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## THE 4-H WAY

March-April 2018

Siskiyou County 4-H

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### Upcoming Events

#### March

13 Leaders Council Mtg 7pm-4-H Office

20 Mid Year Treasure's Meeting

24 Sectional/Area Presentation Day-  
Lassen College, Susanville

29 How to Get to Auction the Right  
Way (Quality Assurance)-SGF 6pm

#### April

2 County 4-H Scholarship Deadline

#### June

2 State Field Day (State Presentation  
Day, Fashion Revue, Interview Con-  
test and much more)

22-26 California Focus Conference

#### August

8-12 Siskiyou Golden Fair

#### September

6-9 Tulelake Butte Valley Fair

### Treasurer's Mid-Year Meeting

We are over half way through the 4-H year. In an effort to keep the treasurer's records up to date we are hosting a mid-Year review of all club financial information. Treasurer's and the Treasurer Advisor or Community Club Leader are asked to attend this meeting on Tuesday, March 20th at 6pm. The meeting will be held at the 4-H Office. Please make every effort to have your clubs financial records in order and up-to-date.

### State Record Book Contest

Siskiyou county had three youth who participated in the State 4-H Record Book Competition. Congratulations to Emily Jackson (State Winner), Lindsay Jackson (Medalist) and Blakeley Hittson (Medalist). Great Job!

### 4-H Scholarship

The **Siskiyou County 4-H Leader's Council** is offering three educational scholarships for members who will be graduating during the current school year from a public, private or home school in Siskiyou County. Applicants must be a current Siskiyou County 4-H member with at least 3 years in the program and must have plans to continue their education either at a college or vocational/trade school. Application deadline is **April 2nd**. All eligible members will received an application via email.

### Siskiyou Golden Fair-Quality Assurance

On March 29<sup>th</sup> Siskiyou Golden Fair junior livestock exhibitors have the opportunity to gain needed knowledge and information about getting market animals to the annual junior livestock auction using industry approved practices.

The Siskiyou Golden Fair will present "How to Get to Auction--the Right Way". This program will include a presentation from award winning livestock judge and Feed representative Frank Ward and new information for the 2018 fair. This seminar will count as quality assurance training for all junior livestock exhibitors that attend. The information presented will be beneficial for parents and leaders as well as the junior exhibitors.

"We are very excited to bring this program to our junior livestock exhibitors again this year," said fair CEO Cliff Munson. "There is so much to learn about the proper way to raise and care for project animals and we want to help the junior exhibitors as much as possible." The program is scheduled for Thursday, March 29<sup>th</sup>, starting at 6:00 pm in Winema Hall at the fairground.

Junior livestock exhibitors who are taking animals to the 2018 fair will need to take **quality assurance training** if they have not taken it before. **Exhibitors ages 9-11 must take the training every year and those ages 12 and above must take it every third year. (\*Note these are new requirements)** If you are not sure if you need the training in 2018 please call the fair office at 842-2767 to double check. All new junior livestock exhibitors must take the training this year.

The 2018 Siskiyou Golden Fair "THE HEART OF SISKIYOU" will run August 8-12 in Yreka.

## Siskiyou County 4-H Field Day

Thank you Etna 4-H for hosting the 2018 County 4-H Field Day. We have a total eleven presentations that have qualified to attend area/sectional presentation day in Susanville on March 24th. We also have three youth who have qualified to represent Siskiyou County in the State Fashion Revue. Great Job!

### Presentation Day Entries:

#### Interpretive Readings

Hailee Luiz-Big Springs-Primary Participant  
Dylan Hanna-Etna-Gold

#### Illustrated Talk

Callahan Zediker-Big Springs-Red

#### Demonstration

Macey McNames-Etna-Gold

#### Share the Fun

Dorris 4-H Club-White

#### Educational Displays

Delaney Davidson-Etna-Gold  
Collin Jenner-Etna-Gold  
Elizabeth Yokel-Etna-Blue  
Jane Thackeray-Etna-Gold  
Mark Jenner-Etna-Gold  
Ethan Knechtle-Etna-Blue  
Felix deVillegas-Etna-Blue  
Dani Miller-Etna-Gold  
Cody Davidson-Etna-Red  
Annabelle Yokel-Etna-Gold



### Fashion Revue Entries:

#### Traditional Category

Hailee Luiz- Big Springs -Primary Participant  
Yulianna Valdez-Big Springs -Blue  
Sierra Kinsey-Big Springss -Red  
Jimena Ceballos-Big Springs-Gold  
Callahan Zediker-Big Springs-Medalist  
Quiana Cundall-Butte Valley-County Winner

#### See It, Sew It Challenge

Madysson Cervelli-Big Springs-Medalist

#### Consumer Science Purchased \$40 Challenge

Hailee Luiz-Big Springs-Primary Participant  
Callahan Zediker-Big Springs-County Winner

#### Retro/Vintage Inspired Challenge

Callahan Zediker-Big Springs-County Winner



## State 4-H Updates

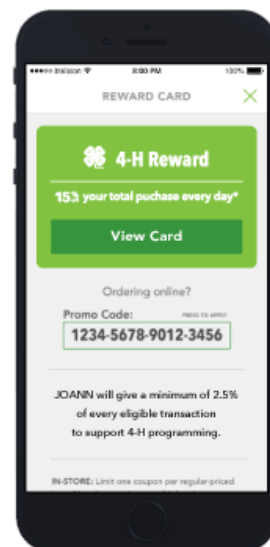
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**Save the Date!! The 2018 California State 4-H Field Day** will be held on Saturday, June 2, 2018 at UC Davis.

This is largest and most comprehensive educational event for 4-H youth members (age 9-19) and 4-H volunteer educators, California State 4-H Field Day has more than 1,500 participants annually. Since 2002,

4-H'ers from throughout the state have come together to connect and compete in this statewide event, held annually on the campus of the University of California, Davis. The goal of the event is to provide a culminating experience for 4-H members in their year-long 4-H education in public speaking, textiles, plant sciences, photography, interview skills, and entomology. Please stay tuned for more information!



### 4-H Animal Science IS STEM Education



#### Science

4-H members involved in Animal Science projects learn about the anatomy and physiology of their animals. They also work with their veterinarians to help ensure that their animals are receiving adequate care and nutrition.



#### Technology

4-H members utilize technology to ensure that their animals are healthy and comfortable. For example, 4-H members learn about and may even utilize artificial insemination in some of their breeding projects to minimize the risk of animal injury and the spread of disease which may result from natural breeding.



#### Engineering

4-H members understand the importance of practicing good animal welfare practices and work to build and engineer animal facilities that provide a safe, desirable, efficient, and environmentally friendly space for their animal to live and grow.



#### Mathematics

4-H members utilize mathematics on a daily basis to raise their animals. 4-H members learn to create budgets for their animal projects and work to keep accurate records to document their income and expenses.



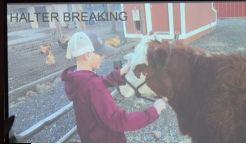
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# 4-H Happenings



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