nd and Box Elder County, Wednesday, August 23rd from 8 am to 5 pm.** If you would like to join us for a fun day judging the home arts and 4-H department projects, please contact Jensea at 435-752-6263. Transportation will be provided by our office. Find a relative or friend to join you for a fun get-a-way.



4-H CLUB EXHIBITS

4-H Fashion Revue

Wednesday, August 9, 2017

Workshops and Interviews: 9:45 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

4-H Fashion Revue 7 p.m.

Cache County Fairgrounds



If you enter clothing exhibits in the Cache County Fair, take it to the next level by modeling one at the 4-H Fashion Revue! This is always a great self-esteem booster for our 4-H youth. For more information, pick up a detailed 4-H Fashion Revue packet in the 4-H office. Sign up in our office or when you enter your exhibit at the county fair on August 8th. All participants receive a 4-H rosette and a certificate with their picture on it. Please contact Jensea Moore at 435-752-6263 or sign up at the 4-H desk in our office. Cloverbuds are welcome too!

4-H AT A GLANCE



4-H Demonstrations



Wednesday August 9, 2017

4-6 p.m.

Covered picnic area on grassy area at fairgrounds

What are Demonstrations?

The 4-H Demonstration Program is an educational activity for all 4-H youth. Members prepare a presentation on any topic they desire and give their presentations before a judge and a small audience.

The 4-H staff will provide a card table, easel and extension cord. Other needed materials are provided by the presenter.

4-H and family clubs usually have their members present a demonstration at a club meeting in order to get ready for their presentation at the fair. All members are encouraged to participate. Demos should last no longer than 10 minutes. Ribbons will be awarded. Contact 4-H office to sign-up.

Objectives of Presenting a Demonstration:

- Youth will develop poise, self-confidence, concentration, and the ability to think while presenting information to the audience
- Youth will study more deeply a subject matter which is basic to project work
- Youth will have the opportunity to teach others
- Youth will develop leadership skills
- Youth will develop organizational skills
- Youth will have the opportunity to develop skills in speaking before a group



State 4-H Day at Lagoon



Saturday, July 22, 2017

Adult pass \$46.95 + tax / Youth pass \$39.95 + tax

You may pick up your coupons at the Cache County 4-H office

Additional State 4-H Days at Lagoon

August 13-18 & 20, 2017

The Cache County 4-H office has Lagoon coupons for **August 13-18 & 20**. Pick up the coupons at our office at 179 N Main, Suite 111 in Logan and present them at the Lagoon ticket window. Prices for this week have not yet been

announced. Ticket pick-up is first come/first serve.



Cache County 4-H Swim Party at Logan Aquatic Center

Thursday, August 17, 2017 from 4:00—6:30 p.m.

\$5.00 per family

4-Hers who have actively participated in 4-H this year are invited to join us for the evening at the Aquatic Center.

Bring your family for just \$5.00. Refreshments will be served. It will be fun refreshing wat to celebrate the end of the summer. Bring \$5.00 family fee to the office and to register for event.

4-H Online Fair Exhibit Entry Instructions

4-H AT A GLANCE

Enter all fair entries between Monday, July 31 and Friday, August 4 at midnight

1) Go to fair entry website: <https://utah4hreg.usu.edu/cf/>

2) Click here if this is your first time logging in this year or you have forgotten your password.

3) Enter your email and click the submit button. **IF** we have your email in our database, you will be sent a temporary password (if we don't have your email, please contact the USU Extension, 435-752-6263, or e-mail the 4-H office at jensea.moore@usu.edu). We will be happy to help you so you can move on to the next step.

4) Check your email for the temporary password sent to you, then log in using your email and password.

5) Click on the Add Entries Tab. This is where you will input all indoor exhibits for your youth (this is for indoor exhibits only – do not add animals). This should include any gardening that may come in on another day. (It is easier to take them off the list than to add them later.)

6) You can edit entries under "View Entries" by clicking on the item you wish to edit.

7) When all entries are entered, attach the completed **Exhibit Record** found at: http://extension.usu.edu/cache/files/uploads/2014_Exhibit_record.pdf. Look under Summer Events. Do not print any tags from the Online Fair Program. The office staff will print all tags and have them ready when you bring projects to fairgrounds.

8) On Monday, August 7, bring all entries to the 4-H building at the Fairgrounds between 3:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.

NOTE: ALL ONLINE ENTRIES MUST BE COMPLETED BEFORE midnight on Friday, August 4. The online program will be open and ready for input on Monday, July 31, 2017.

DAIRY SHOWS

CLARK'S CROPS AND COWS

Cache County always has one of the best dairy shows in the state. The Junior Show will start at 9 a.m. on Thursday, August 10 with Steven Toone as the Judge. The commercial dairy heifers will be judged at 2:30 p.m. on Thursday and will sell during the Junior Livestock Sale on Saturday, August 12. They will need a health certificate including the bangs tag number and tattoo and TB test, in addition to the brand inspection when they come to the fairgrounds. Be sure to have the commercial heifers officially entered between the times of 8:30 and 10 a.m. on Wednesday, August 9. The Open Show begins at 9:00 a.m. on Friday, Aug. 11 with Corey Gillins judging. Dairy cows will be dismissed after the open show, but heifers will need to stay so we have an exhibit for Saturday visitors. All animals will need to be entered in advance of the show as the county is computerizing entries and premiums. We can do that electronically or by mail. Don't be late!

The Grand Performer Award recognizes the cows that place the highest and produce the most milk. It is always a fun contest. Be sure to bring individual cow sheets for your show cows. A \$25 award, donated by DHIA, will be given to a Jersey and a Holstein.

GOAT SHOW

All Open Class Goats are to be entered into the fair on Saturday, August 5, 2017, 6:30-7:30 a.m. The Open Class Dairy Goat Show will begin at *8 a.m., the Open Class Commercial/Meat Goat Show at *10 a.m. and the Open Class Pygmy Goat Show at *11 a.m. The 4-H/FFA Junior Goat check in time is *10-11 a.m. Showmanship will begin at *11 a.m., the Dairy Goat Show at *1 p.m., the Commercial/Meat Goat Show at *4 p.m., & the Pygmy Goat Show at *5 p.m. ***Please be advised, show times are subject to change depending on the number of goat entries.**

Be aware the Show Rules include the rule that youth exhibitors can compete with their goats in **ONE** of the following shows: the Open Show, the Junior Show or the 4-H/FFA Livestock Show. All Cache County residents are invited to participate in the Goat Shows. All 4-H/FFA show participants must be registered with the 4-H or FFA chapter to participate. All entries must be submitted to the Goat Show Supervisor or the Cache County Clerk's office by July 21, 2017. Questions can be directed to Kandi Parker at 435-760-7957.

CHICKENS, PIGEONS & RABBITS DISPLAYED

The **Chickens, Pigeons, & Rabbit Barn** is always an interesting place. Brooks Hansen, 435-890-2511, is the contact person for chickens, Randy Balls, 435-245-4191, is the person to contact about pigeons, and Benjamin Goodson, 435-265-6807, is the person to contact about rabbits. Pre-registration is encouraged as entries close when cages are full. For chickens, each exhibitor must fill out an entry form, given to Brooks (bwhfarms@gmail.com) or submitted to the Cache County Clerk's Office before the fair. Enter chickens, pigeons & rabbits on Wednesday, August 9, 10 a.m.- 4 p.m. Judging will be Thursday, August 10, at 9 a.m. until finished.

ALFALFA HAY CONTEST

The **Alfalfa Hay Contest** will be in the same location west of the Rodeo grounds. Bring in samples of first, second or third crops. Entries must be entered between 9 - 11 a.m. on Wednesday. A committee will do a sensory analysis and then samples will be tested in the USU feed lab. Prizes are always provided by our great sponsors. All hay must be grown in Cache County and there is a limit of two entries per farm. Kelly Noble, 435-232-6295, is the chairperson.

Pressure Canner Gauge Testing Free on Mondays!!!

It's time to get ready for a busy canning season. We will test your canner gauges for free in our office at the Cache County Administration Building, Suite 111, 179 North Main, from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm. Just bring only your lid with the gauge attached into the office. Gauge testing is also available Fridays for \$5.00 per gauge. It is recommended by the USDA to have your gauge tested yearly. The new USDA Canning Guide, the Ball Blue Book, and many other great food preservation resources are available to purchase in our office. The USDA recommends that you use their tested canning recipes to avoid food poisoning. Use extreme caution when using other recipes from other sources.



Adrie's Evening with Extension

Time: 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Cost: \$3.00 per person (\$2.00 if you pay 24 hours prior to class)

Location: Cache County Administration Building Multipurpose Room

179 North Main, Logan

Phone: 435-752-6263 to register

Thursday, July 13: It's time to get geared up and ready for the upcoming canning season! Join us as we go over the latest recommendations from the USDA for safe food preservation practices. Get ideas for bottling your bountiful garden harvest to save money and nutrition.

Thursday, September 14, 2017

Hearty Casseroles for Fall

Thursday, October 12, 2017

Holiday Happening (\$30.00 event)



Holiday Happening

Thursday, October 12, 2017

Join us this season for our 10th Annual Holiday Happening. Class includes a meal, catered by The BlueBird Restaurant, door prizes, take-home gifts, handouts, Adrie's Holiday Breakfast Cookbook and more! Cost is \$30.00 per person. No reservations without payment. Class size is limited to 45 people. Look for more information and registration forms coming in August.



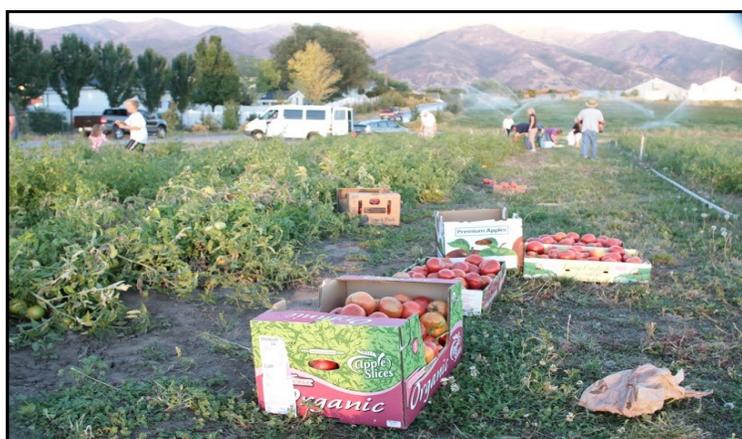
Summer Heat – Keeping the yard and garden alive.

Despite all of our early spring moisture, yards and gardens are struggling with the sudden spike in heat. Below are a few tips to help keep your plants healthy through the heat:

Watering- Water your plants longer and less often. Deep watering encourages deep roots to help your plants survive times of extreme heat. Kentucky bluegrass, which composes most of our lawns is considered to be cool-season. In 90 plus degrees, the lawns struggle to stay lush and green. They are genetically programmed to enter a summer dormancy to stay alive. Even in the heat of summer irrigation settings should never come on every day. Depending on soil texture, watering every 3-4 days should be sufficient. During June and July, lawns typically need 1.5 to 2" of irrigation per week during June/July. Keep in mind that landscape plants and vegetables may also be stressed from the sudden increase in temperature. Be sure to soak your trees this summer, even if they are irrigated by your sprinkler system.

Mowing- During the hot months of summer, mow lawns as high as possible (between 2 and 3 inches). The longer the grass blades are, the deeper the roots can grow to explore the soil profile for water.

Mulching- Covering flower beds and areas of exposed soil with 2 to 4 inches of bark or mulch not only helps reduce weeds, it also helps retain soil moisture for longer periods of time. Grass clippings can also be used as a mulch in gardens and can be tilled into the soil in the fall to add nitrogen to the soil. As a word of caution, however, Do Not use lawn clippings if they have been treated with a weed n' feed fertilizer.



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AUGUST 10-12, 2017
Fair & Rodeo ★ Carnival ★ Food ★ Entertainment

FREE CONCERT
★ **SATURDAY** ★
NIGHT