COLUSA COUNTY 4-H NEWSLETTER January 2018



Welcome Aubrey!



Hello Colusa County 4-H'ers!

My name is Aubrey Furukawa, your new Colusa County 4-H Program Representative! I will be overseeing the program and helping it grow here in Colusa County. 4-H has been a passion of mine since I joined and I was a very active 4-H member for 6 years. I've held club officer positions, taught my own projects, been a county All-Star, and attended various state leadership conferences. 4-H helped me be the person I am today and I am extremely excited for the opportunity to work with the program again. I am looking forward to meeting every single one of you and so I will start visiting clubs in the month of February. Club leaders and volunteers I would like to say a huge thank you for all of the time and dedication you have put into the program. You are all amazing and we wouldn't be able to do it without you, so Thank You!

Announcements

Happy New Year! 2018 is off to a busy start, this is a little section where I will be discussing the various events coming up and any reminders I have for everyone. Club leaders, please make sure this section is being reviewed before your club meeting so you can also remind your clubs about these events.

Don't forget about our County Presentation Day coming up at the end of the month (Jan 27th)! Entries are now closed and it looks like it's going to be a very fun day. Please let your project leaders/club leaders know if you need any help in preparing your presentations.

I would like to encourage all members to submit articles for our newsletter! We would love to see pictures of your project and hear what you are learning about. Please submit all articles to Jenny by the 25th of the month at jpperry@ucanr.edu.

4-H Valentine Project at Joann's

On February 3rd, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., local 4-H'ers can go to any Joann's store and hand make Valentine cards. Supplies and space will be provided by each store!

What they are asking of us:

- 1. Choose a recipient organization to receive the cards (nursing home, children's hospital, veteran's home, etc.)
- 2. Spread the work to friends, family, and neighbors to join in on February 3rd to make cards.
- 3. Share photos of the event and delivery on social media, and tag California 4-H

This would make an excellent Community Service project to enter in your record book!

