

# Pathways to Possibilities

OREGON 4-H YOUTH DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS

## Oregon 4-H Newsletter ~ November 2010

### 4-H Calendar – Upcoming Events

#### November 2010

November 1: Application [Deadline for National 4-H Conference](#)

November 1: Application Deadline for 4-H Foundation [Grants](#)

November 1: Gold Round, Oregon 4-H Mail-in Archery Tournament

November 5 – 7: Eastern National 4-H Horse Roundup – Louisville, KY.

November 5 – 16: National 4-H Livestock Judging Contest – Louisville, KY.

November 8 – 13: [American Evaluation Association National Conference](#) – San Antonio, TX.

November 17: Oregon 4-H [Hall of Fame](#) ceremony (part of OSUEA awards night)

November 18 – 19: National 4-H Poultry and Egg Conference

November 19: Deadline for Oregon 4-H Leader Forum Workshops RFP's

November 25-30: [National 4-H Congress](#) – Atlanta, GA.

#### December 2010

December 1: NFAA Indoor, Oregon 4-H Mail-in Archery Tournament

December 10: Application deadline—4-H Japanese Internship Program

(For a complete 2010-2011 State 4-H calendar visit <http://oregon.4h.oregonstate.edu/calendar>)

## HORSE

### Horse Leaders Forums

We will be holding regional Horse Leaders Forums in the fall of 2011. Five counties have volunteered to host: Clackamas, Lake, Josephine, Wheeler, and Umatilla. We are currently working on dates for each of these sites.

I recently requested information on your horse programs covering frequently asked questions. Thank you to those counties who have already responded. If you have not had a chance to yet, please send me the following:

1. Your county's horse fair schedule of events
2. Any rules/guidelines you have for your county-only classes.

3. Does your county require proof of ownership? If yes, what do you accept as proof? Please send any forms you use.
4. Does your county require vaccinations? If yes, which ones, and how do you check this?
5. Does your county have any special requirements for eligibility to show at your county fair or at state fair? If yes, what are they?
6. Does your county put on any horse shows to fundraise money for your horse program? If yes, please send a sample entry form.

## Spring Horse Classic

Spring Horse Classic will be held in Douglas County on April 29-May 1, 2011. Please make sure your participants are aware of the change in the schedule of events for this year. A tentative schedule is posted on the SHC website <http://oregon.4h.oregonstate.edu/spring-horse-classic-0> Counties that wish to participate in either Horse Bowl or Hippology at the 2011 Spring Horse Classic must submit questions to the State Office by January 15.

**For Horse Bowl:** each county needs to submit 10 regular questions and 2 bonus questions from any of the approved sources. Submissions need to include the question, the answer, and the source (including page number).

**For Hippology:** each county needs to submit 10 questions from any of the Horse Bowl sources. Five should be written, multiple-choice questions for the Examination phase. Five should be visual questions for the Station phase. (You do not need to include the actual visuals.) Each county should also submit one idea for the Team Problem.

## State Horse Advisory

Applications for the State Horse Advisory will be accepted until December 1. New members will begin their assignment in January. The Horse Advisory meets twice a year, but also conducts business via email between meetings. The next meeting is scheduled for March 5, 2011. The application is at <http://oregon.4h.oregonstate.edu/sites/default/files/statecommitteeform10-10.pdf>

~ Roberta Lundeberg

## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

### Monthly Meet-Ups

The next monthly meet up is scheduled for Weds, December 15 from 10 to 11am. This meeting will be held via webinar; instructions on how to attend will be emailed to counties. There will not be a monthly meet up in November.

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### **New Materials Available**

4-H 1313, Oregon 4-H Ranch Horse Manual

<http://ir.library.oregonstate.edu/jspui/bitstream/1957/18805/1/4-h1313.pdf>

4-H 13131, Oregon 4-H Ranch Horse Contest Guide

<http://ir.library.oregonstate.edu/jspui/bitstream/1957/18808/1/4h13131.pdf>

4-H Dairy Goat Word Search

[http://oregon.4h.oregonstate.edu/sites/default/files/publications/goat\\_puzzlev2.pdf](http://oregon.4h.oregonstate.edu/sites/default/files/publications/goat_puzzlev2.pdf) This publication has been adapted from 4-H 1123, 4-H Dairy Goat Puzzle Board

~ Helen Pease

## **RECOGNITION**

### **National 4-H Congress Video and Fundraising**

A video of the 2009 Oregon delegation's trip to National 4-H Congress can be seen at <http://www.facebook.com/video/video.php?v=433554266785&oid=358684260698>. Please encourage your members to check it out and see if they might be interested in attending National 4-H Congress in the near future. Fundraising efforts for sponsoring the 2011 Oregon delegation's trip will be underway. Please encourage your Leader's Associations and other supporters to donate today, using the attached donation form.

~ Helen Pease

## **TRAILBLAZER NIGHT**

Information is on the 4-H website for Portland Trailblazer night, Friday, March 25, 2011, against the San Antonio Spurs. This is the 4<sup>th</sup> year we have done this event and it's a lot of fun. Please pass on ticket information to your members and clubs. We hope to see many of you there.

<http://oregon.4h.oregonstate.edu/portland-trailblazers-4h-night>

~ Sara Miller