In the spotlight!









Lillie Wooden From Los Molinos 4-H!



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Tehama County 4-H "The Clover" Newsletter







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Mission—The University of California 4-H Youth Development Program engages youth in reaching their fullest potential while advancing the field of youth development.

Office Hours 8AM-5PM Monday through Friday



*Except Holidays listed on back page

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Lillie started 4H in 2022 doing market California meat rabbits. Lillie has learned how to raise and care for rabbits. Lillie has come a long way in learning how to come out of her bubble and learned to speak in public. This year, 2024, Lillie has also joined FFA and is also going to continue doing rabbits. Lillie will be participating in both, FFA and 4-H. During the summer months, Lillie also is involved in Tehama County 4-H Camp! In summer of 2025, Lillie is hoping this will be her 2nd year of being a camp counselor. Along with raising her rabbits, Lillie also enjoys arts & crafts.























4-H Club Directory



CLUBS Meeting Times/ Locations	CLUB LEADER Contact Information	CLUBS Meeting Times/ Locations	CLUB LEADER Contact Information	
ANTELOPE 4-H 2nd Monday every month @ Antelope School Cafeteria 6:30pm	Tiffany Jourdan 736-5376 antelope4h@yahoo.co m	LOS MOLINOS 4-H 1st Monday every month at Los Molinos Veterans Hall 6:00 pm	Raquel Gannone los.molinos.4h@gm ail.com	
BOWMAN 4-H 1st Tuesday every month @ Evergreen Elementary Gym 6:30pm	Vicky Woolley, 347-3591 Vickycottonwood @gmail.com Crystal Rulon, 347-9212 bowman4h@gmail.co m	MANTON 4-H 3rd Sunday every month Meets at Manton Volunteer Fire Department @3:30pm	Holly Hall 530 200-0857 Hall_farms@yahoo.co m	
CORNING 4-H 1st Monday every month @ West Street School 6:30pm	Lisa Lamb 4hcorning@gmail.co m	OLIVE 4-H 2nd Monday every month 6:30 pm at 640 Blackburn Ave, Corning	Marsha Wilson, 781-3392 Cindy Dixon, 209-1576 ysacindy@gmail.co m	
FLOURNOY/ PASKENTA 4-H 1st Monday every month, Flournoy School 6:30 pm	Brandy Hill, 681-5796 flournoypaskenta4h@ gmail.com	WESTSIDE 4-H 2nd Tuesday every month Dept of Education 6:00 pm	April Gilles Stacey Klausner Westside.4h.tehama@ gmail.com	
LASSEN COLONY 4-H 2nd Monday every month at Lassen View School 6:30 pm	Kari Dodd Marcie Skelton lassencolony4h@gmai l.com			



2025 Fun Night!

Fun Night is a county fundraiser for the 4-H Program for all families to come and have fun. The proceeds purchase resources for the lending library, supplies and awards for countywide events, send members to state conferences and more! This event occurs annually on the 2nd Saturday in February and is a great evening of affordable fun for families which helps grow the 4-H Program. All clubs create and run carnival-style game booths, decorating to the theme.

Plan to attend Fun Night from
3:00-7:00 PM on
Saturday, February 8, 2025
Auditorium at the Tehama District Fairgrounds.
Bed Races are from 2:30-3:00



Cakes Needed For the Fun Night's Cake Wheel



The Bowman 4-H Club is asking each 4-H family to donate cakes and cookies for their cake wheel game, so that as many people as possible can play and win a cake. For more information, contact Vicky Woolley 530-347-3591



4-H Leaders Council Updates

Tehama County Leaders Council meets monthly to discuss, plan and evaluate county programs, budget and events. Meetings are the 4th Tuesday of the month from September through June, at 6:30 at the Tehama County Department of Education at 1135 Lincoln Street in Red Bluff. Council meetings are open for all 4-H leaders, members and parents. This is a great time to express your thoughts on any countywide program and event. All 4-H appointed adult volunteers and 4-H member's (14 years and older) are voting members and are invited to attend monthly council meetings. Election of council officers are held annually at the Leaders Council meeting in June. All 4-H appointed adult volunteers are invited to hold an office; some offices are open to teen 4-H members.

Leaders Council Representation

To achieve "Club in Good Standing" status and earn a green seal, clubs must have a representative regularly attend meetings of the Tehama

County 4-H Leader's Council

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Attendance	A	S	0	N	J	F	M	A	M
Antelope	X	X	X	X					
Bowman	X	X	X	X					
Corning	X	X		X					
Flournoy/ Paskenta	X	X	X	X					
Lassen Colony	X	X	X	X					
Los Molinos	X	X	X	X					
Manton	X	X	X	X					
Olive	X	X	X	X					
Westside	X	X	X	X					

Newsletter Articles

Please send us information and photos on what your club or projects are doing! Its always fun to see what is happening in our 4-H world!

The deadline for submitting your articles and photos to be included in the "January newsletter"

is December 15th.

If you have something special happening in your club or project we'd love to include it in the newsletter!! Send us all the details and background along with a photo if you have one. And remember you can get credit in your Record Book for submitting an article!

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Erin Paradis: ecparadis@ucanr.edu

COUNCIL CORNER

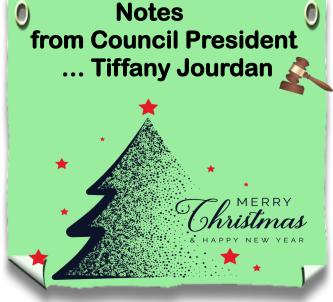
Date of next meeting:

January 28 @ 6:30 PM

Agendas available online

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2024-2025 Event Calendar



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2024-2025 Events Calendar

JULY - 2024

- 4 4th of July
- 18 Enrollment open
- 26-28 State Leadership Conference

AUGUST

- 17 COUNTY RECORD BOOK JUDGING
- 24 Leaders retreat
- 27 Mandatory Leader's Meeting @5:30
- 27 Leader's Council @ 6:30

SEPTEMBER

- 2 Labor Day*
- 24 Leader's Council
- 30 DEADLINE FOR 4-H MEMBER

ENROLLMENT (must be enrolled in 4-H by this date to participate in the Junior Livestock Auction at Tehama District Fair)

OCTOBER

- 5 Manton Festival 4-H Outreach Booth
- 6-12 National 4-H Week
- 12 Olive Festival 4-H Outreach Booth
- 13 AWARDS NIGHT
- 14 Columbus Day
- 19 Dairyville Orchard Festival 4-H Outreach Booth
- 22 Leader's Council.

NOVEMBER

- 11 Veteran's Day*
- 14 Leadership Training
- 26 Leader's Council
- 27-28 Thanksgiving*

DECEMBER

25 Christmas*

JANUARY - 2025

- 1 New Year's Day*
- 11 COUNTY PRESENTATION DAY
- 18 FAVORITE FOODS/LIFE SKILLS
- 20 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day*
- 28 Leader's Council

FEBRUARY

- 8 FUN NIGHT
- 12 Lincoln's Birthday*
- 17 President's Day*
- 25 Leader's Council

MARCH

- 1 LIVESTOCK JUDGING
- 8 LIVESTOCK SHOW
- 14 County Ambassador/B.L.A.S.T. Information Meeting
- 25 Leaders Council
- 29 FUR AND FEATHERS

APRIL

- 12 Fashion Review/Still Exhibits
- 22 Leaders Council
- 25 B.L.A.S.T. AND County Ambassador
 - Applications Due
- TBD Regional Presentation Day

MAY

- 4/30-5/4 Tehama District Fair
- 24 State Field Day
- 26 Memorial Day*
- 27 Leader's Council

JUNE

24 Leader's Council







Letter to 4-H Parents

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This comes from my heart and experience. 4-H is the BEST youth program in our area. However, the benefit to your kid is directly related to the effort you and your child put into it. Eric and I put our kids into 4-H, because we were both painfully shy as kids and figured our kids would be too. We wanted socially adjusted kids. Our 4-H experience has worked better than we had ever hoped. I joined 4-H as a secondary Guitar Leader when Jolene was 4. Within 3 years I had become the leader of the Los Molinos Club and I was dragging the girls to all of the 4-H events so that I would know something about the events if my club ever had to host them. In the process our family has made some great friends from throughout Tehama County and beyond. Think about the impact that has had on our kids.

When our family is in "town" doing errands, we run into people from 4-H all of the time. Sometimes it is just a quick "hey". Sometimes it is a 30-minute conversation in the fabric section of Walmart. So, what is the impact to our kids? Boredom and eye rolls, absolutely! And a sense of belonging. Security. Confidence. And a heartfelt commitment to maintaining that sense of community.

Some people are only in 4-H for the livestock check. There are tons of benefits from that commitment all on its own. BUT. But I wish all of the families would come to more countywide events. Let those kids be bored together during the down time. They are making countywide connections. Community connections. Strike up a conversation with another parent, build community for yourself. Build community for your kid.

My kids have so many parents here in Tehama County. Once I became part of the Tehama County 4-H camp staff, the community expanded by leaps and bounds. Then the girls and I got Eric convinced to come too! The pack of 20 or so adults is a group parenting adventure that oversees approximately 150 youth. I trust all those adults and many of the camper's parents to parent my kids. Do they always appreciate the parenting they get from other 4-H parents? No. At least not in that moment. But in reflection. Yes. And just like that I have circled back around to that sense of belonging, security, confidence.

I look forward to meeting some new faces this year and getting to know some familiar faces even better! I will be helping to host both Presentation Day (County and Regional) and the Large Animal Livestock Show this year. I will be at Camp too, which is the most fun you can have in Tehama County 4-H! Jump in, the water is fine!



~Anne Junge





Club Reports/BLAST Report



Manton Club Report ... by Gavin Franklin

Our recent 4-H meeting was an exciting one as we installed our new club officers. Each officer was recognized for their important role in leading our 4-H group. We look forward to a fantastic year ahead, with our officers working together to make our 4-H club the best it can possibly be!



Olive Club Report ...

Everyone was at our November meeting. We had Katie Junge, Tehama County Ambassador, at our meeting for officer installations. We ate dinner and reviewed the last meetings minutes and were approved. We discussed our treasurers report. We also discussed the veterans parade. Olive will be participating in the Corning Christmas parade.





The leadership team of Tehama County 4-H Ambassadors and BLAST members have been busy finishing up Officer Installations in all the clubs. Congratulations to all the new and returning officers, this is going to be an amazing year and we wish you all the best and if you ever need any help please reach out to the leadership team. We have been working on public speaking practice at our meetings. As Ambassadors and BLAST members we have the opportunity to improve our public speaking abilities, which is a crucial skill in many aspects of life. Public speaking gives us confidence in expressing our ideas clearly and persuasively in front of other 4-Hers and diverse audiences. Leadership in 4-H helps us become more adept at thinking on your feet when asked unexpected questions. When we're in a leadership role, we are likely asked questions that require quick, thoughtful responses. Practicing impromptu speaking in these moments allows us to think critically under pressure and improve our ability to stay composed in front of others. At our last meeting we practiced impromptu speaking with topics drawn out of a "hat" and each time we all got better and better. At the end of the meeting we all were given an item to make a quick commercial. We all laughed so hard and had so much fun with that activity. Being a part of this leadership team has helped us in our public speaking skills that we will use for life. Looking forward to seeing you all real soon!





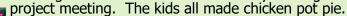
Club Reports



Flournoy/Paskenta Club Report ...

The Flournoy Paskenta 4H club has had a busy month. We had our officer installations led by Zoeigh Perez. Our new officers are: President-Tucker Hill, Vice President— Aubree Freund, Secretary— Brishen Schenk, Treasurer— Adeline Knight, Sgt. of Arms— Maci Diaz, Reporter—Landen Weston, Historian— Catherine Belter, Photographer— Dean Belter. In addition to new officers we also had The Paskenta Hall dinner where the members helped

In addition to new officers we also had The Paskenta Hall dinner where the members helped serve dinner and provide help with the auction. On Sunday evening we placed flags at the Paskenta Cemetery for all the veterans and then we honored our veterans by having a float in the Veterans Day Parade. The kids enjoyed shaking hands with the Veterans who we met along the parade route. That evening we closed out our weekend by holding our first cooking









Bowman Club Report ... Griffin Mann, Reporter

Our club meeting went really well. Our Ambassador installed our new officers. We talked about our Christmas Tree Fundraiser where you could buy Christmas trees from our club. We also talked about our flag ceremony where we go to the Cottonwood Cemetery and place flags for our Veterans on Veterans Day.

Antelope Club Report ... Everest Vine, Communication Officer

Antelope 4-H meeting was held on November 4th we concluded our coffee fundraiser and talked about wrapping gifts at Ace Hardware in December

We had sign up sheets go around for our Christmas parade float. Next meeting our club will be doing a white elephant gift exchange. we also went over games for 4-H fun night. Our next meeting will be December 9th at 6:30pm

Los Molinos Club Report ... Hannah Andersen, Reporter

On October 19th, our club worked with Manton 4-H to put on a petting zoo at the Dairyville Orchard Festival. We had volunteers working in various other jobs during the festival as well. At our November club meeting we awarded year stripes & pins and learned all about lavender & luffa from our guest speaker, Kaz who came from MoonBeam Farms in Corning. We are also busy planning our holiday potluck, parade floats, and County Presentation Day















Mark your Calendars!





CHRISTMAS TREE SALE

SATURDAY DECEMBER 7th



Selling starts at approx. 12:00 PM until 6:00 PM (TREES WILL BE CUT IN THE MORNING)

> **SHASTA FARM & EQUIPMENT** MAIN STREET COTTONWOOD

\$4.00 PER FOOT / PRICES RANGE FROM \$ 8.00 - \$ 50.00



SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14TH, 2024 Shasta District Fairgrounds- Anderson, CA

CHECK IN: 8:00AM

CONTESTS: 9:00AM-12:00PM

BREED ID CONTEST:

OPEN TO ALL YOUTH DIVISIONS

SHOWMANSHIP CONTEST:

OPEN TO ALL YOUTH DIVISIONS

HAVE TO BE AFFILIATED WITH 4-H TO PARTICIPATE!

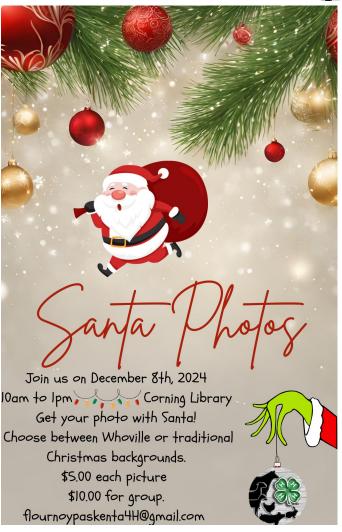




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*PAYMENT DUE DAY OF EVENT





2025 4-H Fashion Revue - April 12, 2025

STATE CATEGORIES:

Traditional*

Traditional - Wool*

Consumer Science (Purchased)*

Upcycle*

Eras Challenge - Decades Theme Softie Challenge

Leather Creations

Needlework Local Categories will include above options as

well as Team and Anything Goes, these do not qualify for state.

Start Planning Your Entry Now!

More Information *National Qualifiers | Coming Soon!





Upcoming events!



TEHAMA COUNTY 4-H

WHO CAN ENTER?

4-H members of all ages are eligible to participate. Presentations can be given on any topic and are not limited to your current 4-H project area.

*HOW DO I ENTER?

All participants must complete the online entry form by due date (1/3/25).



January 11th, 2025

<u>Location:</u> Lassen View Elementary School 10818 CA-99, Los Molinos, CA

REGISTRATION OPEN NOW! DEADLINE IS 1/3/25 BY 5PM!

Event Agenda:

8:00-8:30AM

Slide Show Presenters - Check in and Room Assignments

All Other Presenters- Check in and Room Assignments

9:00AM-9:30AM

Evaluators & Room Coordinators Orientation, Welcome Assembly

Presentations Begin

*When presentations have concluded (~11:30AM-Noon) Awards Ceremony Begins



LIFESKILLS **JUDGING**

Life Skills judging is a competitive event where 4-H members demonstrate their knowledge and abilities in various life skills. Members move between different stations where they complete tasks or answer questions related to specific life skills.



This event is held at the same time and location as Favorite foods day, which makes it easy for members to participate in both events.



Saturday January 18th, 2025



Paskenta Community Hall 13140 Toomes Camp Road Paskenta, CA





Favorite Foods day registration is open! Please go to our website to register or check out our Tehama County 4-H Facebook page!



Where: Paskenta Community Hall (13140 Toomes Camp Rd, Paskenta, CA 96074

When: Saturday, January 18, 2025

Time: 9:00am for check in, 10:00am judging begins.

All entries & copy of recipe are due by January 10th, 2025.

The Adult category this year is...... Pies!!!



















December

Ryan Kohler Landen Weston Lillie Wooden Brian Rohrer Natalee Wells Ayla Branton Corbin Eggleston Andrea Mojica-Palafox Andres Mojica-Palafax Wyatt Jourdan Dominic Machado Gino Balistreri Tucker Peery Acelynn Dilsaver Clayton Campbell Rylee Sinclair Austyn Milton Maddison Wooden Chloe Collier Ridge Blankenship Clayton Gilles Oliver Grady Ashlyn Grubbs Bronc Lear Peyton Rickey Rowan Johnson Seguoia Vigliotti Nicolas Brazie Erik Lydon Alekzándro Ramirez Mea Robles Londyn Bentley Quinn Jensen Aerith Cooper Rorie-Jean Lear Kai Dozier Charlotte Staton Penelope Staton Cooper Jennings Mayson Bates Luella Dixon Ibriyah Shub Arlan Gannone Ellie Pendergraft Mackenzie Russell

January

Ivy Bain Trenton Woolley Madison Bates Wyatt Hill Aiden Flood Thomas Hall Olivia Estrada Rylan Gingerich Anistin Milton Aaron Flood Samuel Sutfin Atreau McDonald Annika Sears Kameron Whitney Rex Herd Kennedi Rhoads Emmie Baker Kinsley Eller Cooper Donaldson Francis Nuttall Myranda Hansel Rylee Hogan Eliseo Lopez Chloey Remakel Carson Tinker Maggie Howard Reid Walstead Rhett Reno





Countywide Project Directory

4-H Projects typically begin at the club level however, if there are no volunteers leading such projects, the option to open a popular project to the county level allows others to interact and meet members from other clubs who have similar interests. Countywide 4-H projects are available to any active Tehama County 4-H member. These projects have their own schedules and meeting dates and it is up to the member to keep informed as they do not meet at monthly club meetings. Countywide 4-H projects must be approved annually by our county 4-H Program Educator upon completion of a Countywide Project Info Sheet on file with the UCCE Tehama County 4-H Office. Interested in starting or continuing a Countywide 4-H Project? Request a Countywide Project Info Sheet by emailing ecparadis@ucanr.edu.

PROJECT	MEETING INFORMATION	LEADER INFO	PHONE/EMAIL
Dog	Meetings at Ridgeway Park Please contact Project Leader for more information.	If you are interested contact Cathleen Cahill	526-3807 cathleen.cahill@gmail.com
Pygmy Goat	Project meetings to start soon. Please contact Project Leaders for more information.	Tammi Josephson Christine Flood	515-5877 PygmysbyTJ@yahoo.com 949-8433 christineflood4@yahoo.com
Rabbit Market	Contact Leader for more information 6pm— Show Rabbits (Only Lassen Colony and Los Molinos Clubs) 7pm— Market Rabbits (Countywide)	Anne Junge	530-592-7887 annehopson74@hotmail.com
Shooting Sports	Contact Leader for more information.	Jim Huntsman (contact Jim to be added to the Remind App for shooting sports)	200-5535 huntsmanj@sbcglobal.net
Shooting Sports		Anne Junge	530-592-7887 annehopson74@hotmail.com

Here's a thoughtful message from the club president of Bowman to express gratitude to the 4-H club members:

I want to take a moment to express my deepest gratitude for each and every one of you in the Bowman 4-H club. Your unwavering support, passion, and dedication to the 4-H pledge have made this club not just a group, but a family.

The commitment you show to developing your *Head, Heart, Hands*, and *Health* reflects the true spirit of 4-H. Your hard work, enthusiasm, and kindness inspire me every day, and I'm incredibly proud of everything we will accomplished together .

Thank you for your continued dedication to making our community better, and for supporting

one another through every challenge and success. I look forward to all the amazing things we will continue to achieve as a

team.

Aaron Flood

Bowman President 2024







CALENDAR

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December

25 Christmas***

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