



4-H Newsletter

Jan 19, 2024

WSU Lincoln-Adams County Extension 4-H Program



2024 4-H Calendar Important Upcoming Dates

Jan 29-Feb 1	Hunters Safety Course	5:30p-8:30p WSU Adams Extension
Feb 5	Ritzville Livestock 4-H Meeting	6pm Ritzville Library
Feb 5	Lincoln Co Leaders Council Mtg	5:30pm Lincoln Co. Fairgrounds
Feb 12	East Adams Leaders Council Mtg	5:30pm Adams Co WSU Extension
TBA	Area VI Leaders Council Meeting	TBA
April 13	Lincoln County Spring Showcase: Davenport, WA	Lincoln County Fairgrounds, Davenport
June 29	WA State 4-H Livestock Judging Contest	Grant County Fairgrounds, Moses Lake

**The WSU Horse Course is open to All. February 10th
Anyone that would like to learn more about the equine**

Presented by Washington State University
College of Veterinary Medicine and WSU SCAEP

Horse Course *11th Annual*

February 10th, 2024 8 am - 4 pm



Lecture Topics

- Colic
- Reproductive Techniques
- Foal Assessment
- Acupuncture



Lab Demonstrations

- Endoscopy
- Lameness Locator
- Nutrition & Body Condition Score

\$45 Individual | **\$40** Groups of 10+

If interested in group pricing, please shoot us an email!

Visit the website to purchase tickets or contact us for further information:



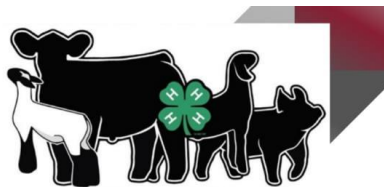
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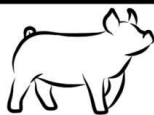


4-H LIVESTOCK CLINIC

SATURDAY FEB 3RD @ 9AM

WSU Spokane County Extension

HOGS



Jolyn & Amelia Ray
Chad Booth

SHEEP



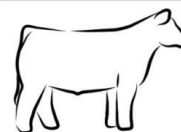
Grace Utecht
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GOATS



Emma Wilson
Cooper Ross

CATTLE



Kenzie Barta
Sharon Hannas

BEGINNER & ADVANCED CLASSES

GET READY FOR THE SHOW RING!

Youth rate \$20 includes lunch

Early sign up due by Jan 29th. Late signs up \$5.00 late fee.

NEW Special Parent Class \$10 includes lunch. Q&A with Jr Livestock Show

President & Country Store Nutritionist.

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<https://extension.wsu.edu/spokane/4h/>



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Lincoln County Spring Showcase is Saturday, April 13th at the Lincoln Co Fairgrounds.

13 DAYS until registration opens for the 2024 Lincoln County Spring Showcase!!

Registration will open February 1st. <https://showman.app/shows/>

For more information about the Lincoln County Spring Showcase go

to <https://extension.wsu.edu/.../4h/lincoln-county-spring-show/>





Tuesday Newsletter



WSU Extension - 4-H Youth Development publishes a weekly newsletter that announces events and news around the state and in the 4-H world.

- WA State 4-H Equine Science and Horsemanship Series Continues!
- Introduction to Raising Rabbits Workshop
- Teen Conference Sponsorship Opportunities

Dear Friends of 4-H,

We are so excited that the Washington State 4-H State Teen Conference is returning in 2024! The event will occur at Washington State University's main campus in Pullman from **June 24-27, 2024**. Over 100 students from across the state will attend, participating in workshops that focus on career exploration, college preparation, and leadership development.

Supporting students as they pursue their passions and interests is critical to the future of Washington's economy, and your organization understands the importance of investing in today's youth. These students will be the ones who drive innovation and make a real difference in the world. The continued success of this conference depends on donations. I invite you to become part of this 4-H conference by supporting today's youth and tomorrow's industry leaders.

Make a check payable to: **WSU Foundation**

On the memo line include **WA 4-H State Teen Convention GF007121**

Mail to: WSU CAHNR's Development
WA 4-H State Teen Convention
PO Box 646228, Pullman, WA 99164-6228

View the 2023 4-H Teen Conference Impact Report [HERE!](#)

Questions? Contact Denise Echelbarger: denise@wsu.edu



My name is Shelah Wetter. I am planning on putting on an endurance ride at the martin road trail head in Sprague, WA on April 20. And I am looking for a group of kids who are interested in making some money. And cleaning up ride camp of horse manure. And hauling it away. It will be 1 to 2 nights of manure only. No shavings, per horse and we always recommend at least a twenty-dollar donation per horse. Let me know if you would be interested or know someone who might.

Our organization usually asks local drill teams 4-h groups or WASET Kids.

BLUE HAVEN STABLE bluehavenstable@yahoo.com



Animal Ownership Dates

Lincoln County Fair

March 1	Market Steer Ownership Date
April 1	Horse Ownership Date
May 1	Breeding Beef
June 1	Market Swine Ownership Date
June 15	Market Sheep Ownership Date
June 25	Dairy Replacement Heifers
July 8	Market Goat Ownership Date
July 30	Poultry Ownership Date
July 30	Rabbit Ownership Date
July 29	4-H Demonstrations, Record Books & Educational Posters

Wheat Land Communities Fair

March 1	Market Steer Ownership Date
April 1	Horse Ownership Certificates
June 1	Market Swine Ownership Date
July 1	Market Sheep Ownership Date
July 1	Market Goats Ownership Date
July 15	Rabbits Ownership Date
July 15	Poultry Ownership Date
Aug 15	Animal Entries, Record Books & Educational Posers DUE

Othello Fair

April 30	Market Steer Ownership Date
May 1	Non-Sale Dairy Ownership Certificates
June 12	Llama Ownership Date
June 15	Market Swine Ownership Date
June 15	Market Sheep Ownership Date
July 8	Market Goat Ownership Date
July 15	Poultry Ownership Date
July 15	Rabbit Ownership Date

Save the Dates



State Hippology and Horse Bowl May 4-5, 2024, Moses Lake

For those who are interested in learning more please contact the Extension Office,
(509) 659-3209 or julie.hartz@wsu.edu



Washington State 4-H Livestock Judging Saturday June 29, 2024, in Moses Lake. Watch for updates





Club Officer Duties & Resources Packets

4-H is so excited to use the GivePulse software program for tracking volunteer hours!

TIPS: The main thing for the leaders to do is to sign up and when they want to report any hours, the word in the system is not hours but **"impact."** They **"add an impact."**

On the initial sign-up page, it immediately asks for a WSU email...this throws everyone off because most of our volunteers do not have a WSU email...however, there is a spot for non-WSU email folks to sign up (just under where it asks for a WSU address). This part is a common spot where people get nervous and freeze up. So, if you can get past that point, then you are good to go. They also need to remember that "impacts" is the term for hours.

Give Pulse

<https://wsu.givepulse.com/group/453279-WSU-Lincoln-Adams-County-4-H-Youth-Development>

Claim your account

- Receive Email from Give Pulse to claim account that has been created for you
- Begin logging "Impact Hours" AKA Volunteer Hours
 - 1) Add Impact
- Enter time and event that took place
 - 2) Register for Programed Event and claim hours

Some of the events have already been logged, ie, monthly Leader's Council Meetings, EYAC, Reoccurring 4-H Club Meeting, etc

4-H Forms & Materials Online

https://extension.wsu.edu/lincoln-adams/4h/forms_publications/

The **4-H Club Officer Packets**

include valuable information for club members as well as club officers.

Club Packets:

President | **Vice President**

| **Secretary** | **Reporter**

| **Treasurer** | **4-H Treasurer's**

Handbook Leader's Guide

Enrollment Help Guides on

our State 4-H Website.

Downloaded **Member**

Resources

Family Enrollment Help Guide

(2021/2022) Updated

09.27.2021)

Glossary of Terms (2020/2021)

Enrollment Process

Video (Updated 09.20.2022)

Frequently Accessed

Information: **4-H Policies and**

Procedures

Manual (2023/2024)



Information for Volunteers and 4-H Club Volunteer Leaders

4-H Online 2.0 Enrollment: Start of the New 4-H Enrollment Year is October 1 thru July 31.

The 4-H year begins October 1 and ends September 30. Youth who have reached their 5th birthday before October 1 of the current 4-H year through youth who have not reached their 19th birthday before October 1 of the current 4-H year are eligible to enroll in a 4-H club. Enroll in 4-H using the <https://4honline.com/> Please use Google Chrome or Firefox Web Browser for the best result.

4-H Volunteers Process:

- **Contact the Extension Office and APPLY**
 - **Lincoln-Adams:**
[Julie Hartz](#) or 509-659-3209 to indicate interest and apply:
[WSU 4-H Volunteer Application – Lincoln-Adams \(PDF\)](#)
(or contact Julie for a hard copy.)
 - [Volunteer application form](#) today.
- **Volunteer Background Check**
Completed a background check with **[Sterling Volunteers](#)**. Please use the Good Deed Code **Crapm4s** if a code is needed.

Once the volunteer background check is cleared then all approved volunteers will need to complete the following trainings:

- **WSU Put the Child First Training Video**

Create an account at **[eXtension Online Campus](#)** to access courses.

Once **[Registered for volunteer courses](#)**, enter Enrollment Key:

WSU Put the Child First – Enrollment Key: **LINCOLN/ADAMS4H**

- Complete the **[Washington 4-H Volunteer Orientation Modules](#)**. Enrollment Key: **LINCOLNADAMS**
- Complete the **[Washington State 4-H Financial Management](#)**. Enrollment Key: **LINCOLNADAMS**

4-H 101 Volunteer Leader Training Part B: Randy Williams, Lincoln/Adams 4-H Program Coordinator will contact volunteer applicants to complete the 4-H Volunteer training.



The WSU List Serve is managed through the Adams County Extension Office. Please Contact the 4-H Extension Program Assistant, Julie, at julie.hartz@wsu.edu to add or delete names from the list serv. 205 W. Main Ave., Ritzville, WA 99169, 659-3209. The FB page for 4-H is [Lincoln/Adams County 4-H](#).