

**WSU Extension Grays Harbor County 4-H Youth Development
News for June 17, 2020**

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IMPORTANT DATES More events and info on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/graysharbor4h/>

June 18 GH 4-H Council Meeting, 6 pm via Zoom

Call in to 1(720)707-2699 and enter **Meeting ID:** 292-376-086, or

use **One-tap mobile:** +17207072699,,292376086# , or once you have created a free Zoom account,

Join us at <https://wsu.zoom.us/j/292376086>,

<https://www.facebook.com/events/414002992563834/>

June 23 & 30 4-H Virtual Office Hours, 2 pm (Tuesdays)

Call in to +1 669 900 9128, using Meeting ID 510 781379 or

use **One Tap Mobile:** +16699009128,,510781379, or once you have created a free Zoom account,

Join us at: <https://wsu.zoom.us/j/510781379>

June 25 & July 2 4-H Virtual Office Hours, 11 am (Thursdays) (no session on June 18th)

Call in to +1 669 900 9128, using Meeting ID 822 552 958 or

use **One Tap Mobile:** +16699009128,,822552958#, or once you have created a free Zoom account,

Join us at: <https://wsu.zoom.us/j/822552958>

VIRTUAL 4-H SHOWCASE

Hello 4-H families! We miss you and hope that you are safe and well! We are continuing to work with 4-H faculty and staff across our state and the nation to provide you with everything that you need to keep 4-H happening within your family and club ð please keep working on your 4-H projects!

With the cancelation of the 2020 Grays Harbor County Fair, an amazing team of volunteers has been meeting and planning for a Virtual 4-H Showcase that will take place in July. While this will be a different and new experience, we are excited to provide a platform for youth to exhibit their projects and year-long learning.

While an exhibitor guide will be coming soon with more specific information, members will be able to log into the FairEntry platform using their 4HOnline username and password, choose the classes they wish to enter, and upload photos, document files, and video links. In addition to the animal projects that members are enrolled in, members will also be able to exhibit still life projects such as photos, gardening, public presentations, art, poetry, and more! Members will have the opportunity to enter items digitally in July, with the review and judging process being completed in early August.

OFFICE HOURS WITH TRACIE

Zoom on in and connect with your 4-H peeps during 4-H Office Hours. We have set hours of Tuesdays 2:00 . 3:00 and Thursdays 11:00 . 12:00. Youth members, volunteers, and parents are welcome. It's a great way to catch up with each other, ask questions, tell us what you've been up to and share ideas. Join us using your computer, phone or tablet. Contact Tracie with questions, or to set up a test meeting at a different time by connecting with Tracie at tracie.hanson@wsu.edu .

- **Tuesdays 2:00 - 3:00 pm**
- Web Browser: Join at <https://wsu.zoom.us/j/510781379>
- Phone: Call in +1 669 900 9128, using Meeting ID 510 781 379
- Smart Phone: One Tap Mobile Call at +16699009128,,510781379
- **Thursdays at 11:00 am - 12:00 pm (except the canceled June 18th session)**
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CONGRATULATIONS!

The Grays Harbor County 4-H Council is pleased to announce that scholarships are being awarded to three high school seniors graduating from the Grays Harbor County 4-H Program. Congratulations to Kaelyn with the 4-H Summer Camp Program, Natalie with Critter Crew 4-H Club and Layne with Thundering Hooves 4-H Club! Learn more about their 4-H experiences and plans for the future in their Senior Spotlights, which are posted at <https://www.facebook.com/graysharbor4h/>

4-H COUNCIL MEETINGS . Join Us Digitally

We would love to have you join us for the next 4-H Council meeting on Thursday, June 18th and the 4-H Horse Council meeting on Monday, July 6th

We hope that you will add remote attendance at 4-H Council meetings to your plans. The meetings are the best way to share your ideas, get up to the minute information and help shape the direction of YOUR 4-H program. The GH 4-H Horse Council generally meets on the first Monday of each month at 6:30 and the GH 4-H Council meetings are held on the third Thursday of alternating months. The meetings will be held remotely, and you can join us via Zoom by calling the phone numbers listed above or join with video if you have a free Zoom account by clicking the relevant link (located above or at

<https://www.facebook.com/graysharbor4h/>).

Connect with Tracie to test the system in advance.

4-H teaches life skills that lead young people to become self-directing, positive, contributing members of our society. Extension programs are available to all without discrimination. Evidence of noncompliance may be reported through your local Extension office. Persons with disabilities who require alternative means for communication or program information or reasonable accommodation need to contact Tracie Hanson at PO Box 3018, Elma, WA 98541, (360)482-2934, tracie.hanson@wsu.edu at least two weeks prior to the event. Our county is partnering with neighboring counties—the Constellation group of Mason, Pacific, Lewis, Thurston, etc., to send out e-newsletters. Some articles are from other counties, and include helpful information or invitations to participate in local, regional, or statewide events. Please read carefully.

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Disclaimer: By posting the above "free to a good home" information, WSU Grays Harbor County Extension 4-H does not endorse or give approval for any of these free animals to be used as 4-H project animals. Contact the animal owners at your own risk.

Cooperating agencies: Washington State University, U.S. Department of Agriculture, and Grays Harbor County Extension.

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