Are You Registered for 4-H?

Junior livestock taggings are only one week away and there are many 4-H leaders and members who have not completed their online registration. Registration needs to be completed before tagging your 4-H hog or lamb by going to the website: https://ut.4honline.com.

Remember you cannot pay online for your 4-H registration, but you can call the USU Extension Office in Brigham City and pay over the phone with a debit/credit card. You are welcome to come into the office at the courthouse, 01 South Main, Room 30 in Brigham City if you would like help with the data entry, or feel free to call us at 435-695-2543 for assistance.

Leaders…your 4-H club enrollments cannot be approved until you have re-enrolled yourself as a leader in the 4-H online system. The information you entered from last year is still in the database, so it is fairly easy to re-enroll. If you can’t remember your password, please call the USU Extension Office.

Upcoming Events...

**June**

6 ..........Hog & Lamb Tagging at the Fairgrounds
8-10 .....1st Session of Cooking Up Science
10 ........Sewing Camp
12 ..........Favorite Foods Contest
12-13 ..Horse Camp
13 ........Hog & Lamb Tagging at the Fairgrounds
15-17 ...2nd Session of Cooking Up Science
19 ........Chef Extraordinaire & Healthy Cuisine Contest
23 .......1st Horse Show
25 ........Sewing Camp
26 .......Senior Sewing & Fashion Contest
30 .......Public Speaking & Demos Contests

**July**

1 ..........4-H Registration Deadline for fair exhibits
8 ..........3rd Horse Show
9 ..........Sewing Camp
9-10 .....Galaxy Warrior Training
13-15 ...State 4-H Contests
16 ........Sewing Camp
21 .........2nd Horse Show
22 .........Fashion Workshop #1
22 .........Operation Smile Sewing Service Project
25 .......4-H Lagoon Day

*For more information, contact:*
Lyle Holmgren - USU Extension Agent
Mike Pace - USU Extension Agent
Ann Henderson - USU Extension Agent
Callie Ward - 4-H Program Coordinator
Donna Andrews - Secretary
Shauna Petersen - Secretary
Box Elder County 4-H Public Speaking and Demonstrations

Date: June 30
Time: Starting at 10:00 a.m.
Who: Youth 3rd - 12th grades
Location: Brigham City 4-H Office
Sign Up by: June 26

Youth can choose to compete in the contests showcasing their skills and knowledge in a variety of projects. Participants need to pre-register and be assigned a time to give their presentation. 9th -12th graders who win the county contests are eligible to compete in the state contests. Please see contest guidelines @utah4h.org/htm/events/statecontests.

Welcome to Our New 4-H Program Coordinator

Being a small town girl and living on a farm in central Utah, I was heavily involved in agriculture and participated in 4-H. My fondest memories are focused around a show barn filled with the smell of fresh sawdust and animals, the sounds of clippers at work with kids climbing panels, and that overly intense parent hollering to keep your eyes on the judge. My family raised everything; beef, sheep, hogs, horses, and kids. I started off showing lambs and moved my way up to steers, with a few hogs here and there. Summers were spent working cows out on the mountain and driving across the state to the next stockshow. My 4-H experience doesn’t end with agriculture. I served as a Southwest Region 4-H Ambassador, Millard County’s Teen Council President, and did every sewing, cooking and day camp they had to offer. When it came to higher education, Utah State University was the only option for me, go Aggies! Agriculture was my first major, but after getting married and having a family of my own, I swapped directions and completed my degree in Family Life Studies, graduating in 2013. If I am not at work, you can find me on the mountain searching for a stray cow or hunting down that monster buck. The kitchen is the next best thing, baking up something delicious and chocolate! I try to include my husband Cody, daughter, Rylee (7) and son, Archer (5) in all of that fun.

Ecstatic about working in Box Elder County, I want to continue to follow the great traditions of this county! My goals are to excite 4-H Members with modern, innovative science and incorporate it into their projects, encourage youth to be well-informed citizens actively engaging in their communities and empower 4-Her’s to live a life of physical, emotional, and social health. Focusing on a good balance between existing programs and building a better future, I will help make the best better in Box Elder County.

Callie Ward
Table Setting Contest

Thursday, August 6, 2015
Set up displays between 11 a.m. – 2 p.m.
Bridgerland Applied Technology College
325 West 1100 South, Brigham City
2015 Theme: “The Best Thing About 4-H”
The 4-H Table Setting Contest will be held on in conjunction with the Jr. Fashion Revue and Decorate Your Duds Contests and the 4-H Fashion Show. Exhibits will remain on display until the conclusion of the 4-H Fashion Show at 7 p.m.

How About A Contest?

Favorite Foods Contest
Friday, June 12, 2015
10 a.m.
Box Elder County Courthouse, Room 33 – Brigham City
Register for this contest using 4-H Online by June 5.
For contest guidelines visit http://utah4h.org/htm/events-registration/statecontests.

Chef Extraordinaire & Healthy Cuisine Contests

Friday, June 19, 2015
10 a.m. – 1 p.m.
Bear River Middle School
Register for these contests using 4-H Online by June 12.

Senior Fashion Revue Contest, Sewing Contest, and Shop Smart Challenge

Friday, June 26, 2015
1 p.m., Place to be determined
Three fashion and sewing contests will be held for senior 4-H members in 2015. 4-Hers entering the Senior Fashion Revue Contest, will model an outfit they have made for judges while commentary they have written is being read. They will then be interviewed by the judges. Scores will be based on garment construction (50%) and modeling with commentary and interview (50%).

The 4-H Sewing Contest allows 4-Hers who have sewn a non-garment project such as a quilt, baby dress, hand bag, etc. to create a display showcasing their project, give an oral presentation about their project, and participate in an interview with the judges. Awards will be based on presentation/interview, display of project, and construction.

The 4-H Shop Smart Shopping Challenge is designed as a fun and practical learning experience for 4-H members enrolled in a clothing or consumer decision making project. Participants will compare and consider three outfits and demonstrate decision making skills in selecting the most suitable of the three outfits. They will model the outfit for judges, and share decisions made in the selection of the outfit.

Visit http://utah4h.org/htm/events-registration/statecontests to see the contest guidelines for all three contests.
Register for these contests using 4-H Online by June 19, 2015.

REMINDER: Enter up to 25 4-H Exhibits in the Indoor Exhibit Area

Each 4-H member may enter up to 25 exhibits in the 4-H Indoor Exhibit Area. You may complete as many projects as you like during the year, and then choose your very best projects to enter at the fair. This guideline does not include exhibits in the crops, livestock, open class art, open class photography, or home arts departments. Check each department’s entry limits in the fair book or www.boxeldercounty.org then click on fair.
Box Elder County 4-H Talent Contest Winners

On Thursday, May 7, the Box Elder County 4-H Talent Contest was held at the Box Elder Middle School in Brigham City. The judges were Joanne Smith and Joan Kimber. The winners were as follows:

**SENIOR DIVISION**
Rosette in Variety: Abby Taylor, Cody Taylor, Hunter Doucette
Rosette in Instrumental: Bridget McBride, Tessa Hancock, Rebekah Ashby
Rosette in Vocal: Allison Smith
Overall Senior Winner: Meagan Martineau

**INTERMEDIATE DIVISION**
Rosette in Piano: Lydia Cottrell
Rosette in Variety: Esther Dutson, Rachel Bishop, Cheyenne Spencer, Anni Molgard
Overall Intermediate Winner: Gracie Grover

**JUNIOR DIVISION**
Rosette in Instrumental: Corbin Borg
Rosette in Vocal: Erica Payne
Rosette in Piano: Victoria Cottrell
Rosette in Variety: Dominic Cefalo
Overall Junior Winner: Kaycee Summers

4-H Sewing Club in Deweyville Looking for New Members

A 4-H Sewing Club in Deweyville lead by Hindi Wilkinson is looking for new members. The club will meet on the first Friday of each month. Contact Hindi Wilkinson for more information, hindihoodoo@gmail.com.

The next club meeting will be held on June 5, 2015 at the Deweyville Church at 3 p.m. Club members will be making a patriotic table runner. 4-H members are responsible for bringing their own material and these instructions can be found on the Box Elder County 4-H facebook page.
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<td><strong>Wizard's Laboratory</strong>&lt;br&gt;Do you have what it takes to become a powerful wizard or witch? At camp, 4-Hers will discover many fantastic magic tricks and spells. We'll explore gravity, reactions, optical illusions, and learn about the cool science behind magic. We might even concoct a few potions!</td>
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<td><strong>Galaxy Warrior Training</strong>&lt;br&gt;During training, 4-Hers will have fun with hands-on activities that teach basic science principles. We will explore what it takes to be a true Galaxy Warrior by making rockets, light sabers, and exploring the galaxy. Listen to the force, come to camp!</td>
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**BRING YOUR OWN LUNCH**

Box Elder County 4-H
435-695-2546
boxelder4h.usu.edu
4-H Lagoon Day - Who is ready for SUMMER?! 

**Utah 4-H Lagoon Day**
Saturday July 25th, 2015
Voucher is for up to 8 people at the discounted rate of $43.61 per person

**Lagoon Week**
Sunday August 16th, 2015- Friday August 21st, 2015
Voucher is for up to 8 people at the discounted rate of approximately $26.00 per person
Please call the USU Extension Service if you would like a voucher.
(These are vouchers that are used like coupons. They don’t cost anything to receive them, it is only a discount for us at the Lagoon payment window.)

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**4-H Fashion Activities**

Fashion Workshop #1: July 22, 2015, 10 a.m. - 12 p.m., BATC Conference Room
Learn basic modeling techniques and plan the theme, decorations, and refreshments for the 4-H Fashion Show. All those who plan to participate in the Jr. Fashion and Sewing Contest or the Decorate Your Duds Contest are encouraged to attend this workshop and the workshop on August 5, 2015.

Fashion Workshop #2: August 5, 2015, 10 a.m.-1 p.m., BATC Conference Room
Learn basic interview techniques, practice modeling and interview for the Junior Sewing and Fashion and Decorate Your Duds Contests, rehearse for the 4-H Fashion Show, and decorate the stage.

4-H Jr. Sewing and Fashion Contest:
August 6, 2015, BATC, 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

4-H Decorate Your Duds Contest:
August 6, 2014, BATC, 10 a.m. - 11 a.m.

4-H Fashion Show: August 6, 2015, 6-7 p.m.
BATC Conference Room

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**State Contests**

- **Who:** 9th-12th Graders
- **When:** July 13-15
- **Where:** Utah State University
- **How Much:** $90.00 (The county office will reimburse half the cost following State Contests. Actual Cost - $45.00)

All 4-H members that have competed in county contests are eligible to attend. Youth stay on the USU campus.

Youth from all over the state participate, and it is a great chance to make new friends and have fun. If you are interested in one of the contests listed below, contact the USU Extension Office in Brigham City at 435-695-2543 or 877-390-2326.

Contests range from cooking, public speaking, demonstrations, fashion, talent, livestock judging, shooting, video production, and more. To find a list of all contests available and their guidelines, go to [www.utah4-h.org/htm/events-registration/statecontests](http://www.utah4-h.org/htm/events-registration/statecontests)

Registration includes: Housing, County Night Out, Banquet, Dance, Late Night Party, Awards Breakfast, T-shirt and Fun! If you would like to do a contest not available in our county, please call the office and let us know.

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Reminder: 4-H Fashion Revue, Decorate Your Duds and Table Setting Contests and Fashion Show will be held ONE WEEK earlier than usual, on August 6, 2015.
4-H Sewing Camps

Sign up now for 2015 4-H Sewing Camps. For pictures of the projects and lists of supplies visit http://extension.usu.edu/boxelder and click on 4-H Youth Programs > Summer Day Camps > Sewing Camps > 2015 Sewing Day Camp Information Sheet. Register at least one week before the camp using 4-H Online (https://ut.4honline.com).

June 10, 2015  9 a.m. - 12 p.m.  Sewing Machine Basics  Tremonton
12:30 - 3:30 p.m.  Designer Pillow Case  Tremonton
June 25, 2015  9 a.m. - 3 p.m.  Pants, Shorts, PJ Pants or Skirt  Brigham
July 9, 2015  9 a.m. - 3 p.m.  Apron from Men’s Shirt Microwave Bowl Cozy Potato Baking Bag  Tremonton
July 16, 2015  9 a.m. - 3 p.m.  Sewing Machine Cover /Caddy Brigham  Pin Cushion/Thread Catcher

Operation Smile Sewing Service Project

Wednesday, July 22, 2015 from 1 -4 p.m.
Bridgerland Applied Technology College
325 West 1100 South, Brigham City

Operation Smile is a charity that performs cleft palate surgery for children around the world. We will be sewing hospital gowns and no no arm bands and donating them to Operation Smile. Please bring your sewing machine and/or serger, rotary mats, cutters, and rulers (if you have them), fabric, thread, bias tape and ribbon, basic sewing supplies, and come sew with us.

Supplies to Make 1 Hospital Gown

1 yard of light weight woven or knit cotton or cotton/polyester fabric
Matching Thread
1 package of matching bias tape

Supplies to Make 4 Pair of No No Arm Bands

1 yard of light weight woven or knit cotton or cotton/polyester fabric
Matching Thread
4 yards of coordinating 1/4" ribbon for each pair of no no arm bands

Let us know you are coming by signing up on ut.4honline.com.

Ever Thought About Serving as a Fair Judge?

Box Elder County has been invited to judge 4-H and home arts exhibits at three county fairs this summer. Please consider joining us to judge one, two, or all three.

July 28, 2015  Morgan County Fair
August 4, 2015  Weber County Fair
August 11, 2015  Davis County Fair.

Plan on a full day, approximately 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Carpools and lunch are provided. Training on how to judge different project areas is available on Utah4H.org under Events/County Fair. Contact Ann for more information (435 695-2544 or 877 390-2326 or ann.henderson@usu.edu).

How About Volunteering at the County Fair?

We are always looking for 4-H leaders and members who would like to volunteer their time and talents at the county fair. Come help us decorate the exhibit area (Friday, August 21), receive exhibits (Tuesday, August 25), assist judges and display exhibits (Wednesday, August 26), and supervise the 4-H exhibit area (Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, August 27-29).

4-Hers must be at least 11 years old. 2 to 8 hour shifts are available. Training provided. Contact Ann to volunteer (435 695-2544 or 877 390-2326 or ann.henderson@usu.edu).
Junior Livestock Information

Box Elder County Fair Tagging Dates
Hogs must weigh between 225 - 290 lbs at the weigh-in for the county fair in August.

Fairgrounds—Tremonton (7:00-8:30 a.m.) June 6
Fairgrounds—Tremonton (7:00-8:30 a.m.) June 13

Animal Weigh-in & Tagging
Snowville June 10
Park Valley & Howell June 11

Lambs
Fairgrounds—Tremonton (9:30 –11:30 a.m.) June 6
Fairgrounds—Tremonton (4:00 - 6:00 p.m.) June 13

Goat Identification
Fairgrounds—Tremonton(4:30—5:00 p.m. June 12

SHEEP SHEARING
Sheep do not need to be sheared before crossing the scale at the tagging in June, but the sheep committee recommends that you have the sheep sheared as soon as possible because your project will do better. Because of the unusual spring weather, there may or may NOT be someone at the fairgrounds to shear the sheep at the tagging. At the weigh-in at the county fair, sheep can have no more than 60 days fleece.

SHEEP WEIGHTS
NEW: Lamb weights have changed for the 2015 county fair. Market lambs are to weigh a minimum of 110 pounds at the weigh-in of the county fair. 4-H and FFA exhibitors need to indicate at the weigh-in if they are planning to participate in the carcass contest. Lambs at the tagging cannot weigh more than 110 lbs.

LIVESTOCK JUDGING
Livestock Judging Practice tomorrow…. Thursday, May 28th at 3:00 (or as soon as you can get here after school) at the USU Extension Office. We will be talking about oral reasons. There are a few openings for another livestock judging team if you would like to participate. Practices are only for members currently in grades 9-12. For more information, please contact Callie at callie.ward@usu.edu or 435-695-2546.

Families with registered 4-H and/or FFA members with fewer than three animals per species per exhibitor may tag an alternate/family project animal as long as that project is used by immediate family members (brothers or sisters). Any exhibitor having three project animals will not be permitted to use an alternate/family project.

Congratulations to the following Scholarship Winners:

$500.00 Box Elder Junior Livestock Auction 4-H/FFA Scholarships:
Zach McNeely
Tanner McNeely
Rachel Shaw
Taylor Johnson

$2,000.00 Amy Kearsley 4-H Scholarship:
Megan Davis

Important Notice: 4-H Livestock
Exhibitors not enrolled in 4-H before the tagging of their livestock project for the county fair will be charged a $25.00 late registration fee.
Exhibitors must be in the 3rd-12th grades as of January 1, 2015 to be eligible to show and sell an animal in the Box Elder Junior Livestock Show and in all the other state livestock shows.

Utah State University is an affirmative action/equal opportunity institution. Special Needs: For any special arrangements including dietary, physical accesses, or other accommodation requests, please call the USU Extension Office for Box Elder County. Fifteen working days are needed to facilitate special needs requests.
Western Horse 4-H News

Tuesday clinics are done for the year. Thanks so much to the many people who helped out! The small indoor arena is available every Tuesday from 4 to 7. Be sure to tell the county employees and Commissioners how much you appreciate using the facility.

Horse Shows are coming up! Here’s the info. You can also find the details on the website. Participants need to pre-register online no later than Friday before the show. The entry fee is $10. If you know you are going to go to each show, we recommend registering and paying the $30.00 all at once. All age groups and two-hand will compete on Tuesday Night. Don’t forget to study for your tests!
Two-Hand: 4:00 p.m.
Western Show: 6:00 p.m.

1st Show – June 23
2nd Show – July 7
3rd Show – July 21
Region Show August 3, Box Elder County is the host
State Show September 24-26 in Hurricane, Utah

DRESS CODE FOR Box Elder County Horse Shows

A. Judged Event-
   1. Western Hat or Helmet
      a. Helmet is required for all events on Horseback. Western Hat may be worn during the Halter/Showmanship Event.
   2. White Shirt
      a. Must button or snap down the front
      b. Must have collar, cuff, and long sleeve

3. Blue or Black Denim Jeans
   a. No Chaps-exception: Junior participants may wear chaps during bareback equitation
4. Western Boots
5. Western Belt
6. 4-H Patch
   a. Placed on upper left sleeve
   b. If a patch is not worn, it is a drop in ribbon

B. Speed Events-same as above except:
   1. T-shirt or short or long sleeve western shirt allowed in place of white shirt
   2. Helmet Required

What to Study

For help with studying, youth can use the following study aid. These manuals are available at the USU Extension Office for $5 each.

Show 1
Juniors: Horses and Horsemanship, pgs 1-16, and the Horsemanship Contest Rulebook, pgs 2-10
Intermediates and Seniors: Horses and Horsemanship, pgs 1-16, Horse Science, pgs 1-17 and the Horsemanship Contest Rulebook, pgs 2-10
Two-Handed: Horses and Horsemanship, pgs 1-16, and the Horsemanship Contest Rulebook pgs 2-10 and 29-32

Show 2
Juniors: Horses and Horsemanship, pgs 17-34 and the Horsemanship Contest Rulebook, pgs 11-19.
Intermediates and Seniors: Horses and Horsemanship, pgs 17-34, Horse Science, pgs 18-36, and the Horsemanship Contest Rulebook, pgs 11-19

Show 3
Juniors: Horses and Horsemanship, pgs 35-54, and the Horsemanship Contest Rulebook, pgs 20-29
Intermediates and Seniors: Horses and Horsemanship, pgs 35-54, Horse Science, pgs 37-59 and the Horsemanship Contest Rulebook, pgs 20-29
Two-Handed: Horses and Horsemanship, pgs 35-54, and the Horsemanship Contest Rulebook pgs 20-32

NEW Helmet Rule: Box Elder County is now requiring helmets at all horse clinics and camps to increase safety for our youth.
● Horse Camp is June 12 -13 be sure to sign up on https://ut.4honline.com! For more details about horse camp, go to http://boxelder4h.usu.edu/htm/horse-program.

Horse Judging Practice will be June 9th at 1:00 p.m. at the USU Extension Office. We will be talking about oral reasons. There are a few openings for another horse judging team if you would like to participate. Practices are only for members currently in grades 9-12. Please contact Callie at callie.ward@usu.edu or 435-695-2546.
4-H Small Animal Club Meetings

The small animal clubs will begin holding their summer meetings on Thursday evenings at the fairgrounds in the month of June as follows:

June 4, 6:00 p.m.   Chickens & Pigeons
June 11, 7:00 p.m.  Rabbits

For more information, please call either Bob Belew (for chickens and pigeons), 435-279-6804 or Kristy Noyes (for rabbits), 435-279-6591.

Please complete your online registration at https://ut.4honline.com and add “Community Rabbit Club” if you are doing a rabbit project and “BEC Poultry & Pigeon Club” if you are doing a chicken or pigeon project so that your leaders can notify you of any upcoming events and information.

Many thanks goes to Bob and Kristy for the many hours they have donated to make the 4-H small animal exhibit at the Box Elder County Fair one of the very best in the entire state of Utah!