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4-H Youth Development Program

Recent County Event: Quiz Bowl

Important Dates

June 9 2023 Horse Educational Contests Registration Due

June 23 Trinity County Fair Livestock Entry Registration Due

July 5 Trinity County Fair Non-livestock Entry Form Due

September 11 Application for 4-H Scholarships for Higher Education Due

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Quiz Bowl was held April 1, 2023 in Junction City. The event kicked off with stations that taught about sewing, jiujitsu and STEAM. Next was the team portion where participants were quizzed on livestock animals. A delicious chili lunch finished the event. Thank you Junction City 4-H for hosting a fun event!



Quiz Bowl Awards:

- ♦ Sewing quiz: Luna Lehfeldt
- ♦ Paper airplane that flew the farthest: Avalon Koeller
- ♦ Jiu-jitsu quiz: Aile Nielsen-Ayres
- Team quiz bowl: Team "The Smarties": Emily McIntosh, Vera DeGutis, Avalon Koeller & Aile Nielsen-Ayres

Note from Community Educator Erin Paradis

We have been given the opportunity to participate in delivering a new curriculum "Animal Poo & You" to our primary members (5-8 years old) this summer.

Are you interested in learning how to prevent zoonotic disease between farm animals and people? Please email me if you are interested in participating or would like more information about the new curriculum "Animal Poo & You". ecparadis@ucanr.edu



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2023 Trinity County Fair

Trinity County Fair
Fair Season is the
Best Season
July 15-16, 2025
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Thursday, July 13 - Sunday, July 16, 2023 Trinity County Fairgrounds, Hayfork



Get ready for this year's county fair "Fair Season is the Best Season"!



2023 Fair Exhibitor's Handbook

The handbook is now available and has been updated. Review the $\underline{2023\ \text{Fair}\ \text{Exhibitor's}}$ $\underline{\text{Handbook}}$.



2023 Trinity County Fair Entry Forms

Find entry forms for all departments except Livestock at <u>Trinity County Fair</u>. White entry forms are **due by July 5, 2023**.

<u>Junior Livestock Entry Registration</u> is submitted online. Entries are **due by June 23, 2023**.



Youth for the Quality Care of Animals (YQCA)

Trinity County Fair requires all Junior Livestock exhibitors to complete YQCA training. This can be done online or in-person, and will cover food safety, animal well-being and character development.

A certificate of completion for the training must accompany the Junior Livestock Entry Form. Register and complete the YQCA training. (Please note YQCA has a new website as of January 2023)

Trinity 4-H Livestock Market Rules 4H26 2023

Market rules have been updated for 2023. Review the <u>Trinity 4-H Livestock Market Rules 4H26 2023</u>.

Trinity 4-H Livestock Market Agreement 2023

Livestock Market Agreements were completed and due May 1, 2023.



Range Camp 2023

Sunday, June 18 - Friday, June 23, 2023 University of California Elkus Ranch, Half Moon Bay

Range Camp is a 6-day camp for high school students to learn about the science and conservation management of natural resources in California. It is organized by the University of California Cooperative Extension.

Students get an introduction to ecological principles, including characteristics and interrelationships of plants and animals, fire ecology, hydrology, geology and soils, and management of grassland, brushland, forest, and stream and river ecosystems. Field activities include learning to read wildlife 'sign', learning outdoor navigation with compasses, maps and GPS, forest management, visits to working ranches and conservation projects, and a beach BBQ.

Scholarships are available. For info, email rangecamp@ucanr.edu

Register ASAP for Range Camp

Recent County Event: Presentation Day

A report from Southern Trinity 4-H Club Leader Ronie Millsap:

We had a great turn out for Presentation Day on May 6, 2023 at our school. The families enjoyed watching the members give their presentations on many different subjects:

 McKenna Bray did hers on different places to visit in the great state of California

* Oliver Fargo did his on different types of volcanoes. We all enjoyed that he had so many different facts.



 Cadence Willburn did her presentation on her breeding lamb project

 Keya Abbasian did a presentation on her lamb project

 Timberlyn Morss did hers on her Lion Head Rabbit project

 Elaynah Fuhrman presented on her California

Rabbits and all you need to know about raising your bunnies at home

 Caroline Simones did hers on the States of America and all she learned about Texas

- * Lydia Yarbrough did hers on the rules of volleyball, then she was on her way to the Fuzzy Goat show in Anderson
- * Shiloh Perras from Bridgeville 4-H did hers on Rabbits over the internet. She was very knowledgeable about her rabbits.

I would like to thank my judges Jenna Thomas, Susan Bray and Jo Hay for spending their day to judge all of our presenters. We had a great lunch and awards were given out.

Scholarships for Higher Education

Application with essays, 4-H resume and transcript due September 11, 2023

Up to 10 scholarships for higher education are available through the UC 4-H Youth Development Program. With help from generous donors, statewide scholarships are available for graduating high school seniors and college-attending students. Scholarships can be used for qualified educational expenses such as books, tuition and other required fees.

One application applies to all scholarships available.



Review the requirements for 4-H Scholarships for Higher Education

Submit an application for 4-H Scholarships for Higher Education

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Recent County Event: Small Animal Field Day

A report from Hayfork Timberjacks 4-H Club Leader Kathy Johnson:

Hayfork Timberjacks 4-H and Southern Trinity 4-H club members hosted the 2nd annual Small Animal Field Day and Avian Judging Day on April 22, 2023 at Trinity County Fairgrounds in the Small Animal Barn.

4-H members from across the county attended and judged poultry classes, demonstrated rabbit showmanship, and shared information about keeping project animals safe, clean and healthy. Club Leader Ronie Millsap presented information about turkey projects, show animal projects, market animal projects, and how the small animal barn operates during fair. Volunteer Michelle Gamlen led a poultry showmanship clinic and organized the adult showmanship demonstration for youth to judge. Teen Leader Lydia Yarbrough from Southern Trinity 4-H led the rabbit showmanship clinic.





Youth and adults had fun being the judge for broken open eggs, egg dozens, show and laying hens, closed eggs and chicken carcass entries. The favorite class was closed egg candling. Both members and guests enjoyed trying their hand at candling. The youth loved watching and judging the adults attempting chicken showmanship. One hen did go for a tour of the lawn area but was safely returned.

All youth members were very good at judging and none scored lower than a red ribbon. Youth judging scores were tallied against a judging score sheet, and Danish judging was used for the scoring where the participants are competing

against a standard instead of against other participants.

Informational posters on how to judge various poultry items and the importance of taking care of our animals were also on display.

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2023 California 4-H State Leadership Conference





This year's California 4-H State Leadership Conference (SLC) will be bigger and better than ever before with two program tracks: one for Intermediate participants (ages 11-13) and one for Senior participants (ages 14-19).

The conference is designed to give participants an opportunity to learn and practice leadership skills, engage with industry professionals, attend keynote speeches, and participate in a variety of workshops designed to develop skills in key areas such as college and career readiness.

Learn more & Register for the 2023 California 4-H State Leadership Conference

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Upcoming Enrollment System Change

Announcement from the State 4-H Office: 4-HOnline Rollover & Transition to ZSuite

This is a reminder that family login level access to the 4-HOnline 2.0 system will be turned off on June 23, 2023 at 12:00 PM. Families and volunteers will no longer be able to login to the enrollment system.

Families are encouraged to complete enrollments for the 2022-2023 program year prior to Friday, June 23. Adult volunteers with incomplete applications will need to complete the application process before Thursday, June 15.

Families are also encouraged to delay re-enrollment for the 2023-2024 program year until the new system ZSuite is open on August 15, 2023. If enrollment or re-enrollment is necessary during the interim period the system is offline, your county staff will work with you to complete the enrollment process.

The new ZSuite enrollment system meets the UC ANR's updated security standards and vendor requirements, while providing our staff and participants an improved user interface.



Wednesday, June 21 - Thursday, June 22, 2023 Brookside Show Park, Elk Grove, Sacramento County

Register by June 9, 2023

The Horse Educational Contests will be held before the 2023 California 4-H Horse Classic Show. Come participate in these fun events:

- Horse Presentation
- Horse Public Speaking
- ♦ Hippology
- ♦ Horse Bowl
- Horse Judging

Learn more & **Register** for the 2023 Horse Educational Contests

See the full schedule for the 2023 California 4-H Horse Classic Show

Trinity County Support Staff

Note from Grace:

Hello 4-H'ers, there is an abundance of wildflowers this spring from all the rain and snow this winter. Here's a fun <u>Spring Wildflower Scavenger Hunt activity sheet</u> from Trinity County Resource Conservation District. The raffle for a prize is over, but the wildflowers are still blooming and waiting to be found.









Cloverleaf Article Submissions

Please share what your club has been up to. Send Erin or Grace your information and photos of recent and upcoming events. It's always fun to see what is happening in our 4-H world!

Trinity County 4-H

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