

4-H Spirit



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Mariposa County 4-H Youth Development Newsletter

March & April 2019

Regional Presentation Day APRIL 13 in MARIPOSA County

Mariposa County 4-H will be hosting the Region Presentation Day Saturday, April 13, 2019 at Mariposa High School. Gold Medal winners from Madera, Merced, Mariposa, Stanislaus, San Joaquin and other counties will be giving their presentations. Presenters must register on-line at <http://ucanr.edu/survey/survey.cfm?surveynumber=26686> by March 29, 2019.

We are looking for judges (must have judging experience), tally crew, & room monitors (7th grade and above). For judges, room monitors, and helpers register on-line at <http://ucanr.edu/survey/survey.cfm?surveynumber=26687> by March 29, 2019.

If you would like to help with planning contact the 4-H office at 966-2417. The First planning meeting is March 6th at 5:30 pm at the 4-H Office.

Introducing Mariposa County's 2018-19 County Ambassadors

Michael and Elizabeth Matheson are the newest 4-H County Ambassadors. They have been in 4-H for 5 years. Michael is the past President for the Clover Pioneer 4-H Club, and Elizabeth is the current President. Various projects that both Michael and Elizabeth have been in are Hi 4-H, Citizenship, Public Speaking, Horse, Jr. Master Gardeners, Pottery, and more. Michael is also a Teen Leader.



Raegan Broomfield is currently the President of the Triangle 4-H Club. She has been in 4-H for 11 years and is in her 3rd year as ambassador (All-Star). Various projects she has been in are Hi 4-H, Rocketry, Archery, Cloverbuds, Cake Decorating, Guide Dogs, Jewelry, & Vegetable Gardening. Raegan is also a Camp Tweety Teen Counselor, and a Teen Leader.



If you would like them to speak at your club meetings call the office at 209-966-2417 to coordinate the time and date.

Prices for 4-H Supplies

Hat	\$24.00
Tie	\$14.50
Scarf	\$16.50
Scarf kit	\$9.00
Chevron	\$2.00
Binder	\$5.00
Gate Sign	\$10.00

Make checks payable to :
Mariposa County 4-H Council



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4-H COUNCIL, CLUB & PROJECT NEWS

4-H Kid's Night

Friday, March 15, 2019 from 5:50 pm to 9:30 pm

Triangle 4-H Club is inviting K-6th grade 4-H members to Kid's Night! We'll have dinner, play games, have crafts, then settle down for a movie. Movie is "Little Foot".

When & Where: Friday, March 15th, 5:30 pm - 8:00 pm (Dinner, crafts, games) at Grace Church off Woodland Dr.

Approximate Movie Time: 8:00 pm - 9:30 pm

Cost is Free!

[Click here to register on-line](#) or pick up a registration form at the office. **Register by Tuesday, March 13.**

Invite a friend, non-4-Hers need their parent or guardian must sign a Waiver Form. [Waiver Forms are available on-line](#), at the 4-H office, or that night at the party (but it must be signed by their parent or guardian).

Thank You for Helping at Breakfast

Thank you to all the 4-H members, leaders, and parents who helped at the Valentine Pancake Breakfast. The proceeds will help with the upcoming 4-H activities/events, scholarships, and help send our leaders and leadership teams to camps and conferences.

If you still have any pancake breakfast tickets and/or money to turn in, please bring it to the UCCE office ASAP so our council treasurer can deposit it.

Thanks again!

COUNTY 4-H FASHION REVUE AND STYLE SHOW

Mariposa County 4-H Fashion Revue and Style Show is tentatively slated for Saturday, April 27 location to be announced. Entries will be available at the office and on-line in early April and due into office by April 19.

Fashion Revue is an event for our 4-H members in the sewing project. They model their garments in front of judges and are interviewed. The top county winner(s) have the opportunity to attend the State 4-H Fashion Revue June 2, 2018 at UC Davis. Categories this year are Traditional, Upcycled, Consumer Science \$40 challenge, Stripe/Print/Plaid Challenge, and Knit Challenge. **The Consumer Science \$40 challenge and Knit Challenge are opened to all 4-H members, no sewing requirement needed.**




The Style Show portion of this event is where all of our 4-H members, both boys & girls, can model a purchased, borrowed, or home-sewn selection. They are also judged but not interviewed. We would like to see many of our 4-Hers enter this event.

For more information on the various categories and the State 4-H Fashion Revue go to:

http://4h.ucanr.edu/4-H_Events/SFD/SFR/



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
 <h1>MARCH 2019</h1>					3/1	3/2
3/3	3/4 Council Meeting 6:00 PM	3/5	3/6	3/7	3/8	3/9
3/10 Club Meetings Hornitos Shooting Sports Winton	3/11 Club Meetings Don Pedro Catheys Valley	3/12 Club Meetings Bootjack 49ers	3/13	3/14 Club Meetings Triangle	3/15 Kids Night	3/16 Don Pedro Rattlers Corn Beef & Cabbage Dinner & Silent Auction
3/17  Hi 4-H project	3/18	3/19	3/20	3/21 Club Meetings Clover Pioneers	3/22	3/23
3/24	3/25	3/26	3/27	3/28	3/29	3/30
3/31						

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
IMPORTANT Jr Livestock/Small Animal Day: Date TBD	4/1 Council Meeting 6:00 PM	4/2	4/3	4/4	4/5	4/6
4/7	4/8 Club Meetings Don Pedro Catheys Valley	4/9 Club Meetings Bootjack 49ers	4/10	4/11 Club Meetings Triangle	4/12	4/13 Regional Presentation Day
4/14 Club Meetings Hornitos Shooting Sports Winton	4/15	4/16	4/17	4/18 Club Meetings Clover Pioneers	4/19	4/20
4/21 Easter Sunday 	4/22	4/23	4/24	4/25	4/26	4/27 Fashion Revue
MCUSD Easter Break						
4/28 Citizenship Bike-A- Thon Hornitos	4/29	4/30	 <h1>April 2019</h1> 			

8th Annual
**Multiple Sclerosis
MS Bike Ten Miles**

Sunday, April 28, 2019



Walkers and runners welcome! Register with your pledges at 9:00 am at Hornitos Park. The ride begins at 10:00 am at Hornitos Park and travels down Hornitos Road to Indian Gulch Road then back to the finish line at the Hornitos Park where a barbecue and awards await.

**ALL PROCEEDS WILL BE DONATED TO THE MS SOCIETY
FOR MORE INFORMATION OR A PLEDGE FORM CALL
209-382-7062**

Sponsored by the 4-H Citizenship Project



Don Pedro Rattlers 4-H Club

Lucky Clover Trail Ride

&

Corned Beef & Cabbage Dinner

Saturday March 16, 2019

Ride Sign In @ 11am (ride out @ 11:30am)

Ride will start from the horse park on El Prado Rd –

behind Don Pedro High School - 3090 Merced Falls Rd La Grange
(riders under 18 must wear a helmet)

Ride Cost: \$25.00 (includes ride, prizes and dinner)

Dinner: 3:30-6:00pm

@ Lake Don Pedro Elementary School

Dinner Cost: \$10.00 (Corned beef, cabbage, baked potato,
green salad, roll, & dessert) or \$5.00 (Beef hotdog, chips & dessert)

Silent Auction (3:00-5:30pm) during dinner

Contact Jennifer @ 277-5342 for dinner information and tickets

Jamie Bertram @ 852-9706 for ride information

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STATE 4-H NEWS



State 4-H Shooting Sports Leader Meeting April 6 & 7, 2019 Winton, CA

The bi-annual State 4-H Shooting Sports Leader Meeting will be held at the Safety First Shooting Association in Merced County (use this link for directions <http://safetyfirstshooting.net/html/directions.html>). 4-H shooting sports leaders, teen leaders, county coordinators, and anyone interested are encouraged to attend this event. A variety of topics will be covered to include policies, program opportunities, information sharing and hands-on discipline events. Use this link to register: <https://ucanr.edu/survey/survey.cfm?surveynumber=26389>

Announcing 2019 State 4-H Fashion Revue: "Fashion My Way"

Date & Location: Saturday, June 1, 2019 at Olson Hall, UC Davis

Registration: by online survey only, opening March 15. Entry deadline is May 15, 5:00 PM.



State 4-H Fashion Revue is one of many activities that take place as part of the overall [California 4-H State Field Day](#) at UC Davis. #Ca4HStateFieldDay

Youth Co-Chairs: Jessica McCauley (Contra Costa County) and Abby Milanesa (Monterey County)

Categories: Traditional (unchanged from 2018), Consumer Science Purchased \$40 limit (unchanged from 2018) and 3 new challenges - The Box Challenge, Make It Mine Challenge, and Retro/Historical Challenge. The Upcycled category will not be offered at 2019 SFR, due to limited interest. As always, this category and others may be included in county fashion revues, but entries do not advance to SFR. See below for more information.

2019 State Fashion Review Service Projects

Project using sewing, for Alzheimer's patients: [Fidget Mats SFR 2019](#)

Host a Service Project sewing event: [Fidget Mats group project](#)

Contact Mary with questions, maryengebreth@comcast.net

No Sew project for animal shelters: [Pet Play Toys SFR 2019](#)

Contact Stacey with questions, milanesafamily@aol.com

[2019 SFR brochure](#)

2019 California 4-H State Leadership Conference

Thursday-Sunday, July 18-21
UC Davis Campus

Teens 13-19-years-old! Are you interested in a memorable learning experience that will:

- Improve your personal leadership skills to benefit your county 4-H program.
- Advance your college and career readiness.
- Expand your network with 4-H members, volunteers, and staff outside of your county.

Plan to join the fun at the annual California 4-H State Leadership Conference and meet youth from across California for leadership training, and networking!

If you are not currently enrolled in 4-H, please contact [Jenna Colburn](#).

Attention 4-H Leaders

To avoid conflicts between project meetings, club meetings, and county 4-H events, let the UCCE office know so we can put the dates in the Spirit or on the website.

If you want to use the 4-H Conference room for your project meeting, please call the office (209-966-2417) in advance to reserve the room and remember to check out the key.

The University of California does not offer liability insurance to 4-H volunteer leaders for use of their homes for 4-H project meetings. Please make sure you have adequate liability insurance on your home owners policies. It is better to be safe, than sorry.

For more details go to <http://ucanr.edu/sites/risk/Insurance/>

4-H Council Scholarships Available for Graduating Seniors

Applications are now available for the Mariposa County 4-H Council scholarships. Scholarships available for current 4-H members in good standing.

The following are due in the UCCE office by:

**Applications, transcript, & reference letters due–
April 5, 2019 by 5:00p.m.**

Interviews tentatively– April 14, 2019

Announcements by May 1

**Visit- <http://cemariposa.ucanr.edu/files/279086.pdf>
or in the office.**

State 4-H Scholarships

**Applications for 2019 will be available sometime in
April or May and due by first part of August.**

**Visit [http://4h.ucanr.edu/Resources/Members/
Scholarships_-_Awards/Scholarships_-_Awards/](http://4h.ucanr.edu/Resources/Members/Scholarships_-_Awards/Scholarships_-_Awards/)**



PDR Corner

If you participated in following events, be sure to count them on your Personal Development Report (PDR).

There is NO double counting in sections.

Central Valley Summit

Attended	Sec. 3
Planned session	Sec. 4
Taught LCORT session	Sec. 6

Winter Fun Day-Ice Skating

Attended	Sec. 3
Committee member	Sec. 4

Pancake Breakfast-

Served/rolled silverware/set-up/clean-up	Sec. 4
Committee member	Sec. 4
Attended	Sec. 3
Sold tickets to others than immediate family	Sec. 4

Judging Day-

Participated	Sec. 2
Medalist	Sec. 7
High Point Winner	Sec. 7
Committee chair	Sec. 4
Committee member	Sec. 4

Presentation Day–

Attended in 4-H uniform	Sec. 3
Attended-participant	Sec. 6
Medalist– Gold	Sec. 7
Committee member	Sec. 4
Judges' Award	Sec. 7
Room Monitor	Sec. 4
Command Performance	Sec. 6

Kid's Night–

Chair/committee member	Sec. 4
Attended	Sec. 3
Decorated/clean-up	Sec. 4

Regional Presentation Day-

Attended in 4-H uniform	Sec. 3
Attended-participant	Sec. 6
Medalist– Gold	Sec. 7
Room Monitor	Sec. 4
Command Performance	Sec. 6

Camp Tweety-

Teen Counselor	Sec. 4
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Jr/Teen Leader Workshop–

Attended	Sec. 3
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News Articles-

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4-H Camp Tweety June 29-July 1, 2019

Camp Tweety is just around the corner and the early bird special is April 26. Cost for 4-Hers \$140 and non-4-Hers \$165. After this date cost will be \$160 for members and \$190 for non-members.

Beth Broomfield, Camp Director, and Cathie Kirk, our nurse. Activities are canoeing, paddleboards, archery, BB guns, swimming and more.

Camp will be held at Camp Sugar Pine for 2 nights and 3 days. Registration forms are now available at the office or on-line at http://cemariposa.ucanr.edu/4-H_Program/Camp_Tweety/ Make checks payable to 'UC Regents', cash, or pay by credit card at <http://ucanr.edu/survey/survey.cfm?surveynumber=26391>. Payment arrangements will be taken but the camp fee must be paid by May 24th or sooner.

Bring a friend to camp!



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<http://cemariposa.ucanr.edu>

4-H State website:

<http://ca4h.org>

Donna Wice
4-H Coordinator

March Important Dates	
4	4-H Council meeting - 6:00 pm
10	Hornitos 4-H Club meeting – 4:00 pm
11	Don Pedro 4-H Club Meeting - 6:30 pm
	Catheys Valley 4-H Club Meeting - 6:00 pm
12	Bootjack 4-H Club Meeting - 6:30 pm
14	Triangle 4-H Club Meeting – 6:00 pm
15	4-H Kid's Night – 5:30 pm
16	Don Pedro Rattlers fundraiser-LDES
21	Clover Pioneers 4-H Club meeting- 6:00 pm
29	Last Day to register for Regional Pres. Day
April	
1	4-H Council– 6:00 pm
13	Regional Presentation Day–Mariposa
27	Fashion Revue/Style Show
28	MS Bike-A-Thon Hornitos

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