

4-H News



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Missoula County 4-H website: <http://missoulaeduplace.org/4H.shtml>

Camps

4-H Multi County Camp

June 23 - June 26 at Loon Lake by Bigfork

Fee: \$65.00 by June 4

Information/registration can be found: http://missoulaeduplace.org/4H_forms.shtml

The Missoula County delegation of junior counselors and counselors-in-training are:

Jake McLaverty, JC

Sam Zeiser, JC

Brittany Graf, JC

Sherry Walters, JC

Cameron Rys-Sikora, CIT

Mariah Rys-Sikora, Lifeguard

Isaac Hunter, JC

Sarah Bush, JC

Kylie Tromp, JC

Garett Hueffed, CIT

Keegan Wickman, CIT



2007 Multi County Camp



2007 Multi County Camp

4-H Cloverbud Camp, ages 5-8, June 14-15, 4-H Camp @ Loon Lake near Bigfork
Camper must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. Camp is sponsored by Sanders County Extension Office. Fee: \$55 for one youth camper and one adult, add \$25 for each additional youth or adult. See website http://missoulaeduplace.org/4H_forms.shtml for registration which is due **June 3**, or call for a copy to be mailed to you.

Other Camps . . .

Montana Range Days, Conrad, MT, June 16-18

Fee: Individual - \$30.00 prior to June 1; \$35.00 after June 1

Family - \$80.00 prior to June 1; \$85.00 after June 1

Camping is available at the middle school with restroom and shower facilities, or make a reservation at a local motel.

For more information, (406) 278-7611, ext 101 or www.montanarangedays.com

Montana Natural Resources Youth Camp, Lubrecht Experimental Forest, July 20-25

Fee: \$175; apply by May 26 (sponsorships are often available for part of camp fees)

<http://www.forestry.umt.edu/hosting/extensionforestry/> or
www.dnrc.mt.gov/cardd/camps/nrc/default.asp

New Fair Award Donors

New Fair Award Donors: Ankle & Foot Care Clinic, Dr. Flynn Sherick;
Donald O. Nordstrom; D.D.S.; Dave Laursen Insurance; Details Hair Design,
Sandra Morris & Dana Johnson; John & Kristi Forsberg; Jared R. Little, D.D.S.;
Joyce & Bob Schroeder; Bounty Real Estate; Great White Carpet Cleaning Service;
Jane & Garon Smith; Missoula Federal Credit Union; Joe, Marc & Paul Terrazas;
Thomas Farago, D.D.S.; Mother Goose Miniature Horses & Tack.

We still need a sponsor for the Junior Llama Showmanship lawn chair award!

Livestock & Small Animals

Market lambs must be born after February 1, 2008.

Lamb Weigh In: Thursday, May 15, 5:30 - 8:00 pm, Ag Education Center

Livestock Judging Results: We had a great turnout for the Spring 4-H Livestock Judging Invitational. Thanks to Steve Vernier and the FFA Members for helping out, and for allowing us to have the contest at the Ag Education Center. Thank you **Larry Henderson** and the 4-H Livestock Committee for organizing and running the event. A total of 53 participants from Lake, Ravalli and Missoula County and Missoula FFA participated. Below are the results for Missoula County 4-H Members:

Team Awards

- 3rd Place Novice:** Blue Mountain (**Seth Foster, Brady Cather, Kiersten Lind, Cheyenne Taylor**)
- 4th Place Novice:** Rocky Mountain Packers (**Kallie Elliott, Ambria Elliott, Ryan Handley, Jacob Moran**)
- 5th Place Novice:** Bear Creek Buckaroos (**Shea Miller, Dax Miller, Natalie Arnott**)
- 6th Place Novice:** Western Montana Mixed team (with **Devin Randall** and **Tina Pienbert** from Missoula)
- 1st Place Senior:** Rocky Mountain Packers (**Sam Zeiser, Roy Handley**)
- 2nd Place Senior:** Bear Creek Buckaroos (**Tyler Marr, Abby Mytty, Kirby Everson, Elizabeth Montgomery**)

Livestock Judging Individual Awards

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| 2nd Place Novice: Kiersten Lind | 1st Place Senior: Roy Handley |
| 4th Place Novice: Natalie Arnott | 3rd Place Senior: Sam Zeiser |
| 5th Place Novice: Ryan Handley | 4th Place Senior: Tyler Marr |
| 6th Place Novice: Ambria Elliott | 5th Place Senior: Kirby Everson |
| | 6th Place Senior: Abby Mytty |

Showmanship Contests @ Fair

4-H members need to study and learn many different topics related to raising their particular species. *4-H members must expect to be asked questions during the Showmanship Contest.*

Horse

Horse Fairbook Information has been mailed to all 4-H horse project members. If you did not receive this information, please contact Colleen. The patterns for this year's fair can be found on the website: http://missoulaeduplace.org/4H_committees_horse.shtml

We need your help! **Equestrian Park Work Day, Saturday, May 31, 8:00 am**

We need to rebuild the 4-H Arena. For details or questions, contact Missy Miller, 240-3450.

MSU Youth Horsemanship School, June 23-27, Bozeman

Cost: \$300/student, includes instruction, lodging, meals & stalls

Registration deadline is **May 31**

Students spend the majority of their time in riding sessions (two per day) that are supported by educational workshops and demonstrations during non-riding times. You may find the registration on our website or call and I will mail you a copy.

4-H Ambassadors

Ambassador interviews have taken place. The 2008-2009 Ambassadors are:

Sam Zeiser, Senior Ambassador
Kylie Tromp, Junior Ambassador
Jake McLaverty, Ambassador Prospect



Sam Zeiser @ Beef Weigh In

Special thanks to our outgoing Ambassadors: **Mariah Rys-Sikora** and **Sara Bush!**

Senior Members: Do You Want to Attend State 4-H Congress?

July 8-11, MSU Bozeman Campus

While many Missoula 4-Hers earn a trip to 4-H Congress through competitions (Demonstration, Illustrated Talk, Public Speaking, Quilt Review, Horse Judging, Livestock Judging, etc.), *you don't have to win a contest or compete at Congress in order to attend Congress.* Any 4-H member who was 14 or older on October 1st, 2007, can attend Congress in 2008. The **cost** is **\$195**, and includes lodging and meals while at Congress. You can find the Registration Form, a Media Release, Health Form and Code of Conduct on the website:

http://missoulaeduplace.org/4H_forms.shtml Campbell must receive your paperwork by Friday, June 6. Contact Campbell with questions, 258-4203. *There will be a 4-H Congress Orientation meeting on June 30 at 6:00 pm.*



Lisa Henderson @ Hog Weigh In



Secora Richardson @ Horse Clinic



Julia Hudson @ Horse Clinic

General Information



2008 4-H CAFE SCHEDULE — *Mark your calendar for your café shift*

Sunday, August 3

Interview Judging Day

1:00 pm – 5:00 pm Petty Mountain Trackers

Monday, August 4

No café shifts

Tuesday, August 5

10:45 am – 4:00 pm Rocky Mountain Packers
3:45 pm - 9:30 pm Bear Creek Buckaroos

Wednesday, August 6

6:15 am -11:00 am Missoula Meadowlarks
10:45 am - 4:00 pm Potomac Valley
3:45 pm - 9:30 pm Frenchtown Valley

Thursday, August 7

6:15 am - 11:00 am Blue Mountain
10:45 am - 4:00 pm Clinton Kodiaks
3:45 pm - 9:30 pm Seeley Lake Trailblazers

Friday, August 8

6:30 am -11:00 am Garden City Sowers
10:45 am - 4:00 pm Jocko Rangers
3:45 pm -9:30 pm Mullan Trail Mustangs

Saturday, August 9

7:00 am Breakfast sponsored by Cenex for 4-H families & livestock animal buyers

7:30 am -11:00 am **** 4-H Alumni café shift ****
10:45 am - 4:00 pm Nu Hope
3:45 pm - 9:30 pm Swan Valley Whippersnappers

Sunday, August 10

7:30 am - 1:00 pm Lolo New Kidz
12:45 pm -6:00 pm Lolo Creek
5:45 am -8:00 pm Winchester Dukes

**** If you know of 4-H Alumni we should contact regarding the alumni café shift, please call 258-4201 with the information.



Drama Festival Results . . .

Jack, the Beanstalk & the Chicken by Rocky Mountain Packers 4-H Club

Blue Ribbon

Club Awards:

Enthusiasm, Costuming/Make-up, Special Effects (beanstalk)

Actor: **Sam Zeiser**

Actress: **Katrina Leischner**

Supporting Actress: **Sarah Bush**

Supporting Actor: **Jacob Moran**

Costume (chicken): **Stevie Gaudreau**



Sarah Bush & Kylie Tromp
@ Drama Festival



Stevie Gaudreau
@ Drama Festival

Big Bad by Potomac Valley 4-H Club

Blue Ribbon

Club Awards:

Enthusiasm, Costuming/Make-up, Special Effects/Use of Stage

Actor: **Ethan Cheff**

Actresses (tie): **Hannah Cook & Taylor Copp**

Supporting Actress: **Melody McDaniel**

Ensemble (Courtroom Crew): **Rachael Cheff, Hannah Cook, Melody McDaniel, Taylor Copp**

Ensemble (Three Little Pigs): **Kaila Olson, Julia Hudson, Kayley Olean**

Ensemble (The Hoods): **Brianna Pfister & Taylor Pfister**



Hope Cheff @ Drama Festival



Melody McDaniel &
Taylor Pfister @ Drama Festival

Mere Mirror by Nu Hope 4-H Club

Red Ribbon

Club Awards:

Set Design

Costume (FBI Agent Charming & Voice of Mirror): **Garett Hueffed**

Ensemble (FBI Agents): **Garett Hueffed & Moran Landais**

The Servant of Two Masters by Missoula Meadowlarks 4-H Club

Red Ribbon

Club Awards:

Enthusiasm & Selection of Challenging Material

Actor: **J.J.Licitra**

Actress: **Sadie Reh**

Supporting Actress: **Kristina Hoffman**



Overall Outstanding Drama Festival Awards

Play: **Big Bad** by Potomac Valley 4-H Club

Actors (tie): **Sam Zeiser & J.J. Licitra**

Actress: **Sadie Reh**

Supporting Actor: **Jacob Moran**

Supporting Actress: **Melody McDaniel**

Ensemble (Three Little Pigs): **Kaila Olson, Julie Hudson, Kayley Olean**

Dual Acting Performance: **Garett Hueffed**

Director: **Tana Thurston (Big Bad by Potomac Valley)**

Set Design: **Big Bad (Potomac Valley)**

Costumes: **Big Bad (Potomac Valley)**

Special Effects: **Jack, the Beanstalk & the Chicken** by Rocky Mtn Packers

Most Challenging Material: **The Servant of Two Masters** by Msla Meadowlarks



4-H Demonstration Day Results

Speech

Geoffrey Glidewell - Senior - Blue/Purple

Kyle Doyle - Senior - Blue

Anthony Licitra - Senior - Red

Demonstration

Roy Handley - Senior - Blue/Purple

Robbyn Rae Williams - Junior - Blue

Ryan Handley - Junior - Blue

Alecia Williams - Junior - Red



Illustrated Talk

Sam Zeiser - Senior - Blue

Melody McDaniel - Junior, Blue



Want to learn how to make a pie?

Apple pie, cherry pie, blueberry pie, peach pie...what's your favorite?

Get ready for the fair by attending a **Fruit Pie Workshop** at the County

Extension Office on **Tuesday, June 17, 10 am to 12:00 pm**. All you have to bring is enough fruit filling for one pie and a pie pan so you can take it home.

We will supply the rest. Class is limited to **4** people, so sign up early by calling Kathy Revello at 258-4206.



4-H Phon-a-Thon . . .

Thank you Lori & Sam Zeiser, Sally Tromp, Austin Patterson, Jacob Moran, Max & Maria TeSoro, Elizabeth Montgomery, Hailey Hagen, Morgan & Dylan Landais, and Charisa Ireland for your efforts in making phone calls to potential 4-H supporters. These 4-H Members helped raise more than \$3000! Half of the money will be donated to the Montana 4-H Foundation, and the other half will be used by the members to fund their 4-H events and activities in the next year.

For Sale or Give Away

Suffolk Ram for Sale: 3 year old, 5 time grand champion club ram.
Call Marr Suffolks, 273-7043.

Horse to give away: 26 year old AQHA Bay gelding; up-to-date on all shots, worming and hoof trimming; great pasture companion; possible light riding; very sociable — gets along with other horses; easy to catch, shoe, and trailer. TO APPROVED HOME ONLY. Contact Pat at 273-2265 or 721-5857.

Horse for Sale: Great kid's horse. Gentle, shoes easily, receives shots easily, trail rider, has done endurance, easy keep, 24 year old Arabian mare, \$800/obo. 258-6679.

Bunnies for sale: Netherland Dwarf bunnies, great 4-H project rabbits. Call for more information: 244-0993.

May 2008

14	State 4-H Horse Show meeting	6:00 pm
14	Regular Horse Committee meeting	7:00 pm
15	Lamb Weigh In, Ag Education Center	5:30-8:00 pm
21	Country Fair Committee meeting	6:00 pm
21	Livestock Committee meeting	7:30 pm
23-30	Colleen out of office	
31	Equestrian Park Work Day	8:00 am

June 2008

3	District 1 Cloverbud camp registrations due	
4	Multi-County 4-H Camps registrations due in Msla office	
12-17	Campbell out of office	
14-15	District 1 Cloverbud Camp @ Loon Lake	
17	Fruit Pie Workshop, Extension Office	10 am - noon
23-26	Multi-County 4-H Camp @ Loon Lake	
23-27	MSU Youth Horsemanship School, Bozeman	
2-30	Call office & schedule fair interviews	
30	Fair entry form deadline	
30	4-H Congress Orientation	6:00 pm

July 2008

8-11	State 4-H Congress, Bozeman	
10-16	Colleen out of office	
26 & 27	Fair Horse Show, Fairgrounds	
31	Shooting Sports Exhibition, Fairgrounds	

August 2008

2	Fair Dog Show	
3	Fair Interview Judging, Fairgrounds	1:00 pm
4	4-H Goats arrive on Fairgrounds	2:00-6:00 pm
4	Deadline: Poultry & Rabbits in Barn on Fairgrounds	8:00 pm
5	4-H Goat judging	8:00 am
5	Llamas arrive on Fairgrounds	8:00-10:00 am
5	Poultry & Rabbit judging	9:00 am
5	All 4-H/FFA livestock required to arrive on Fairgrounds	4:00-9:00 pm
6	Dairy judging	9:30 pm
6	Livestock Exhibitor Meeting (brief)	10:00 am
6	Breeding sheep judging	11:00 am
6	Breeding beef judging	2:00 pm
7	Market hog judging	7:30 am
7	Market lamb judging	1:00 pm
7	Market beef judging	5:30 pm
8	Hog showmanship	7:30 am
8	Sheep showmanship	1:00 pm
8	Beef showmanship	6:00 pm
9	Livestock Sale	8:00 am
9	Round Robin judging	4:00 pm