



Clallam County

4-H 

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4-H Empowers Kids with the
Skills to Lead for a Lifetime

Clallam County 4-H Newsletter



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HEART



HANDS



HEALTH

Livestock Lowdown

May 16th and 17th

WSU Extension and the Pacific Northwest Junior Livestock Auction are working together to create a weekend long educational event to coincide with the pre-weigh in day for hogs, lambs, and goats.

Start preparing your animal for an outing to the fairgrounds where you can spend Saturday learning about topics like nutrition, conformation, biosecurity, and judging. Then on Sunday, take in a demonstration on fitting and showing, practice a bit, and participate in a mini-show.

Classes will be available to learn about cattle, swine, sheep, goats, poultry, and more.



Flashback shot to Cara at the 2015 County Fair
Photo Credit: L.Bergman

Fair Updates

Fair entry forms due July 1; animal entry fee

There will be some changes to the Clallam County Fair this year. The deadline for Fair Entry Forms has been changed to **July 1**. Please make sure you have the new Fair Entry Forms. They are available at the Fairgrounds, the extension office, and online [here](#). Youth with horses who need to qualify at pre-fair in July should talk to LaDonna Wilson. Late entries will be accepted if there is room in the barn.

There will now be an **entry fee** for animals. Animals will be charged at the rate of \$2 for small animals (sheep, swine, goats, poultry, rabbits, caviars, cats, and dogs) and \$5 for large animals (horses, llamas, alpacas, beef, and dairy).

The fairgrounds will not longer provide hay or feed. They will continue to provide straw and bedding.

The animal entry fee plus money saved from no longer providing hay and feed will be used for veterinarian fees.

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Know Your Government (KYG) 2020

State Scholarships Due

WSU statewide 4-H scholarships have a deadline of March 15th at 9:59pm. These opportunities can be found on online [here](#).

PNWJLA Auction Corner

This new corner will be a regular feature this year to help us all have a successful transition to the PNWJLA.

The parent meetings were well attended. Quality Assurance is due by Sunday, March 15th at 5pm. It is available online at <http://yqca.org/>.

Community/Business Outreach
Wednesday, March 18th from 3:30-5:30
details TBD.

Steer Pre-Weigh In
Sunday, March 22, 2020 from 10am-12pm
at the Clallam County Fairgrounds. Bring
entry forms, tagging fee, copy of brand
certificate.

For more information or if you are not
receiving emails directly from the PNWJLA
and would like to, please see their
website <https://www.pnwjla.com/>

County Scholarship Updates

The Clallam 4-H Council has voted to raise the value of the county scholarship to a max of \$1000. Applicants will receive \$200 credit for each year all requirements are filled from 8-12 grade. Applications are due on April 1 and can be found online [here](#).

Manna Pro

4-H Picture Mosaic

From February 1 – April 30, 2020 Manna Pro is hosting a contest to build a 4-H picture mosaic online. This is a chance for 4-H members, supporters, and friends to upload pictures to Manna Pro’s site. Those pictures are integrated into tiny pieces to make a larger photo. As an incentive for photo uploads, **Manna Pro is providing \$6,000, \$3,000, and \$1,000 prizes** to the three states that upload the most photos weighted by state population. Learn more [here](#).

Joann

From March 1-April 30 at Joann you can donate \$1 or \$4 at the checkout to 4-H. Money raised helps support local 4-H programming.

Newsletter Photos?

Do you have any pictures of you or your club having fun in 4-H that you would like shared in the newsletter? If so email them to [Melanie Greer](#).

4-H Council Corner

You are invited to participate in your Clallam County 4-H Council. The Council meets on the second Tuesday of each month at 7:00 pm at the Commissioners’ Meeting Room in the Clallam County Courthouse. Teen members are encouraged to attend and have a voice in their county program.

Save the Date

Spring New Volunteer Training

Are you a new volunteer who hasn't been trained yet?

- Tuesday, March 31st. 6pm-8pm in the Carver Room at the Port Angeles Library.

Giddy Up & Grow's Annual Bazaar

When: April 4th from 9am-4pm

Where: Masonic Temple on Lincoln St, P.A.

What: 3rd annual bazaar is a club fundraiser featuring over a dozen vendors!

Edelweiss Acres Goat Seminar

Edelweiss Acres is offering a goat seminar on April 4th in Olympia. The 4-H price is \$7.50. For more info please call Donna at 360-742-8310 or go to their website <http://edelweissacresobers.com/>

Washington State 4-H Horse Bowl

April 25, 2020 at Central Washington University in Ellensburg

4-H 5th St Garden Program

Be on the lookout for details coming soon on how to join this gardening with a Master Gardener program.

Livestock Lowdown

Saturday and Sunday, May 16th and 17th at the Clallam County Fairgrounds. In conjunction with hog, lamb, and goat pre-weigh in.

Report Your 4-H Volunteer Hours

Your volunteer hours are critical for demonstrating the value of our program. It is also how volunteers are covered under WSU's L&I and liability insurance. Visit the database [here](#) and report your hours. Contact us if you are missing your user name or password.

Other Notices

The Sprout Growers Program

The local St. Vincent DePaul Conference Growers are looking for participants in the SPROUT Growers program. This grant opportunity is for youth between 9 to 16 years old in Port Angeles and Sequim to receive funding and support to grow food in their own small vegetable garden. Growers are expected to donate half to local community organizations. More info and application available [here](#).

CCJLA Graduating Seniors Scholarship

If you are a graduating senior who has participated in the CCJLA, applications for their scholarship program are due by April 1. For details please contact Cyndie at 360-460-6362 or Nicole at 360-460-7593.

St Patrick's Day 5K & 1 Mile Kids Run

Saturday, March 14th, 9am kids run and 9:30am 5k. Funds raised go to Hurricane Ridge Winter Sports Education Foundation and United Way of Clallam County. More information and registration available [here](#).

Animal Project Resource Leaders

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Sheep	Cyndie Stumbaugh	360-683-6495
Swine	Nicole Murray	Dominique1953@yahoo.com

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Extension programs and employment are available to all without discrimination. Evidence of noncompliance may be reported through your local Extension office. Reasonable accommodations will be made for persons with disabilities and special needs who participate in 4-H events and programs. Contact Melanie Greer at the Clallam County 4-H Extension Office at 223 E. 4th St, Suite 15, Port Angeles, WA 98362 (360-417-2398)/Melanie.greer@wsu.edu at least two weeks prior to the event.

4-H MISSION:

4-H empowers youth to reach their full potential, working and learning in partnership with caring adults.

4-H VISION:

A world in which youth and adults learn, grow and work together as catalysts for positive change.

4-H PLEDGE:

I pledge my Head to clearer thinking, my Heart to greater loyalty, my Hands to larger Service, and my Health to better living, for my club, my community, my country, and my world.