

2018-2019 Grays Harbor County 4-H Program - Important Dates Outline

● October 1st – 4-H Year Begins

- October – Club Kickoff Meetings, National Youth Science Day, Tractor Supply Company Fall Paper Clover Fundraiser, Record Books and Year-end Award Applications Due
- Fall –Countywide member and volunteer Recognition Event, Countywide 4-H Promotional Window Display Event, Volunteer Education Series

- December 1st – Annual Club Paperwork and 4-H Re-enrollment Due
- Winter – 4-H Council Camp Committee hosts youth and adult staff training, GH 4-H Horse Council presents educational shows and clinics

- Spring – GH 4-H Council hosts countywide Public Presentation Event, Tractor Supply Company Spring Paper Clover Fundraiser, 4-H Council Camp Committee hosts youth and adult staff training, GH 4-H Horse Council presents educational shows and clinics

● April 1st – 4-H enrollment documents due for Grays Harbor County 4-H Fair eligibility County, Region, and State Fairs (4-H qualifying events are often held within county/community fairs)

- April 15th – GH Youth Livestock Auction Registration Due to GHYLA Secretary
- May 1st – 4-H Projects can no longer be added for Grays Harbor County 4-H Fair eligibility
- May - GH 4-H Council Scholarship applications due

- Summer – WSU Extension presents State Teen events, GH 4-H Council Camp Committee hosts overnight camp
- July – Grays Harbor County Fair Animal Entry Deadlines
- August – Grays Harbor County Fair

- September – WA State 4-H Fair
- Year-round - GH 4-H Council meetings & GH 4-H Horse Council meetings, educational opportunities for 4-H members and volunteers

GH 4-H Horse Council Mtngs https://zoom.us/j/514154293	GH 4-H Council Mtngs https://zoom.us/j/728438983
● October 1st, 6:30 pm (Election of Officers)	● October 8 th , 6pm (Election of Officers)
● November 5 th , 6:30 pm	● November TBA, 6pm, Executive Board Mtng
● December 3 rd , 6:30 pm	● December 10 th , 6pm
● January 7 th , 6:30 pm	● January 14 th , 6pm, Executive Board Meeting
● February 4 th , 6:30 pm	● February 11 th , 6pm
● March 4 th , 6:30 pm (Mandatory for Club Reps)	● March 11 th , 6pm, Executive Board Meeting
● April 1 st , 6:30 pm	● April 8 th , 6pm
● May 6 th , 6:30 pm	● May 13 th , 6pm, Executive Board Meeting
● June 3 rd , 6:30 pm (Mandatory for Club Reps)	● June 10 th , 6pm
● July 1 st , 6:30 pm	● July 22 nd , 6pm
● August 19 th , 6:30 pm (third Monday)	● August 26 th , 6pm
● October 7 th , 6:30 pm (Election of Officers)	● October 14 th , 6pm (Election of Officers)
● November 4 th , 6:30 pm	● November TBA, 6pm Executive Board Mtng
● December 2 nd , 6:30 pm	● December 9 th , 6pm

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<http://extension.wsu.edu/graysharbor/4-h/calendar/> and <http://extension.wsu.edu/graysharbor/4-h/info/>
<https://www.facebook.com/graysharbor4h/>

2018

- December 1st – Annual Club Paperwork and 4-H Re-enrollment Due
 - December 3rd - GH 4-H Horse Council Meeting, 6:30pm
 - December 10th - GH 4-H Council Meeting, 6pm
 - December 24-25th – WSU Extension Office CLOSED in Observance of Christmas
 - December 28-30th – GH 4-H Camp Committee Hosts Counselor Training
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- January 1st – WSU Extension Office CLOSED in Observance of New Year’s Day
 - January 7th – GH 4-H Horse Council Meeting, 6:30pm
 - January 12th – Explore 4-H Workshops – Cat Project & Dog Project, GHC Fairgrounds
 - January 14th – Grays Harbor 4-H Council – Executive Board Meeting, 6pm
 - January 14th – Hope From Horses
 - January 21st – WSU Extension Office CLOSED in Observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day
 - January 28nd – Hope From Horses

 - TBA – 4-H Fair Superintendents submit revisions to Exhibitors Book to tracie.hanson@wsu.edu
 - TBA – GH 4-H Fair Committee Reviews 4-H Revisions to Exhibitors Book
 - TBA – GH 4-H Fair Committee Revisions to Exhibitors Book submitted to GHC Fair Staff

 - February 4th - GH 4-H Horse Council Meeting, 6:30pm
 - February 9th – Explore 4-H Workshops – Maple Syruping
 - February TBA – Grays Harbor Youth Livestock Auction Meeting
 - WINTER & SPRING DATES TBA - GH 4-H Horse Council presents Hairy Horse Show
 - February 11th – GH 4-H Council Meeting, 6pm
 - February 11th – Hope From Horses
 - February 20th – GHC Fair Volunteer Meeting, 6:30pm
 - February 25th – Hope From Horses

 - March 4th - GH 4-H Horse Council Meeting, 6:30pm (Mandatory Meeting for Club Representatives)
 - March 11th – Grays Harbor 4-H Council – Executive Board Meeting, 6pm
 - March 11th – Hope From Horses
 - March 25th – Hope From Horses
 - March 27th – April 7th - Tractor Supply Company Spring Paper Clover Fundraiser

 - Spring - GHYLA – Auction Animal Weigh-in
 - Summer - GHYLA – Auction Animal Weigh-in
 - Camp Registrations Due
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- Spring – GH 4-H Council Public Presentation Registration Due
- Spring – GH 4-H Council hosts countywide Public Presentation Event
- April 1st – 4-H enrollment documents due for Grays Harbor County 4-H Fair eligibility
County, Region, and State Fairs (4-H qualifying events are often held within county fairs)
- April 1st – Animal Management & Ownership Deadline (120 days) – Market Beef
State Policy & Procedures Handbook, Section 9, Animal Management & Ownership <http://extension.wsu.edu/4h>
- April 1st - GH 4-H Horse Council Meeting, 6:30pm
- April 8th – GH 4-H Council Meeting, 6pm
- April 8th – Hope From Horses
- April 15th – GH Youth Livestock Auction Registration forms Due to GHYLA Secretary
- April 22nd – Hope From Horses
- April 26-28th – GH 4-H Camp Committee Hosts Counselor Training
- April 27th – Explore 4-H Workshops – Robotics/STEM, Panhandle Lake 4-H Camp

- May 1st – 4-H Projects can no longer be added for Grays Harbor County 4-H Fair eligibility
- May 1st – Dairy Certificates Due to WSU Extension Office (90 days prior to the official county exhibit)
- May 1st – Animal Management & Ownership Deadline (90 days) – Breeding Beef, Equine, Llama, Dairy
State Policy & Procedures Handbook, Section 9, Animal Management & Ownership <http://extension.wsu.edu/4h>
- May TBA – Grays Harbor Youth Livestock Auction (GHYLA) – Mandatory Quality Assurance Meetings
- May TBA - GH 4-H Horse Council presents Hairy Horse Show (? of ?)
- May 6th - GH 4-H Horse Council Meeting, 6:30pm
- May 13th – Grays Harbor 4-H Council – Executive Board Meeting, 6pm
- May 15th - GHC Fair Volunteer Meeting, 6:30pm
- May TBA - Grays Harbor Youth Livestock Auction (GHYLA) – Mandatory Auction Weigh/Tag
- May TBA - GH Fair Staff Pass Order Forms & Camping information available
(Camping reservations are available on a first come, first served basis – submit ASAP)
- May TBA - GH 4-H Horse Council presents Hairy Horse Show (? of ?)
- May 27th – WSU Extension Office CLOSED in Observance of Memorial Day

- June 1st – Animal Management & Ownership Deadline (60 days) – Dairy Heifer Replacement, Cats, Dogs, Goats, Sheep & Swine (Breeding & Market)
State Policy & Procedures Handbook, Section 9, Animal Management & Ownership <http://extension.wsu.edu/4h>
- June 3rd – GH 4-H Fair Supplement available to Club Leaders
- June 3rd – GH 4-H Horse Council Meeting, 6:30pm (Mandatory Meeting for Club Representatives)
- June TBA - Grays Harbor Youth Livestock Auction (GHYLA) – Optional Auction Weigh-in
- June TBA - GH 4-H Fair Superintendent Picnic
- June 10th - GH 4-H Council Meeting, 6pm
- June 15th – Explore 4-H Workshops – Food Activities – Cake Decorating, Table Setting, and more!
- June 15th – Animal Management & Ownership Deadline (45 days) – Cavies, Rabbits & Poultry
State Policy & Procedures Handbook, Section 9, Animal Management & Ownership <http://extension.wsu.edu/4h>
- June TBA – Mason County 4-H hosts 4-H Horse camp
- June TBA – GH 4-H Council hosts countywide Public Presentation Event
- June 29th - 30th - GH 4-H Horse Council presents Horse Project Prefair Show

- July TBA – State 4-H Fair Exhibitor Letters & Summer Update Letters Available
- July 1st – GH 4-H Fair Superintendents Request Due for Stall Cards, Exhibit Scorecards, etc.
(WSU Extension Staff Places Publication order through WSU)
- July 1st - GH 4-H Horse Council Meeting, 6:30pm (Animal Entry Cards Due to Horse Superintendent)

- July 1st – Horse Certificates Due to Horse Superintendent
 - July 1st - Nominations Due for Horse Project Memorial Awards (Snooks, Erin Randall, Susan Zembal)
 - July 4th – WSU Extension Office CLOSED in Observance of Independence Day
 - July 14-19th - GH 4-H Council Camp Committee hosts overnight camp
 - July 12th – GH 4-H Fair Supplement **Due to WSU Extension**
 - July 15th – GHC Fair Pass Orders & Animal Entries **Due to GHC Fairgrounds Staff**
 - July 17th - GHC Fair Volunteer Meeting, 6pm
 - July 17th – 4-H Superintendents submit requests for supplies and printed items to WSU Extension (supplies: easels, projectors/screens, extension cords, portable PA systems, sewing machines, coffee pots, etc.) (printed items: scorecards, publications, display graphics, herdsmanship sign-up forms, herdsmanship duties signage, public presentation resources, etc.)
 - July 22nd – GH 4-H Council Meeting, 6pm
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- August TBA – 4-H Still Life Exhibits Entered
 - August TBA – 4-H Gardening/Plant Science Exhibits Entered
 - August 6th – 4-H Horse Project Haul-in, Vet Check, Judging Contest, Mandatory Exhibitor meeting
 - August 6th – Livestock Exhibitor meeting, 8pm
 - August 6th – Rabbit, Cavy & Poultry Exhibitors Entered
 - August 7-11th – Grays Harbor County Fair – “How Country Feels”
 - August 7th – GHC Fair Parade (Staging & Line-up at 5:15pm)
 - August 7th – GHC Opening Ceremonies, 6pm
 - August TBA – Judging Contest Events (Rabbit/Cavy, Dog, Goat, Dairy, Livestock)
 - August TBA – Judging Contest Events (Poultry)
 - August TBA – Judging Contest Events (Still Life Exhibits, Arts, Clothing, Foods, Garden)
 - August TBA – Judging Contest Events (Cat)
 - August TBA - Mandatory State Fair Exhibitor Meetings - Equine Project, 7:30am
 - August TBA - Mandatory State Fair Exhibitor Meetings – Other Projects?
 - August 11th – GH 4-H Council Presents: Cowboy Breakfast, 8 – 11am
 - August 11th - Nominations Due for Versatile Horseman/Outstanding Gamer Awards
 - August 15th – Outstanding Leader of the Year Nominations Due to WSU Extension office
 - August 19th - GH 4-H Horse Council Meeting, 6:30pm
 - August 19th – Qualifying State Fair Still Life Exhibits Due in Extension Office, no later than 3pm
 - August 26th – GH 4-H Council Meeting, 6pm
 - August 26th – Deliver your own qualifying State Fair Still Life Exhibits to Puyallup
 - August 27th – Deliver your own qualifying State Fair Still Life Exhibits to Puyallup
 - August 30th - September 22nd – WA State 4-H Fair
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- State Fair Animal & Contest Round-up Forms Due
 - September 1st –Nomination Due to State Office for WA State 4-H Outstanding Leader
 - September 2nd – WSU Extension Office CLOSED in Observance of Labor Day
 - September 18th - GHC Fair Volunteer Meeting, 6:30pm

2019 Equine Schedule:

Wed, Sept 4 - Senior Dressage Arrives, 5-7 p.m.

Thurs, Sept 5 - Dressage Classes; Senior Performance Arrives, 5-7 p.m.

Fri, Sept 6 - Sr. Performance/Dressage - fit/show, performance classes

Sat, Sept 7 - Equine Judging Contest; Senior Dressage exhibitors may depart at 2 p.m.; Groom Squad; Performance Classes

Sun, Sept 8 - Sr. Performance Classes

Mon, Sept 9 - Sr Performance Classes; Sr Performance departs at 2 p.m.

Tues, Sept 10 - Harness Arrives, 5-7 p.m.

Wed, Sept 11 - Harness Classes - Fit/Show and Harness Classes; Harness departs 2 p.m.; Senior Western Games Arrives 5-7 p.m.

Thurs, Sept 12 - Senior Western Games - Fit/Show, followed by gaming events

Fri, Sept 13 - Senior Western Games - gaming events

Sat, Sept 14 - Senior Western Games - gaming events (no classes after 1 p.m. - dog agility in arena)

Sun, Sept 15 - Senior Western Games - gaming events; Senior Western Games departs at 2 p.m.; Intermediate Performance/Dressage Arrives 5-7 p.m.

Mon, Sept 16 - Int Performance/Dressage - fit/show, classes

Tues, Sept 17 - Int Performance/Dressage - classes - fair is officially closed on this day, but we will have a show

Wed, Sept 18 - Int Performance/Dressage – classes

Thurs, Sept 19 – Int Performance/Dressage – classes; Int/Performance Dressage departs at 2 p.m.; Int Western Games arrives 5-7 p.m.

Fri, Sept 20 – Int Western Games – fit/show, followed by gaming events

Sat, Sept 21 – Int Western Games – gaming events

Sun, Sept 22 – Int Western Games – gaming events – depart by zones starting at 4 p.m.

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- October – National Youth Science Day, Record Books and Year-end Award Applications Due
- October 1st – 4-H Year Begins
- October 2nd – National Youth Science Day
- October TBA – Mandatory Club Kick-Off Meeting
- October 7th - GH 4-H Horse Council Meeting, 6:30pm
- October 9th – 20th - Tractor Supply Company Fall Paper Clover Fundraiser
- October 14th - GH 4-H Council Meeting, 6pm (Election of Officers)
- October TBAth – Record Books & Applications for Project Achievement Awards Due to WSU Extension, Nominations Due to WSU Extension for Member of the Year, Club Awards, Year Pin Requests
Nominations due to WSU Extension for Meritorious Service Award, Friend of 4-H Award, etc.
- October TBA 4-H Volunteer Essentials Workshop
- October TBA 4-H Club Orientation Workshop
- November 4th - GH 4-H Horse Council Meeting, 6:30pm
- November 6th - GHC Fair Volunteer Meeting, 6pm
- November TBA – Celebrate Our Kids Recognition Event
- November 11th – WSU Extension Office CLOSED in Observance of Veterans Day
- November 28th – 29th - WSU Extension Office CLOSED in Observance of Thanksgiving
- December 1st – Annual Club Paperwork and 4-H Re-enrollment Due
- December 2nd - GH 4-H Horse Council Meeting, 6:30pm
- December 9th - GH 4-H Council Meeting, 6pm
- December 24-25th – WSU Extension Office CLOSED in Observance of Christmas