



4-H Friday Update

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Greetings!

This coming Monday evening from 6:30 to 8:00 pm is our 3rd and final Western Region Leader's Forum e-session. We stream it live right here at the WSU Grant-Adams Extension office! Please join us for "Youth Connecting in Your Community". Learn how 4-H members can become involved in their communities, gaining skills to be philanthropists, advocates and leaders. I serve cookies too! ([FLYER](#))

Lauren and I will be attending the Volunteer Leaders' Training in Ritzville tomorrow, Saturday, February 28th from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm at the WSU Adams County Extension office. All Grant County 4-H volunteers are welcome to attend. This is a new leader training that will be required of all new volunteers. If you cannot attend this Saturday, please note that there will be an opportunity to attend a training hosted in Grant County in the near future.

We are looking for Mentors to help youth learn life skills. Please call Lauren or myself if you or someone you know would be interested in supporting youth through a mentorship program. ([FLYER](#))

4-H Rocks!!!

WSU Extension Program Coordinator

4-H Volunteer Leader Training

Lincoln-Adams 4-H Volunteer Leader Training (VLT)
Saturday, February 28, 2015

9 am to 4 pm

Adams Co. WSU Extension Office – Ritzville
205 W Main, Ave, Ritzville, WA 99169

For those who haven't already RSVP'd, please contact Karen Robertson to RSVP at 509-659-3209 or robertk@wsu.edu

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Goat Educational Event — for People, not Goats

The 5th Annual Goat Academy will be held in the Goldendale area in south central WA on May 16. There will be a wide variety of class offerings including basic care, fiber topics, fitting and showing, tattooing, tagging, banding, giving injections, trimming hooves, tube feeding, micro-chipping, FAMACHA, fecal egg counting, genetics, milking, pack goats, cart and harness goats, parasite control, cheese making, nutrition, diseases, record keeping, grazing for profit, and more.

[More Information and Agenda HERE](#)

Goat Academy

Join us for the 5th annual Goat Academy

May 16th, 2015

Goldendale, WA

\$35 each or

\$50/couple

Join the Columbia Basin Goat Guild for its 5th annual Goat Academy, a fun filled day of hands on, educational opportunity. This is designed for anyone who raises or is interested in raising goats. We have classes helpful for meat, dairy, fiber, hobby and working goats. 3 classes going simultaneously all day long. **Light breakfast and lunch included.** Read more on our web site at www.ColumbiaBasinGoatGuild.org and register today and learn about.....

pack goats, nutrition, FEC, FAMACHA, CAE, CL, shearing, carding, spinning, washing, preparing for A.I., Blood draws, milking, management, getting started, choosing the right kind of goats, grazing for hire, record keeping, hoof trimming, tattoo, shots, eat tags, microchips, genetics.....



Vehicles do Look so Much Better with a 4-H License Plate!



WSU Extension 4-H Foundation Board of Trustees has agreed to provide **100% of the proceeds to the county** selling the special 4-H plates between October 17, 2014 and June 30, 2015. Show your 4-H pride while helping to support 4-H in Grant-Adams County. To get your 4-H license plate visit your local Dept. of Licensing or the [DOL website](#):

[More information and FAQs](#)



SE District 4-H Shooting Sports Invitational

Ellensburg, Washington

Recurve & Compound Archery, Air Rifle, .22 Rifle, and Shotgun
Saturday & Sunday March 14-15, 2015
Registration Deadline: Monday, March 9

[Download Information and Registration Here.](#)

Western Region 4-H Leaders Forum

Join us at the Extension Office

e-Session #3: Youth Connecting in Your Community

Monday, March 2, 2015

6:30 – 8:00 pm for

[Learn more about e-Session #3](#)

Mark your Calendar — 4-H Meetings

Grant-Adams Area 4-H Leaders Council meets the **first Monday** of every other month; **7:00 PM**; (alternating between Moses Lake and Othello)

Moses Lake (December, April, August) - Othello meets at Time Out Pizza.
Othello (October, February, June) - Moses Lake meets at the Grant County Fairgrounds Fuller Building.

Grant-Adams 4-H Area Meetings- Area Council meetings are determined by your area.

Area I - Ephrata & Soap Lake
Area II - Quincy/George
Area III - Moses Lake
Area IV - Warden
Area V - Royal City
Area VI - Othello

Grant County 4-H/FFA Livestock Sale Committee meets the third Tuesday of the Month, **February through November, 7:00 PM**, Moses Lake, Grant County Fairgrounds Fuller Building.

Grant-Adams 4-H Horse Leader Committee meets the first Wednesday of each month at 7:00 PM. For meeting location, please call Shannon Purdy, 509-771-3878.

Note: Subject to Change. Watch for any location, date, or time changes in the Friday Update. [Meeting Minutes are Online](#)

Important Dates & Information – [See More Online](#)

Report your Volunteer Hours Monthly: [WSU Volunteer Database](#)

[Taxes – e-postcard is due by May 15th](#) – Annually

[Put the Child First](#) – **Volunteers and Leaders** are required to complete an online presentation called Put the Child First. **This training is mandatory.** To register for “Put the Child First” go to: <http://universalvoltraining.wsu.edu>. Fill in the information requested and press “Submit Request”. You will receive an automatic **Email with log-in information** to view the presentation. Your registration for the training will be kept in the system as proof of your participation. Website: <http://4h.wsu.edu/volntr/elearning.htm>.

General Due Dates for Grant-Adams Area 4-H

December 1 *Enrollments are Due for Existing Clubs

December 1 4-H Club Annual Financial Summary is Due

http://cru.cahe.wsu.edu/CEPublications/C1130E/C1130E_fill.pdf

June 1 *Enrollments are Due for New Clubs

July 15 Pork Quality Assurance Needs to be Completed

August 1 Secretary Books are Due to Extension Office

*Enrollment Forms for Grant and Adams Area: [Enrollment Forms & Packet Information](#)

Annual Animal Ownership Dates for Grant County Fair

January 1 Dairy - Sale Springer & Bred Heifer Certificates are Due

April 1 Horse Ownership Certificates are Due

April 1 Beef Ownership Date(Weigh & Tag Day to be announced)

May 1 All other Dairy Ownership Certificates are Due

May 8 Market Swine Ownership Date

May 12 Llama Ownership Date

May 15 Poultry Ownership Date

May 15 Rabbit Ownership Date

June 8 Market Goat Ownership Date

June 10 Market Sheep Ownership Date

Annual Animal Ownership Dates for Adams County Fair

February 1 Dairy - Sale Springer & Bred Heifer Certificates are Due

April 1 Horse Ownership Certificates are Due

April 30 Beef Ownership Date

May 1 All other Dairy Ownership Certificates are Due

May 15 Poultry Ownership Date

May 15 Rabbit Ownership[Date

June 12 Llama Ownership Date

June 15 Market Swine Ownership Date

June 15 Market Sheep Ownership Date

July 8 Market Goat Ownership Date

NOTE: If you have project animal issues (sickness, won't breed, or death,) please contact the Extension Office. Hardship cases will be considered to allow you to show at fair.



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