



Monthly news & updates

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Upcoming Events

January

- 18th - Achievement Trips
- 25th - Teen Leader and PLO Meeting

February

- 1st - New Volunteer Orientation
- 5th - Ballot Box Training
- 6th - County Record Book Workshop
- 8th & 9th - Ballot Boxes
- 15th-19th - Kay County Jr Livestock Show
- 22nd - Teen Leader and PLO Meeting



State 4-H Ambassadors

For information and the application please click the correct links below! These are due to Liz March 1st, 2021 so she has time to fill out her portion.

3 Meeting Rule

You must attend at least 3 meetings prior to any county, state, or national activity. This rule is being enforced so it is important to sign in at meetings so club leaders have accurate sign in sheets to turn in.

[Informational Packet](#)

[Application](#)

Master of Ceremonies Application

Kay County Jr Livestock Show

Two SENIOR FFA and/or 4-H members that exhibit livestock will be selected to be Master of Ceremonies and must be able to practice the script before the awards banquet and also have FFA or 4-H dress for the event. Please submit the application to Brenda Medlock at the Kay County OSU Extension Office by February 5th, 2021 by emailing to brenda.medlock@okstate.edu or my mailing it to PO Box 430, Newkirk, OK 74647.

YOU MUST BE A SENIOR TO APPLY!



[Master of Ceremonies Application](#)



CONNORS STATE COLLEGE
EQUINE FIELD DAY



SAVE THE DATE

FEBRUARY 5, 2021

FRED WILLIAMS INDOOR ARENA - WARNER, OKLA.

9 AM - 1 PM

PRE-REGISTRATION

REGISTER BY JANUARY 29

INCLUDES T-SHIRT, LUNCH & CSC WORKBOOK

CONTACTS:

JAKE.WALKER@CONNORSSTATE.EDU OR JACOB.LAWSON@CONNORSSTATE.EDU

4-H House Topic Communication Contest

February 6th at Totusek Arena. Registration Deadline is January 25th.

Currently this is still planned as a face to face event. The use of Totusek Arena allows us to space kids out A LOT in the bleachers. If we need to transition this event to a virtual one we will do so as conditions develop. However, in light of students often needing to quarantine due to exposure, we will allow students to participate in the speech and illustrated presentation contests virtually. We will follow a similar format to Round Up for students which need to participate virtually. Team problem and quiz bowl competitions will be held live with no virtual exceptions. However, if we move the entire contest to virtual, we will explore ways to make this work. In short – we are planning on being live and following appropriate guidelines until I receive direction to not host the event.

The digital photo contest will take place again as always. Registration deadline is also January 25.

4-H and FFA Horse Judging Contest

This event will be held April 17th live at Totusek Arena. Details on the contest will be sent out at a later date.

Special Clovers Equestrian

I am excited to announce a new division in the 4H Horse Project – Special Clovers Equestrian, for riders with disabilities. We will be offering classes this year for both assisted and unassisted riders in showmanship, walk trot equitation and trail. I've attached a draft guideline to allow everyone to familiarize themselves with the program. It is currently under legal review so some changes may yet occur. Thank you Kim Davis for assisting with the development of this exciting new program which allows OK 4H to be inclusive to all youth passionate about horses and to provide a sense of belonging within the 4H program.

State 4-H Horse Show 2021

The State 4-H Horse Show will be held in Grady county fairgrounds in Chickasha on July 15-17. We will be returning to the district shows serving as qualifying events for the state show. Much more information will be forthcoming.

State 4-H Horse Rulebook.

The new edition with new rules underlined will be published on January 1, 2021. The largest change is the replacement of traditional western riding patterns with AQHA Level 1 patterns which are more suitable for youth.

[Horse Speech Contest Guidelines](#)

[Photo Release Form 2021](#)

[Speech Contest Registration](#)

[Photo Contest Rubric](#)

[State Horse Quiz Bowl Rules & Entry](#)

[Guidelines for Photo Contest](#)

[Quiz Bowl Registration](#)

[Special Clovers Equestrian](#)

The Spring Horsemanship Clinic

This clinic is presented by the Tulsa County 4-H Horse Club. Please click below to view the flyer and registration. Registrations are DUE to the Tulsa County OSU Extension Office by **Feb. 29th, 2021.**

[Flyer](#)
[Registration](#)

Northeast Oklahoma Horse Judging Invitational

Hosted by
Ketchum FFA and Adair FFA

HELD ON TUESDAY, MARCH 2, 2021 AT 9:00 A.M.
SYCAMORE SPRINGS ARENA
REGISTER AT 8:00 A.M.
DIVISIONS: JUNIOR (4-H 13 AND UNDER)
SENIOR (4-H 14 AND UP AND FFA)



Classes: 6-8 classes and 4 sets of reasons for seniors and 2 sets for juniors. Performance classes will be chosen from the following:

Western Pleasure, Reining, Trail, Hunter Under Saddle, HuntSeat Equitation, Ranch Riding, Ranch Pleasure and Western Horsemanship.



*****High Individuals will receive a TRES RIOS BUCKLE*****

For more information contact:

Amanda Jones 918-782-4481, ajones@ketchumwarriors.com
Devin Delozier 918-785-2424, ddelozier@adairschools.org
Facility Address: 12754 S 442 Rd, Locust Grove, OK 74352

Shelly Smith Memorial Woolly Fun Show 2021 Youth 4-H Show
Sponsored by Cleveland County Trailblazers

Saturday January 30th, 2021 9:00am

Entry Fee: \$10 class, \$50 all day horse rider combo (\$30 all day each additional family member or horse rider combo)

Office Fee: \$10 if you enter after January 15th No office fee if you pre enter. All riders must wear an ASTM/SEI certified helmet. 4-H rules and AQHA guidelines apply. Negative current Coggins must be presented the day of the show. You may pre enter and pay the day of the show. (still get discount)

For Information Contact: Lisa Carpenter 405-831-2103 or Amber Spires 614-537-6197 or ilovespires@gmail.com

Ruth Allard Cleveland County Youth Educator 405-321-4774.

[Entry Form](#)

[Showbill](#)

District Wide Community Service Challenge!!!

The Northeast District Officer Team is challenging all counties with these community service ideas! Please follow the link by clicking the button to see what the District officers have planned for you with a little friendly competition mixed in!

[Community Service Challenge!](#)

Dr. Ron and Linda Scholar Essay Contest

Oklahoma 4-H and the Oklahoma 4-H Foundation are pleased to announce the 2021 Dr. Ron and Linda Sholar 4-H Essay Contest. We had a record number of essays last year and would love to keep that momentum.

Who: 4-H members who are in 8th-12th grade and ACTIVE in 4-HOnline.

What: Dr. Ron and Linda Sholar Essay Contest

When: Essays are due to the Kay County 4-H Educator, Liz Nicholson, by April 20th, 2021.

Application includes: Dr. Ron and Linda Sholar Essay Contest application (must have all appropriate signatures), essays of 850-1,000 words on the topic "How can Oklahoma 4-H Change a Community?" and a scanned headshot of the 4-H member. All items must be turned in or your essay will be disqualified.

[Guidelines and Entry Form](#)

Oklahoma 4-H Shooting Sports Coach Certification Training

Training will take place on **April 10-11, 2021** at the Oklahoma City Gun Club in Arcadia, OK.

Registration is due to the County office by March 26th, 2021.

[Registration Cover Letter](#)

[Certification Schedule](#)

[Certification Flyer](#)

2021 NED 4-H Volunteer Virtual Conference

Due to the high risk of Zoom Bombing, the District Director, Nancy Johnson, has asked participants to register in advance by either going to the website address below (and on the flyer) or using the QR Code (on the flyer). It is very important for volunteers to register in advance. After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

<https://dasnr.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJYld-2vrzMvHd2aj3W2p14kzUC10wA-AHLX>

[Conference Flyer](#)

Kingfisher County OSU Cooperative Extension Service and
Oklahoma 4-H and Youth Development present:

Kingfisher Youth Rabbit/Cavy Extravaganza

January 30, 2021



Raffle
No rabbits under 8 weeks old
allowed in barns

Masks are Required Please

Rabbits appearing to be ill
will not be allowed in barn

Saturday January 30, 2021

Barns open: 7:30 am Entries close: 9 am
9 am-Noon

Showmanship seminar
Showmanship contest
Bunny Brain knowledge contest
Rabbit Educational Displays contest
Rabbit Photography Contest
Rabbit Arts and Crafts competitions
1 pm
Jackpot Show

Open to all Oklahoma Youth
Held at the Kingfisher County Fairgrounds, MAC building

100% entry fees minus judge cost will be paid back as premiums
Per rabbit entry \$3.00 head



Or call Kingfisher Co. Extension 405-375-3822
Or Doug & Marna Davis 580-623-1974
Email: marnadavis@gmail.com

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Opportunity - Request for Workshops at the State 4-H Parent - Volunteer Conference

On behalf of the State 4-H Volunteer Board:

Community resources, volunteers, Extension educators and specialists are needed to present workshops at the State 4-H Parent-Volunteer Conference, June 26, 2021. The Volunteer Board is planning for a hybrid conference, a blend of face-to-face and virtual. If the climate is such that an on-site option is not possible, the entire program will be delivered virtually.

Call for workshop proposals – application **due March 1**. Application attached.

Considering our current situation and challenges, the 2021 conference theme is 4-H, Now More than Ever! The State Volunteer Board recognizes programming efforts are urgently needed to safely meet the social, emotional, and physical needs of 4-H parents and volunteers, members and clubs. Workshops will be geared to help parents, volunteers and Extension staff to adapt and increase their capacity to access and successfully use tools for delivering 4-H virtually and/or face-to-face.

2021 Conference Objectives

N - Nourish volunteers and parents with the fuel necessary for personal growth and good health, while meeting the needs of our membership.

O - Opportunities to “Making the Best Better” by envisioning each circumstance as a unique possibility.

W - Why the 4-H youth development effort is more important than ever in keeping members connected with caring adults, as well as providing alternatives and activities for families and clubs during challenging times.

Questions? Don't hesitate to ask.

Continue to stay safe.

[Workshop Application Form](#)

Kay County 4-H |

<https://extension.okstate.edu/county/kay/4-h.html>



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