

# Tuesday News



## Features

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### **Fact Sheets for Animal Care for Smoke and/or Wildfires**

As much of our state is dealing with wildfires and smoke, we thought it would be helpful to find fact sheets regarding this topic. In searching for fact sheets, several were found on respective state Extension websites and other state and federal agencies.

Please share with those who may be impacted by wildfire and smoke in your livestock and horse community.

*[Wildfire Smoke Fact Sheet - Protect Your Livestock \(airnow.gov\)](http://airnow.gov)*

*[Caring for Livestock Before Disaster \(colostate.edu\)](http://colostate.edu)*

*[Caring for Livestock During Disaster \(colostate.edu\)](http://colostate.edu)*

*[Caring for Livestock After Disaster \(colostate.edu\)](http://colostate.edu)*

*[Wildfire Aftermath: Beef Cattle Health Considerations \(sdstate.edu\)](http://sdstate.edu)*

*[Wildfire Preparedness for Horse Owners \(colostate.edu\)](http://colostate.edu)*

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### **State 4-H Horse Medallion Donations**

Donations are desperately needed to provide the Gold, Silver and Bronze medals for all the equine classes plus the groom squad and Equine Presentation Contests (judging medals are already sponsored). There has been only one county contribution so far!!!

The total cost last year was \$2,700.

Please consider a donation so that our outstanding members may receive this special recognition!

Any donors will be listed on posters in the barns and announced during the events. Contributions are welcome from County Programs, Clubs, individuals and businesses.

Please make checks payable to Snohomish County 4-H Horse Program (who have been acting as the banker since the 1980's) and note "State Medals"

Mail to Pat Pehling, 7310 83<sup>rd</sup> AVE SE, Snohomish WA 98290

Any questions, please contact Pat Pehling at [pehling@frontier.com](mailto:pehling@frontier.com)

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## **Two Days Left to Apply as a KYG Conference Facilitator!**

The Know Your Government (KYG) planning team is looking for teen leaders, also known as Conference Facilitators. This is an opportunity for high-school youth and up. Past participation at KYG is not required.

The flyer linked below has a QR code that takes the applicant to a GOOGLE form to apply, or click this link <https://bit.ly/2025kygfacilitatorapplication>. The application process closes on August 15.

A "Save the Date" graphic is also linked below.

This is the state website with information for anyone with questions:

<https://bit.ly/wa4hkyg>. This will be updated soon too!

Any questions can be directed to Dorothy Elsner: [dorothy.elsner@wsu.edu](mailto:dorothy.elsner@wsu.edu)

**Conference Facilitator Flyer**

**Save the Date**



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## Photos Needed for 4-H Equine Rule Book

The Washington State 4-H Equine Rule Book Sub-Committee is working on updating the Washington 4-H Equine Program Rule book for the new 4-H year. We would like to encourage 4-H members and parents to submit photos to replace the AI-generated images that are in the current rule book. All photos submitted would need to be appropriate for the 4-H program, meaning riders would need to be wearing appropriate footwear and helmets (if mounted). Any youth shown in the photo would need to have given their permission for the photo to be used, as well as have a signed media release on file with their county. If you have a great photo that you would like to share, please email them to R-A Mazzola ([r.mazzola@wsu.edu](mailto:r.mazzola@wsu.edu)) with your name, the full name of any members pictured and the county they are from. Please keep in mind that submitting photos does not guarantee we will be able to use them in the next edition of the Rule Book.

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## Nominate Outstanding Volunteers for State Awards Today!

4-H relies on our amazing volunteers, so let's give the love back by nominating outstanding volunteers for one of our state awards! There are a few different ones with a variety of deadlines and requirements, so take time to read through them all.

NEW descriptions, due dates, and nomination instructions can be found at:

<https://extension.wsu.edu/4h/for-volunteers/wastate-volunteer-recognition/>



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