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Dear Snohomish County 4-H Community,

We have some important updates we felt you would want to know and not all our families are signed up to receive the CloverGram, so first, if you would like more frequent (weekly) updates via email, please email [Beth.Wangen@wsu.edu](mailto:Beth.Wangen@wsu.edu) with the subject line "I want **CloverGram!**" and she will add that email to her distribution list. The CloverGram is one-page 4-H news. Past CloverGram issues can be found here: [CloverGram Library](#).

Second, we hope you are well and finding the good in our current circumstance. I know some of our pets are just astounded that we're home so much! I hope someday to look back on this time (in time) with appreciation for this opportunity for the entire world to "re-set", but for now much of the focus is on what we need to keep ourselves and our families safe and healthy in this ever-evolving situation. If we can help in any way, please reach out to let us know.

With school closed through the end of the year, it may come as no surprise that **ALL 4-H in-person activities are also suspended through the end of school**. District end dates vary, but you can expect 4-H activities to remain virtual through June 19<sup>th</sup>. While it is disappointing that we won't be seeing friends in person for a while yet, the good news is that 4-H staff and volunteers have been hard at work to continue providing ways for you to participate in your projects and socialize with your 4-H family and friends. We are so impressed by the many ways members are staying involved! If your club or project isn't already offering virtual options, please let us know so we can reach out to help! If you would like to share what you have been doing, we'd love to hear about it, and add it to the list of ideas we can share with volunteers and parents, so email us or send us a Facebook message.

As you may already know, the Puget Sound Junior Livestock Show was cancelled, but not to worry! Show management, 4-H staff, and volunteers are working to provide alternatives. You can expect more information in early May.

We have created a new webpage to share online resources, press releases, Snohomish County 4-H Weekly Challenges, and the most up-to-date Stay Home, Stay Healthy information. Visit here: [Stay Home, Stay Healthy Resources](#).

We have an active Snohomish County 4-H Facebook page too! Join us here: <https://www.facebook.com/SnoCo4H/>

And did you know?!? Snohomish County 4-H also has its own YouTube channel!! [SnoCo4-H YouTube channel](#)

Again, we encourage all club, project, and program leaders to take advantage of online options for meetings, clinics, and activities, rather than postpone or cancel. If you need ideas for how to facilitate your activity online, or if you would like 4-H Staff to facilitate something for you, please let us know. We can also schedule Zoom meetings for you and help with technical issues. Email Kim Baker or Ashley Hall, or fill out this [Zoom Meeting Request Form](#).

We'll get through this together!

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