



# 4-H Horizons

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## Special points of Interest:

- Show the world what you have done—report your volunteer hours.
- Bring your ideas to **Leaders' Council** Meetings

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## Bonus for being in 4-H

Did you get a 4-H membership card? Use it to your advantage. Many of our local feed stores are offering discounts on show feed

and other products if you show your 4-H membership card.

Check with your local feed store about special pricing too!

## Bring the Training to You!

Don't forget New Leader Training! Every 4-H Leader needs to attend at least once.

This training is hosted by Doggonits 4-H Club.

There is a new leader training coming up March 26, 6pm, at the Chelan County Extension office.

If you cannot make it, host one! Michelle is flexible and can set up a time and location that is good for your club!

## Thinking Outside the Box

Are you up to a challenge? The Chelan County Leaders' Council is looking for a way to thoughtfully use up the



judging banners left over from years ago. There are First, Second, and Third place banners (blue, red, and white). They have random judging

events listed on them and are approx. 6" wide by 10" long. The person that comes up with the best idea on how to reuse these brand new banners will win a gift certificate to the store of their choice. Let the battles begin. Ideas will be taken until the end of March. Please send ideas to Michelle Lain at [michelle.lain@wsu.edu](mailto:michelle.lain@wsu.edu) or 400 Washington St., Wenatchee, WA 98801.

## Have a 4-H Hot Dog

Chick days are at the Wenatchee Ag. Supply, 1115 N. Wenatchee Avenue, Saturday, March 30, 2013 11-2pm.

ting zoo, pony rides and Easter Egg hunt.

Gone Country 4-H Club will be serving hot dogs for donations.

For more information, call the store at 662-8288



There will be fun and games for everyone including a pet-

## Teens Take on Health Video Challenge

National 4-H Council invites teens to create a video depicting health challenges in their family, school, or community. The winning entries will be used nationally and eligible for prize money individually and for the

represented youth organization or classroom. Submission is due by **May 3**. Go to: <https://platform.votigo.com/sections/showcontestrules/test-158>

For The official rules and more information.

## MOTHER EARTH NEWS fair in Puyallup

The MOTHER EARTH NEWS FAIR draws attendees from across the country and Canada. It would make a great field trip for clubs! **WHAT:** [MOTHER EARTH NEWS magazine](#) hosts its 3rd annual [MOTHER EARTH NEWS FAIR](#) **WHEN:** June 1-2. Hours are 9 a.m. – 7 p.m. Satur-

day and 10 a.m. – 6 p.m. Sunday.

**WHERE:** Puyallup Fairgrounds, 110 9th Avenue SW, Puyallup, WA 98371-0162 **PRICING:** Children 17 and under get in free; Adults \$15-\$35. More Information and tickets are available at: <http://www.motherearthnews.com/fair/tickets.aspx#axzz2KcK5lu2P>



## State Horse Bowl Contest

The 2013 State 4-H Horse Bowl Contest will be May 4 at CWU in Ellensburg.

You will find the registration packet at: [http://4h.wsu.edu/projects/documents/StateHorseBowlPacket\\_2013.pdf](http://4h.wsu.edu/projects/documents/StateHorseBowlPacket_2013.pdf)

The complete Horse Bowl Rules publication can be downloaded at: <http://4h.wsu.edu/EM2778CD/pdf/EM4874E.pdf>

Please note that registration is due April 15<sup>th</sup> and a whole lot more fun than your taxes!



## PNW 4-H Shooting Sports Training

I would like to extend an invitation to all Washington Extension personnel and interested 4-H volunteer leaders to participate in our 2013 4-H Shooting Sports leader training. The event will be held **April 27-28** in Coeur d'Alene, ID, and will offer certification in Archery, Hunting, Pistol, Rifle and Shotgun. Individuals can secure certification for a single discipline by just participating one day (\$60) or obtain certification for 2 disciplines by participating both days (\$95). We will be featuring nationally certified instructors from Idaho, Montana, and Washington. Registration materials can be

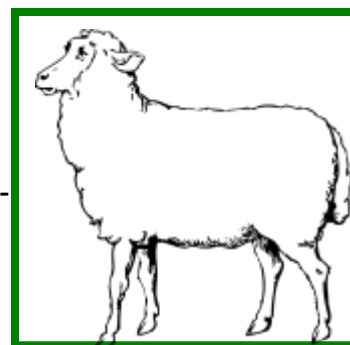
found on our Panhandle website at <http://www.extension.uidaho.edu/4hpan/>. While the registration **deadline is April 19<sup>th</sup>** some classes tend to fill quickly; sign-ups are taken on a first-come, first-serve basis. For additional information contact Jim Wilson, 208-446-1685 or [jwilson@uidaho.edu](mailto:jwilson@uidaho.edu). We look forward to hosting another dynamic training and hope to see many of our Washington friends and colleagues. Please contact Michelle Lain if interested.



## Lambing School

The 2013 WSU Wahkiakum County Extension Lambing School will be held April 26<sup>th</sup> and April 27<sup>th</sup>. Registration is \$20 per person, with price breaks for multiple family members attending. Registration is due April 12<sup>th</sup>. This is a unique opportunity to learn lambing hands-on with experienced veterinarians and instructors. Please spread the word to your farmer and 4-H

friends. All are welcome! For more information and the registration form go to: [http://grays-river.grange.wahkiakum.info/grays\\_river\\_grange/2013/03/wahkiakum-county-extension-lambing-school.html](http://grays-river.grange.wahkiakum.info/grays_river_grange/2013/03/wahkiakum-county-extension-lambing-school.html)



## Social Media Policy

Please take notice of the revised and updated [Washington State 4-H Program Policy on Social Media](#). Please

share it with your Club/Unit leaders. Do not hesitate to give Michelle a call, if you have any questions.

## Show Your Pride with a 4-H License Plate

Don't forget to get your new 4-H License plate!



Fees collected by sale of 4-H special plates will be directed to support 4-H programs throughout Washington State. Initial costs are required to be paid in advance of license plate creation.

The Washington State 4-H Foundation is supporting the cost of creating the 4-H Special License Plate.

4-H Special License Plate costs are as follows:

New Plate: \$40 plus standard licensing fees.

Plate Renewal: \$30 plus standard licensing fees.

Personalized license plates are now permitted on most special plate designs. \$28 of the special plate fee is tax-deductible!

For more information: <http://www.dol.wa.gov/vehicleregistration/specialdesign.html>

## You and Your Dog As A Team



The Mason County 4-H dog project is proud to present "You and Your Dog as a TEAM in 2013", a weekend packed full of fun and learning for 4-H members and their canine companions. The event takes place **May 17, 18 & 19** at beautiful Panhandle Lake 4-H Camp in Mason County. Classes include Showmanship, Obedience, Grooming, Nutrition,

Rally and more! Cost is \$70 for

overnight campers and \$50 for day campers and includes meals and a camp tee shirt. Registration is due by May 1 to the Mason County Extension Office. Contact Camp Director Karen Cannard at [k9kapers@aol.com](mailto:k9kapers@aol.com) or 360-432-1478 for more information and registration packets <http://county.wsu.edu/mason/youth/youth/Documents/2013%20Dog%20Camp%20Registration.pdf>



## Cyber Bullying

Our colleague Nancy Baskett found the following video made by the FBI on cyber bullying. You'll want to share it with your

members: [http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JGaZReV\\_U-0](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JGaZReV_U-0)



## Poultry Show, Workshop & Chick Day!

If you are interested in learning about any and all things poultry, this is the event for you!

**POULTRY SHOW, WORKSHOP & CHICK DAY!** This is an annual event hosted by the Leftovers 4-H Club in Benton County and will be held March 30, 2013, 9 a.m. ~ 6 p.m. at the Benton County Fairgrounds,

- \* Healthy CHICKS & Adult Birds will be available!
- \* Youth Fitting & Showing Competitions
- \* Teaching Workshops & Presentations
- \* Poultry Knowledge Contests

- \* Poultry Costume Contest
- \* Poultry Breed Show
- \* Silent Auctions
- \* Poultry Races
- \* Door Prizes
- \* Raffles

For more information and registration form please check the attachment or go to:

<http://county.wsu.edu/benton-franklin/calendars/Lists/Events/DispForm.aspx?ID=244&Source=/benton-franklin/youth/Pages/default.aspx>



## April Fools Weekend Goat Show

The Cascade Boer Goat Association is sponsoring an April Fools Weekend including: ABGA Sanctioned Shows on Saturday & Sunday and Herding Dog Demo, Educational Seminars, Champion Market Goat Pen Sale, Prospect Wether Jackpot Classes and Group Classes on Saturday and Sunday, **April 20<sup>th</sup>- 21<sup>st</sup>**. The

event will take place at the Kittitas Valley Event Center, Bloom Pavilion, 512 North Poplar, in Ellensburg. For more information see the attached Event Information Document and Entry Forms.



## Fair Superintendent Openings

We still have the following Superintendent position openings to fill:

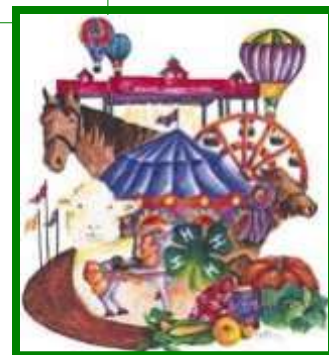
### Chelan County Fair:

Barn Herdsmanship  
Dog  
Floral/Garden

### NCW Fair:

Photography  
Educational Posters  
Style Show

Please give Michelle a call if you can help.



## Join the State Shooting Sports Advisory Committee

The WA 4-H State Shooting Sports Advisory Committee is looking for members. The committee serves in an advisory role to the 4-H Shooting Sports program. The committee is responsible for shooting sports policy, procedures, and the state competition. Committee members serve for no more than two 3-year terms. Advisory Committee mem-

bers, teen leaders, county-based faculty or staff are invited to apply. The committee is selected through an application and review process. Time commitment is for 2-3 conference calls, one in person meeting, and volunteering for various project/events. Submit the completed [Application](#):

<http://4h.wsu.edu/docu->

ments/020513StateSSComApp.pdf by

**March 29.** Contact Toni Gwin

([tgwin@wsu.edu](mailto:tgwin@wsu.edu)) with questions.



bers include equal representation from all four districts. Representatives from nationally certified shooting sport instructors, state certified shooting sports instructors, club lead-

## 4-H Science E-Academy

Because Washington State 4-H was a successful grant recipient of the Monsanto Volunteer Forum program support, we are also eligible to participate in the 4-H Science E-Academy, a train-the-trainer format designed to prepare

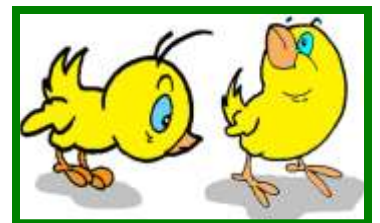
educators and key program volunteers to work with 4-H youth involved in STEM programming. It promises to be very informative. You can pick and choose what you want. Exciting stuff! See the [marketing document](#) for more information. Register: [4-H Science E-Academy](#) Visit: [E-Academy](#) Watch a video: [Orientation](#)



## Dept. of Ag. Resources to Reduce the Risk of Salmonella

With chick and duck season nearly upon us, the WA State Dept. of Agriculture has developed a set of resources to educate poultry owners on taking proper precautions to prevent the spread of Salmonella. These resources are free and should be made widely available to our 4-H families and club members who raise poultry. Additionally, they

can serve as excellent information in the preparation of public presentations. You can order the materials by calling WSDA at 1-800-606-3056 or visit their website at: [www.agr.wa.gov/foodanimal/avianhealth](http://www.agr.wa.gov/foodanimal/avianhealth).



## Put the Child First

WSU Extension is remains committed in its efforts to prevent the abuse and exploitation of children and vulnerable adults. In our continuing efforts to assure a safe environment for all program participants, Washington State University Extension is requiring child protection training for all faculty, staff and volunteers working with youth and vulnerable adults. This 20-minute presentation may be viewed at any time at your home or Extension office computer. Additionally your county may choose to host group training and discussion opportunities such as a Super Saturday event. Your registration for the training will be kept in the system as proof of

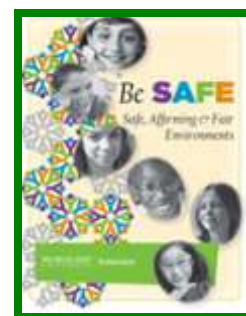
your participation. We appreciate your compliance with this requirement. For more information, contact your local 4-H faculty or staff. **To register for “Put the Child First” go to:** <http://breeze.wsu.edu/cf/event/registration.html> **Fill in the information requested and press “submit”. You will soon receive an automatic email from Bob Hoffmann with login information to view the presentation (called a training event). If you are having problems with the program, please contact Michelle Lain.**



## Be SAFE: Safe, Affirming & Fair Environments Curriculum

You may be interested in another “hot-off-the-press” Extension publication, *Be SAFE: Safe, Affirming and Fair Environments*, available from Michigan State University. This curriculum is designed to help young people, aged 11-14, and adults work in partnership to create environments that are physically and emotionally safe. While the primary audiences for Be SAFE are young people and adults involved in out-of-school time settings (such as after-school programs, 4-H, Boys and Girls Clubs, Scouts, Y’s, sports programs and faith-based programs), it also applies to mid-

dle school settings. *Be SAFE* focuses on education and prevention of bullying, bias, harassment, and other hurtful behaviors – as well as providing suggestions for intervening when young people are affected by these issues. It draws from extensive research from a variety of key disciplines – as well as from evidence-based bullying prevention programs. The *Be SAFE* curriculum can be ordered at the [MSU Extension Bookstore](#). A free PDF of the introduction to *Be SAFE* is also available.



## 4-H Revolution of Responsibility

California 4-H has created the following video on their Revolution of Responsibility. Enjoy!

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=foB2aHnCGFY>



## WA State 4-H Hall of Fame Nominations Invited

It's time once again to start thinking about submitting Washington State 4-H Hall of Fame nominations! The Washington State 4-H Hall of Fame was established in 2002 to recognize individuals and organizations that have had a

significant impact upon the 4-H Youth Development Program and/

or its members and leaders at any time since 4-H's beginning. Each year at the WA State 4-H Forum in October, we recognize and induct additional members into the Washington State 4-

H Hall of Fame. Anyone who has made a significant contribution to the development of 4-H or 4-H'ers in Washington State is eligible to be nominated for this honor. See the [application form](http://4h.wsu.edu/hof/hofapp.pdf) at <http://4h.wsu.edu/hof/hofapp.pdf> on the state 4-H Website for additional details. Hall of Fame nominations for this year are due by **June 1, 2013**. Send the completed nomination form to: Linda Williams, Washington State 4-H Program 2606 Pioneer W., Puyallup, WA 98371-4998 Email: [williamsl@wsu.edu](mailto:williamsl@wsu.edu) See the [WA State 4-H Hall of Fame website](#) for lists of previous inductees.



## Farm Mom of the Year Contest

Monsanto is offering farm moms across the nation the opportunity to win up to \$10,000 through its annual *America's Farmers Mom of the Year Contest*. Visit <http://www.americasfarmers.com> to nominate your favorite farm mom by sharing a brief essay explaining how she contributes to her family, farm, community and the agricultural

industry. Panels of judges from American Agri-Women and Monsanto will select five regional winners. Each winner will receive a \$5,000 prize. Profiles of the regional winners will be posted to the America's Farmers website, where online voting will determine the national winner, to be announced on Mother's Day. The national winner will receive an additional \$5,000. Entries are due by **April 23rd**.



## 2013 Washington State 4-H Forum – Exploring New Possibilities

Join us for this great event! The Forum is the annual gathering of 4-H volunteers, teens, and faculty/staff in Washington State. This year's Washington State 4-H Forum promises to be one of the best events yet!

This year's 4-H Forum will be held **October 15th – 27<sup>th</sup>** in Vancouver WA.

This year's theme is "Exploring New Possibilities." We will be having workshops, speakers, entertainment, and the 4-H Charity Auction.

See <http://4h.wsu.edu/conferences/Forum/index.htm> for more information.





## Scholarships for Future Ag Leaders

High school and two-year college students are invited to apply for a \$1,000 scholarship from the CHS Foundation, the nation's leading farmer-owned co-operative.

- Two year college students: 25 - \$1,000 scholarships are available for first-year students studying an agricultural-related major at any two-year college.
- High school students: 50 - \$1,000 scholarships are available for seniors

pursuing an ag-related major at any two-year or four-year college.

- \* University students: 150 scholarships are available to students working towards an ag-related major at 30 universities across the nation (including WSU). [Click here](#) for a list of participating universities.
- \* For information and applications <http://www.chsfoundation.org/upartnerships.html> . Applications are due **April 1, 2013!**



## Shooting Sports Scholarship from Daisy

Daisy, in conjunction with National 4-H Shooting Sports, offers scholarships of \$500 which will be awarded at the National 4-H Shooting Sports Invitational, June 23- 28, 2013 in Grand Island Nebraska. In 2012, Daisy awarded two \$500 scholarships. The qualifications for scholarship consideration include:

1. Minimum of a 3.0 GPA from your high school
2. Three years participation in 4-H shooting sports
3. Recommendation of High School counselor or principal
4. Recommendation of 4-H coach or equivalent who is not a relative
5. Scholarship would be payable to any two-year or four-year accredited Jr. College, College or University
6. Applicant required to submit personal

Resume

7. Application would require a 250 - 500 word essay about "How participation in the 4-H Shooting Sports better prepared them for college and for life."

8. Certified copy of high school transcript.

Scholarship money would be available in the second semester of the freshman year and can be used for books, housing, and or college fees. Those interested, submit an application, [http://www.4-hshootingssports.org/state\\_contacts.php](http://www.4-hshootingssports.org/state_contacts.php) , by **April 1** to: Washington State Shooting Sports Coordinator, Toni Gwin, PO Box 88, South Bend, WA 98586. Two applications will be selected from Washington

State for consideration at the National Level.



## 4-H Calendar

### March

**26** New Leader Training 6pm, Chelan County Ext. Office. Hosted by Doggonits 4-H Club  
**30** Gone Country Petting Zoo and Lunch 11-2pm  
**30** Appleatchee Schooling Show 8-5pm

### April

**1** Chelan/Douglas County 4-H Scholarships Due 5pm, Chelan Co. Ext. Office  
**1** Horse Certificates Due 5pm, Chelan Co. Ext. Office  
**1** Foreign Exchange Applications Due  
**1** Shooting Sports Scholarship Due  
**1** Future Ag. Leaders Scholarship Due  
**1** State Fair Equine Coordinator Application Due  
**1** Horse certificates due  
**1** Chelan/Douglas County Scholarships Due  
**5-7** Cougar Youth Dairy Weekend  
**13** April Fools Goat Show Application Deadline  
**14** Bi-County Performance Horse Stall Cleaning Fundraiser, Appleatchee, 5pm  
**15** State Horse Bowl Registration Due  
**19** Shooting Sports Training Application Due  
**20-21** April Fools Boer Goat Weekend  
**22** New Leader Training, 6:30pm, at Mission View Elementary hosted by the Tumbleweed 4-H Club.  
**27-28** Leaders Shooting Sports Training Weekend, Coeur d'Alene

### May

**4** State 4-H Horse Bowl Quality Assurance training

May 7<sup>th</sup>, 6-8pm, at the Chelan Co. Extension Office.

**14-16** Navigating Cultural Differences Training for Leaders, Federal Way

**17-19** 4-H Dog Camp

**18** Bi-County 4-H Performance Horse Show, Appleatchee

**25** Bi-County 4-H Gaming Horse Show, Chelan County Fairgrounds-Rodeo Arena

### June

**1-2** Mother Earth Fair, Puyallup Fairgrounds

**1** ARBA Rabbit Show, hosted by Gone Country

**1** Chelan County Weigh-in Day, Chelan Rodeo Grounds

**8** Bi-county 4-H Performance Horse Show, Appleatchee

**9** Bi-county 4-H Gaming Horse Show, Appleatchee

**23-25** State Teen Leadership Conference, WSU Pullman

### July

**1** Chelan County Leaders' Council Meeting, 6pm, Walla Walla Park Tentatively

**7** Horse Show, Appleatchee

**9** Douglas County Demonstration Day, 6-8pm, Chelan County Extension Office

**25** Douglas County Demonstration Day, 6-8pm, Douglas County Extension Office (Waterville)



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<http://county.wsu.edu/chelan-douglas/youth/youth/Pages/default.aspx>

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