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4-H NEWSLETTER

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Beaver County OSU Extension 4-H Group **<u>Citizenship Washington Focus</u>** is a 4-H leadership program for high school youth held June 15-24, 2023. The program is aimed at enriching young people's lives by broadening their appreciation and respect for themselves and others in the world.

To be eligible to attend Citizenship Washington Focus, youth must be at least 15 years of age by June 1, 2023. Youth must have an ACTIVE status in online 4-H enrollment system. Youth who are graduating in 2023 may attend CWF in 2023.

Transmittal forms and total payment are **due** to the State 4-H office by *February 21, 2023*. Cost for the 10 day program is \$2,500 per delegate.

Payment for delegate must be received with transmittal form by deadline above to be considered a registered delegate. There are 49 delegate spots available. The registered and paid delegates will be placed in spots on a first come and paid basis. After the February 21, 2023 deadline, if there are unfilled spots available, alternates will be listed by age and birthdate and spots will be filled oldest to youngest.

BEAVER COUNTY UPCOMING EVENTS / CONTESTS

Beaver Local Livestock Show was Saturday, February 4, 2023 at Noon at Beaver County Fairgrounds, Brady Arena.

Balko Local Livestock Show is Saturday, February 11, 2023 at 11am at the Balko Bus Barn. Beaver County Junior Livestock Show is Monday, February 13, 2023 at the Beaver County Fairgrounds Brady Arena. Judging starts at 8am.

Impressive Dress and Fashion Revue Contest is March 21, 2023 at the Beaver County Fairgrounds. Please register at the Extension Office by March 16th. See page 3 for details.

<u>Speech Contest</u> is April 13, 2023 at the Beaver Co. Fairgrounds. Please register with the Extension Office before April 10th.

SAVE THE DATE: Spring Trap Shoot—OPSU—April 29, 2023. Be sure you have completed your 8 hours of certification and have given the Extension Office a copy of your Hunter Safety Card. Let the Extension Office know if you are interested in attending asap, please.









Balko Club will meet February 7th at 6pm at the Balko School

Overstreet / Gate Club will meet February 1st at 4:30 pm at the Gate Community Center.



Beaver Club will meet February 6th at 5pm at the Beaver Extension Office

Shooting Sports Trap Shoot in April @ OPSU so get ready and watch your emails for practice schedules and meeting times.

Forgan Club Contact your leader for details.

Turpin Club will meet February 6th AND the 27th at 6pm at the Turpin School Cafeteria.

Fun Day with Skill-a-thons, fun Food Challenge, Games and more was held Saturday.

We had a great time competing with each other and playing games.



December 21st 4-H'ers delivered meals in Honor of Amelia Cowan to 178 persons throughout our county.

Beaver Co. Food Show Sweepstake Winners

Junior: Intermediate: Senior: Teak Rorabaugh Morgan Rorabaugh Scout Rorabaugh







Beaver Club doing a Holiday Roundup. Brynlee of Balko Club was a workshop presenter. They made ornaments, decorated cookies, and other crafts.







November 21, 2022 4-H'ers entertained the Beaver County Nursing Home with the Beaver County 4-H Talent Show/Contest.

Individuals Acts: SR Division JR Division Tatum Boyd—- Champion Jeramiah Millikan —- Champion Bailey —-Reserve Champion Josie Cash —- Reserve Champion Other Individual Acts: Macee Marshall and Khloie Harper

Small Group Acts: Emma & Allen Delk —- Champion Mazden Marshall & Kree Weaver —- Reserve Champion



Beaver 4-H Club decorating the doors at the Nursing Home



4-H FAHION REVUE

Fashion Revue placings are based on: 60% Construction evaluation; 40% Modeling evaluation.

*IMPORTANT: Review details from the state fair projects for specific required details for entries. All entries have 2 or more specific requirements. Contact Liz if you have more questions. Section 4036 Design and Construction; Pages 13–15 <u>https://4h.okstate.edu/events/okc-tulsa-state-fair/site-files/docs/okc-fair/2022-okc-fair-with-markups.pdf</u>

Level 1 (Grades 3-5)

1. Simple Tops (shirt, tank top, t-shirt, vest, poncho, costume, or any other similar simple top). No lined garments. Exhibits in classes 01 and 02 are to be SIMPLE. Exhibit must have two (2) or more of the specific skills/techniques listed under any of the following headings Level 1 Mastery Sheet: Buttons, Casing, Hem, Seams, Seam Finishes.

Simple Bottoms (shorts, capris, pants, skirts, costume, or any other similar simple bottom). Garments are not to be lined, have pockets or a zipper. Exhibits in classes 01 and 02 are to be SIMPLE. Exhibit must have two (2) or more of the specific skills/ techniques listed under any of the following headings Level 1 Mastery Sheet: Hem, Seams, Seam Finishes, Waistband.
Simple Lined or Unlined One-piece garment with one or one or more: pocket, waistband or facing (top, bottom, robe, jacket, dress, jumpsuit, vest, poncho/shawl costume, or any other similar one-piece garment). Exhibit must have two (2) or more of the specific skills/techniques listed under any of the following headings in the Level 1 or 2 Mastery Sheet: Facing, Pocket, Waistband, Zipper, Interfacing, Seam Finish. Waistband can be a flat front band and elastic back.

Level 2 (Grades 6-8)

Blouse/Shirt with sleeves and closure. Exhibit must have two (2) or more of the specific skills/techniques listed under any of the following headings in the Level 3 Mastery Sheet: Buttons and Buttonhole, Fasteners, Sleeves, Zipper. No jackets, coats or vests.
Lined or Unlined Bottom with zipper and pocket(s) Exhibit must have two (2) or more of the specific skills/techniques listed under any of the following headings in the Level 3 Mastery Sheet: Interfacing/Underlining, Lining, Pockets, Zippers. Pocket style must be one described on the skill sheet.

10. Lined or Unlined Two-piece garment (coordinating top and bottom, jacket/vest with bottom/dress, PJ's, uniform, costume, or any other similar two-piece coordinate). Exhibit must have two (2) or more of the specific skills/techniques listed under any of the following headings in the Level 3 Mastery Sheet: Buttons and Buttonhole, Fasteners, Interfacing/Underlining, Lining, Pockets, Sleeves, Zipper.

Level 3 (Grades 9-12)

14. One-piece lined or unlined garment (pants, skirt, coat, jacket, dress, jumpsuit, uniform, formalwear, costume, or any other similar garment) with two (2) or more of the specific skills/techniques listed under any of the following headings in the Level 4 Mastery Sheet: Collar/Cuff, Buttons and Buttonholes, Fasteners, Hem, Interfacing/Under lining/Interlining, Lining, Seam, Seam/Finish, Zipper.

15. Two-piece lined or unlined ensemble/coordinate (coat/jacket/vest/shirt/blouse with dress/pants/slacks/skirt/etc., suit, costume, or any other similar two-piece coordinate with two (2) or more of the specific skills/techniques listed under any of the following headings in the Level 4 Mastery Sheet: Collar/Cuff, Buttons and Buttonholes, Fasteners, Hem, Interfacing/Under lining/Interlining, Lining, Seam, Seam/Finish, Zipper.

17. Fashion Garment or Accessory created by Knitting/Crocheting/Tatting/Felting or similar technique. No accessory is to be constructed from commercial/purchased fabric (woven, knit, felt, etc.) Knitted or crocheted exhibit must have two (2) or more of the specific skills/techniques listed under any of the following headings in the Level 4 Mastery Sheet: Crochet and/or Knitting.

Note: Skill Mastery Sheets are located at https://4h.okstate.edu/projects/design-and-construction/curriculum-and-patterns.html

IMPRESSIVE DRESS

This will be a fun and creative challenge that will enhance our members public speaking skills as well as learning about appropriate dress for every occasion. Buying new clothes for this contest is highly *discouraged*. Participants will introduce themselves and tell what 4-H club they belong to and give a brief description of their outfit that explains the following: why they chose their outfit, why it fits the category, where they might wear it and what their favorite part of the outfit is and why. **Beginner: 3rd-7th Grades Advanced: 8th-12th Grades** CLOVERBUDS may model one outfit of their choice and introduce themselves. Cloverbuds will not be judged competitively. They will each receive a Participation ribbon.

- <u>SNAPPY CASUAL</u> Everyday nice outfit coordinated for a specific event (school, social, etc) (Jeans without holes, slacks, appropriate length shorts, skirts, dresses, coordinated separates, shirts with a collar, blouse or a t-shirt with appropriate slogans (4-H); Casual shoes, nice tennis shoes, or boots.)
- DRESS CLOTHES Outfits designed for professional business or dressy occasions (suit jacket, tie, slacks, dress, etc) (No denim) (Outfits cannot be considered Formal Wear).
- <u>FRUGAL FASHION</u> The purpose for this project/product is for youth to demonstrate their ability to be a thrifty consumer. Assemble a complete ensemble from items purchased at a thrift/consignment store/garage sale and/or similar source. Only clothes that are visible (does not include undergarments) and accessories are to be included in the finished ensemble. Shoes can be included but are not required. The participant is to model the complete outfit.

Include a Frugal Fashion Report which is a brief, written report including itemized price list and where each item was pur chased or acquired. List any repairs or special attention that was needed to make use of the thrift items (belt polished, button sewn on, starched jeans, etc.). List the total cost of the ensemble.



CALENDAR

Feb 6	Turpin 4-H Club Meeting
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Feb 7	Balko 4-H Club Meeting
Feb 11	West District Speaking Contest
Feb 27	Turpin 4-H Club Meeting
March 2	Beaver 4-H Club Meeting
March 21	Beaver Co. Impressive Dress & Fashion Revue
April 5	4-H Day at the Capital
April 13	County Speech Contest
April 29	Trap Shoot at OPSU

4-H Tuesday Tool Time – Volunteer and Leader Training

2023 Quarterly Schedule and Registration Links: April 11 – Registration for <u>Jr Master Gardener</u> <u>Resources</u>

June 13 – Registration for <u>Engaging Volunteers</u> <u>Meaningfully</u>

• Q4 TBD –Social & Emotional Learning Lessons: From 4-H at Home to Clubs & Schools

CONGRATULATIONS!!!!!!! BALKO CLUB PLACED IN THE TOP 10 AT THE 4-H LIVESTOCK JUDGING CONTEST AT THE STATE FAIR. Judging Team members: Kaleb Fleming, Shaelyn Pugh, Kori Barnes and Eli Naylor.

THERE ARE SEVERAL POST OFFICES THAT ARE NOT DELIVERING MAIL TO THE OLD RURAL ROUTE ADDRESSES ANY LONGER. PLEASE CALL OR EMAIL US YOUR NEW 911 ADDRESSES SO WE CAN GET YOU OUR AG, 4-H OR FCS NEWSLETTERS. 580-625-3464 or beaverext@okstate.edu THANK YOU

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