

Tuesday News



Features

Registration for the Washington State 4-H Shooting Sports Qualifying Event Opens March 1st!

Save the date for the Washington State 4-H Shooting Sports qualifying event on May 17-19 in Eatonville, WA at the Upper Nisqually Sportsman Club. This event is open to Intermediate and Senior 4-H members. Disciplines include Archery, Rifle (air and rimfire), Pistol (air and rimfire), and Shotgun. More details to come; stay tuned!

Coaches: we could really use your help! If you are interested in helping, please contact Ashley: a.hernandez-hall@wsu.edu.

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Save the Dates for Upcoming Shooting Sports Leader Training!

The next Level 1 training has been scheduled! If you are a 4-H volunteer, 21 or older, and are interested in becoming certified to teach shooting sports to our amazing youth, this is for you!

Date: March 22-24

Disciplines Offered: Archery, Rifle, Shotgun, and Pistol (up to 2 disciplines per volunteer allowed)

Cost: \$110 for the first discipline, \$30 for the second

Location: 12736 Marksman St SW, Olympia, WA 98512

Registration opens on February 15: **<https://extension.wsu.edu/4h/projects/shooting-sports>**

Preregister Now for the 4-H Livestock Nutrition and Health Workshop

Sponsored by the Keller Valley Highriders Club and the Colville Reservation Extension 4-H Program, this program features hands-on learning about a variety of topics, including:

- What and how much to feed your animal
- How to identify if your animal is sick and when to call a veterinarian
- How to take your animal's temperature and administer vaccines

The workshops will be taught by Dr. Don Llewellyn, PhD. of the WSU Lincoln County Extension, and students from the WSU College of Veterinary Medicine.

To ensure enough supplies, please **pre-register by March 5th**. Lunch will be provided to those who pre-register. Contact the WSU Colville Reservation Extension office to pre-register: 509-634-2304.

[Event Flyer](#)

Save the Date for 4-H Horizons!

The 4-H State Ambassadors are excited to announce an upcoming statewide Zoom event – **4-H Horizons** – presented on March 23rd. This Zoom event will provide a space for driven young individuals to connect with like-minded peers, fostering an environment where they can explore the next steps in their 4-H careers. It's a wonderful opportunity for networking, sharing insight, and promoting the various programs available for our local youth.

[Event Flyer](#) | **[Social Media Graphic](#)**

Check out all the cool things the ambassadors have done and have planned by visiting **<https://bit.ly/wastateambassadors>**



Mark Your Calendars for Upcoming Dairy Events

Check out the upcoming 4-H Dairy events scheduled for 2024! All of these events take place at the Evergreen State Fairgrounds in Monroe, WA.

- **Springtime Youth Calf Sale – March 16th:** The Springtime Youth Calf Sale is open for youth up to 21 to purchase a registered dairy heifer for a 4H or FFA project. There are \$500 calf grants available, but you must be 9–18 to apply. This is a sale in which the youth do the bidding. You may view the heifers and bid on them at the sale on Saturday, March 16. Contact Liz Holtcamp sycs4H@gmail.com for more information.
 - *Calf Grant Applications:* due February 20th
 - *Scholarship Applications:* due March 1st
- **Washington State 4-H Dairy Quizbowl – March 16th:** You do not need to be a part of a team. Come and join us and a chance to compete in the National Quizbowl contest. Contact Gary Fredricks for more information: garyf@wsu.edu
- **Evergreen Junior Dairy Show – April 26–27**

Check out the [Dairy Events page](https://extension.wsu.edu/4h/dairy-endowment-fund/program-activities/) for more details (<https://extension.wsu.edu/4h/dairy-endowment-fund/program-activities/>).



2024 WSU and UI Youth Livestock Field Day Series

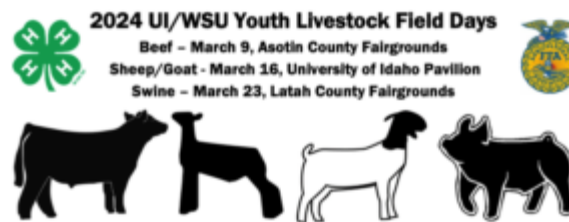
4-H and FFA Youth, leaders and families are invited to attend **Youth Livestock Field Days**

scheduled for Saturdays, March 9 – **Beef** at Asotin County Fairgrounds; March 16 – **Sheep & Goat** at University of Idaho Livestock Pavilion; and March 23 – **Swine** at Latah County Fairgrounds from 8:00 am – 3:00 pm each day. Topics covered at the field days include the selection of project animals; Health Care, Feeding and Nutrition; Fitting and Showing Demonstration; Clipping Demonstration; and other pertinent topics.

The cost for each field day is \$10 per person (+\$1.30 transaction fee) and includes lunch and handout materials. Registration is now open and will close when maximum capacity for each event is reached. Register soon as it fills fast! Registration details are at bit.ly/clearwater_events and listed under transaction item.

Speakers for the program include local Veterinarians, Extension Faculty and Staff from the University of Idaho and WSU, UI Block and Bridle Students, WSU Veterinary Students, Industry Representatives, and 4-H/FFA volunteers. Whether beginner or advanced, this program is designed to provide information and skills so youth will be successful with their market livestock projects. For more information contact 509.397.6290 or 509.243.2009.

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Join the Washington 4-H Horse Program Q and A Session Tomorrow!

The Q and A session for parents, leaders, county faculty/staff, and 4-H members will continue to be offered monthly on the **first Wednesday** of each month from 6:30 to 7:30 pm through June.

The next call is on February 7. Join us anytime with your questions!

The Zoom meeting ID is 452-082-9765 with no passcode. You must have a Zoom account to participate.

The meetings are facilitated by Kim Baker, 4-H State Equine Coordinator and/or Jennifer Leach, State 4-H Equine Specialist.



Apply Now for the Washington State 4-H Scholarships!

The Washington State 4-H Scholarship application is now available! The application is open to enrolled, 12th grade 4-H members who plan to attend an accredited two or four-year college or university in the fall.

Details on application requirements and how to apply are available on the [Scholarship Opportunities](https://extension.wsu.edu/4h/youth/scholarship-opportunities/) page: <https://extension.wsu.edu/4h/youth/scholarship-opportunities/>

The deadline to submit your application is March 15, 2024 at 9:59 pm. Don't wait! Apply now!



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