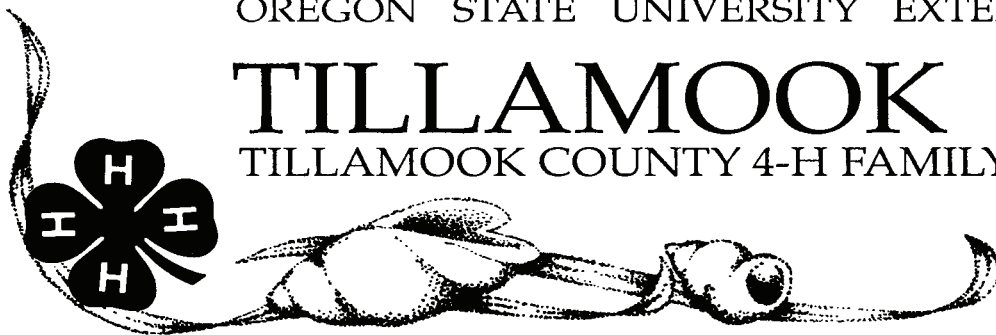


TILLAMOOK TIDES

TILLAMOOK COUNTY 4-H FAMILY NEWSLETTER



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May/June 2011

4-H Day Camp Programs Scheduled

Come join our summer fun! Current 4-H members receive a \$15 deduction per day camp. Sign up early, space is limited. Financial need scholarships are available. Fees cover equipment, supplies, field trips and activities. Campers attending camps with a ★ will make something that can be entered in 4-H at the County Fair. Register at the OSU Extension Service, 2204 Fourth Street, Tillamook, OR 97141, 503-842-3433. Registration materials are also available on the web at: <http://extension.oregonstate.edu/tillamook>

★ **Pioneer Times Day Camp** – Simple times, Simple living– take a trip back to the pioneer days. Come explore leather crafting, woodworking, and cooking the way the pioneers did, then travel to current days and spend a day Geocaching.

When/Where: June 27–July 1, 9–noon., OSU Extension Service, Tillamook

Ages: must have completed 2nd through 5th grade

Cost: \$55 (\$40 for current 4–H members)

★ **Capture the Moment with Photos** – Learn the basics of photography (shutter speed, lighting, framing, and creative printing ideas) to get great shots to enter at fair or give as gifts. Bring your own camera – digital or film.

When/Where: June 27–July 1, 1–4 pm, OSU Extension Service, Tillamook

Ages: must have completed 3rd grade or up

Cost: \$55 (\$40 for current 4–H members)

★ **Sew Much Fun** – Learn to use a sewing machine and make several simple sewing projects, including shorts or a skirt. For beginning sewers only.

When/Where: July 5–8, 9 am–noon, OSU Extension Service, Tillamook

Ages: must have completed 4th grade or up

Cost: \$55 (\$40 for current 4–H members)

★ **Dishin' Up the Dirt** – Join us for a busy four days of hands–on projects. Plant a container garden, make garden crafts, cook and have fun! Bring gloves and wear clothes that can get dirty.

When/Where: July 5–8, 1–5 pm, 4–H Dorm, Tillamook County Fairgrounds

Ages: must have completed 2nd grade or up

Cost: \$55 (\$40 for current 4–H members)

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★ *Participants attending these programs will make something that can be entered in 4–H at the County Fair.*

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★**Simply Stunning Fiber Arts** – Join us for an opportunity to make a variety of fiber art projects. Explore knitting on round and straight looms, as well as needles; quilting using tying and machine methods; weaving using flat looms & table top looms; and a variety of free-choice crafting projects. Bring a sack lunch.

When/Where: July 11-15, 10 am-3 pm, Latimer Quilt and Textile Center, Tillamook

Ages: must have completed 3rd grade or up

Cost: \$55 (\$40 for current 4-H members)

OMSI/4-H Science Day – Dinos & Wonders – Join OMSI staff for a morning of prehistoric dinosaur puzzles and wee wonders in science. Become a paleontologist digging for fossils and learning how to reassemble a whole dinosaur from just a few pieces. Then spend time experimenting with color mixing, creating sandstone rock and more.

When/Where July 21, 9 am-noon, Tillamook Bay Community College

Ages: must have completed K-3rd grade

Cost: \$35 (\$20 for current 4-H members)

OMSI/4-H Science Day – Imagineering – Join OMSI staff and challenge your imagination and creativity. Participants will use open-ended problem solving as they design and build a motorized writing machine.

When/Where July 21, 1-3 pm, Tillamook Bay Community College

Ages: 4th grade and up

Cost: \$35 (\$20 for current 4-H members)

Cooking Matters for Kids – Experience cooking fun and nutritious foods while learning to read and follow a recipe. Enjoy tasting a variety of fruits, vegetables, dairy, grain and protein foods.

When/Where: July 25-29, 9-11:30 am, OSU Extension Service, Tillamook

Ages: must have completed 3rd grade or up

Cost: \$55 (\$40 for current 4-H members)

★**Crafty Creation Cloverbuds** – Experience lots of fun, hands-on craft activities tailored to this age group. Work with clay, paper, fabrics, soap, acrylic paints, and more. All projects will be on a beginner level with the ability for the more experienced crafter to add to the project. We will get messy, so dress accordingly!

When/Where: July 25-29, 1-4 pm, OSU Extension Service, Tillamook

Ages: Grades 1-3

Cost: \$55 (\$40 for current 4-H members)

OMSI/4-H Science Day – Investigating Chemistry – Join OMSI staff and spend a day filled with radical reactions and investigating chemistry. Explore chemical reactions by designing experiments and predicting outcomes. Then, after lunch, do experiments with flames, dry ice and mystery compounds, as well as measuring the energy content of various foods. Bring a sack lunch.

When/Where August 17, 11 am-3 pm, Tillamook Bay Community College

Ages: 4th-8th grade

Cost: \$35 (\$20 for current 4-H members)

★ *Participants attending these programs will make something that can be entered in 4-H at the County Fair.*

We are pleased to recognize the supporters of our day camp programs:
Latimer Quilt & Textile Center, TCMGA

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General Announcements & Congratulations

4-H Enrollment Deadline-June 1 for New Members and New Projects

June 1 is the deadline for members to enroll in the 4-H program (except day camp participants) in order to be eligible to exhibit at the Tillamook County Fair.

All members enrolled as of June 1 will receive a letter in mid-June with details about exhibiting in the 4-H program at the Tillamook County Fair. **Enrolled 4-H members must turn in their 4-H fair entry form by Wednesday, July 13** listing the exhibits they plan to bring to the Tillamook County Fair.



Want to Scoop Ice Cream for 4-H at the Fair ?

The Tillamook County 4-H Leader's Association partners with Tillamook County Creamery Association at the Tillamook County Fair by scooping ice cream at the TCCA Booth. This partnership allows TCCA to focus their giving efforts more clearly on youth and youth development in Tillamook County. This is the second year of this partnership and last year the Tillamook County 4-H Leader's Association earned \$ 8,048.

Debbie Crist will be Ice Cream Booth Coordinator again this year and represent the 4-H Leader's Association in this partnership. Debbie will coordinate with TCCA and the Executive Board in setting up the volunteers to staff the booth during the 2011 Tillamook County Fair. The funds raised will be funneled back into the 4-H County-Wide Fund to be disbursed among scholarships, training, upgrading/ updating of equipment, etc.



Youth members need to be 12 to 18 years old and each shift will need to have a minimum of 2 youth with 2 adult [19 and older] partners. A youth member cannot participate without an adult partner, but that partner does not have to be their parent.

Watch your mail, e-mail and phone for a message from Debbie requesting volunteers!



Project Materials Now Online

The following titles are now online:

- ✓ Poultry Project Member Guide (4-H 150) <http://ir.library.oregonstate.edu/xmlui/bitstream/handle/1957/19887/4-h150.pdf> ,
- ✓ Poultry & Pigeon Advancement Program (4-H 1501R) <http://extension.oregonstate.edu/catalog/4h/4-h1501R.pdf> ,
- ✓ Archery Member Manual (4-H 361) <http://ir.library.oregonstate.edu/xmlui/bitstream/handle/1957/19888/4-h361.pdf>



New Projects Can Still Be Added

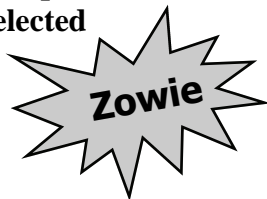
photography...
sewing...
art....
foods

4-H members who are already enrolled in 4-H can continue to add projects **through June 1**. You can add projects as an independent member and exhibit at the fair. This is a good option for projects where we do not have clubs, such as art, video, photography or gardening.

How do you go about adding a new project? First, you have to add the project to your enrollment form, or call Sherry at the OSU Extension Service to add a project. Then, by **July 13**, you have to determine what class you want to display your item in, then fill out and turn in the 4-H fair entry form. Remember, just because you have chosen an additional project does not mean your club leader must cover the subject at meetings.



Camp Counselors Selected



Congratulations **Selena Breazile, Gregory Macias, Tristan Silveira, and Shelby Porter** of Tillamook County and college age counselors: **Carrie Coughlin, Sean Compton** and **Adrienne Schneider**, on being selected as camp counselors for 4-H Summer Camp.



4-H Camp



Don't miss out on the fun at 4-H Camp **June 20 - 25**. Youth in grades 4-8 will enjoy swimming, canoeing, the rope swing, crafts, and evening campfires.

This camp is open to all youth, you do not need to have been previously enrolled in 4-H. The camp will be held at the Oregon 4-H Conference & Education Center, 5390 4-H Road NW, near Salem, Oregon. The theme will be "*Superhero & Villains*" 4-H Camp.

Registration ends June 10th, but if you are late, call 503-842-3433 to see if there is still room. Sorry, the scholarship funds for 2011 campers have already been awarded.



4-H College Scholarship Winners



The following graduating 4-H members will be receiving 4-H college scholarships: Congratulations, and good luck at college!

Local 4-H Scholarships

Tillamook County 4-H Leaders Association \$500 Scholarship – **Lisa Forster**
Tillamook County 4-H Leaders Association \$250 Scholarship - **Staci Sherer**
Tillamook County 4-H Leaders Association \$250 Scholarship - **Rachael Porter**
Jim Durrer Memorial 4-H \$500 Scholarship - **Stephanie Woods**

State 4-H Scholarship

Klein-Youngberg Family 4-H Foundation \$1250 Scholarship **Lisa Forster**
Judith Hofer 4-H \$1500 Scholarship **Mallory Trost**



Chaperones Needed

Needed: Female chaperones for the 4-H dorm at the Tillamook County Fair August 9 - 13. Chaperones for the 4-H dorm during the Tillamook County Fair must have successfully completed the 4-H leader application process, which takes at least three weeks, and includes a criminal background check.



Mohler Fair

The **Mohler 4-H Community Fair** will be held **July 16**. Exhibits will be judged at 10 a.m. Fashion review will be at 12:30 p.m. following the potluck lunch. This Fair is sponsored by and held at White Clover Grange. It is open to North County 4-H members (Neah-Kah-Nie school district). Bring your 4-H projects, and educational displays for judging. Plan to bring a dish and stay for the potluck as a way of thanking the White Clover Grange members for all their hard work.



Exchange Program



Families Desperately Needed! We are in need of host families for boys ages 12 - 14. Please consider sharing your home with a Japanese student from mid July to mid August. Host families should have a youth in the approximate age range as the exchange students.

Placements are being made now for the summer. Please call for more information, host applications, and brochures. Call 503-842-3433, OSU Extension Service Tillamook County, or the Tillamook/Clatsop County Coordinator, Electa Mathre at 503-325-0698. Applications are also available at the Oregon State 4-H website at: <http://oregon.4h.oregonstate.edu/japan%E2%80%94summer-hosting-program>



Teen Fun Night



Fun night out for the **Teen Club! June 10th 7 – 9 pm** at the Tillamook Bowling Lanes

Bring a friend, new to the club, and get a prize.

Come for a night of fun with other 4-H Teens!

Members are responsible for their shoe rental and lane fees.



Congratulations Graduates !

Our congratulations and best wishes to the following currently enrolled 4-H members upon their graduation from high school:

4-H Class of 2011

Brianna Chatelain
Jerry Creasy
Cody Davidson
Olivia Dunne
Brianna Edginton
Kelsey Filosi
Lisa Forster
Sam Gray
Charlie Griffith
Andrea Kenagy
Erica Lee
Kim Measor
Joey Meyer

Jon Perry
Kristen Persons
Shannon Pieren
Rachel Porter
Johnathan Reeder
Daniel Rodriguez
Susan Scholerman
Arica Sears
Staci Sherer
Brad Springs
Mari Turpen
Emily Whalen



**Tillamook County
4-H Budget Update –
Impact on Fair**

As you may be aware, the OSU Extension Service 4-H program relies on federal funds, state general funds, funds from the Tillamook County 4-H and Extension Service District and donations/fundraising by the Tillamook County 4-H Leader's Association to coordinate the Tillamook County 4-H program. These funds provide funding for the OSU Extension Office and staff. This year, budgets at all levels are being impacted by increasing costs and declining or level revenues, causing reductions in staff and supplies.

In Tillamook County, Pat Penney, the office specialist who provides support for the Master Gardener and 4-H programs is being reduced from full time to half time beginning July 1 with the beginning of the fiscal year. This reduction will impact her ability to provide support for the 4-H program, including county and state fair.

To address the reduction in staffing at the Tillamook County fair we are looking for volunteers to assume some of the tasks that have been handled by staff in previous years. Here are some of the jobs that could be done by a volunteer. Contact Sherry, Nancy or Joy at 503-842-3433 for more information or to volunteer.

Awards Wrangler –July 1 through the end of fair

- make sure revolving trophies are returned
- send out thank you's to award sponsors;
- update the 4-H Fair Awards program script
- take trophies to Diamond Art for engraving daily throughout the fair
- enter award winners in the program script daily throughout fair
- contact award winners to notify them of the fair 4-H awards program

Fashion Revue Narration Coordinator –July 13 through August 4

- Make sure all members entered for fashion revue have submitted a narration
- Type narrations into a Word document
- Edit narrations for flow and to be written in third person with 75-150 words
- Assemble narration notebook (alphabetical by exhibitor)

Poster Person – June 1 through August 8

- Develop posters for foods contests & presentations, leaders, award sponsors, fashion revue, horse show and ribbon boards
- Hang posters at fairgrounds

State Fair Coordinator – June 1 through August 16

- Photocopy and assemble state fair packets
- Develop state fair packets for static exhibits during county fair
- Check in state fair exhibits on Monday (8-15) and Tuesday (8-16); check for appropriate labels, tags, etc.

Data Entry – July 13 through the end of fair

- Enter exhibitors in classes
- Enter results from clerk sheets



County & State Fair

Fair Focus Topic of 4-H Leaders Quarterly Meeting

4-H Leaders should plan now to attend the 4-H Quarterly Leaders Meeting on **Monday, June 27**. The topic will be "Fair Focus" and will highlight changes for the 2011 Tillamook County Fair as well as fair survival tips for leaders. The meeting will begin at 7 pm with a short business meeting, followed by the program. Parents are also welcome to attend.



Fair Judges Score Sheets Available



Members may pick up a copy of judge's score sheets for home economics, horticulture, expressive arts, engineering and natural resource exhibits at the OSU Extension Service. These project areas are interview-judged. Members may meet with the judge and visit about how they made their exhibit, what problems (if any) they had and explain why they did things certain ways. The judge is an expert and can share ideas and tips that will help improve the exhibit. If parents and leaders join members for their "interview" they are expected to remain in the background and listen, but not talk. Interviews with judges are encouraged, but not required.



Leasing/Borrowing Animals

The State 4-H lease policy states: "...Members may have only one leased animal in species where they do not have their own animals (exception: dog & horse). Copies of leases specifying responsibilities of lessee and lessor must be on file at the county Extension office. Members in the Dog Project may have one leased dog. Copies of leases specifying responsibilities of lessee and lessor must be on file at the OSU Extension Service in Tillamook by **June 1** (exception: horse leases due **April 15**)."



Need Help With 4-H Records?

Informal Record Book Workshops – There will also be two informal 4-H record book workshops where Extension staff will help members work on their record books. 4-H members should have completed what they can and then bring their questions and any necessary information (such as income and expenses) with them to these hands-on workshops, which will be held on:

June 30th, 7:00 - 8:00 pm, 4-H Dorm, Tillamook County Fairgrounds

July 11th, 3:00 - 4:00 pm, OSU Extension Service Meeting Room, Tillamook

Joy, Nancy and Tanya are also available to assist 4-H members/leaders with 4-H records. Call the Extension Service at (503) 842-3433 to schedule an appointment or attend one of these informal records workshops.

Convert Record Books into Cash! Record books must be turned in on **July 13th** to be judged. 4-H members with the highest scoring record books in each division will receive ribbons and cash!

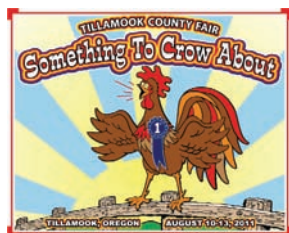
Junior Champion /\$15.00
Intermediate Champion /\$25.00
Senior Champion /\$35.00
Most Improved Record Book/\$10.00

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Scholarship reminder: High school juniors must submit their record book at the 2011 Tillamook County Fair to be eligible to compete for \$500 4-H college scholarships their senior year (2012).



**2011 County Fair
Theme Announced**



The Tillamook County Fair has announced that the 2011 fair theme will be **"Something to Crow About."** Clubs may want to use this theme as they plan decorations.

County Fair premium books, which include the 4-H schedule and information, will be in the local Headlight Herald newspaper in early June. Fair dates are **Aug. 10-13.**



State Fair Dates

The complete 2011 4-H State Fair schedule and state fair premium book is available on the State 4-H website at <http://oregon.4h.oregonstate.edu/state-fair>



Friday, August 19	Senior. & Intermediate. Horses delivered to State Fair
Saturday, Mon. Aug. 20-22	4-H Horse Events
Mon., Tues., Aug. 22, 23	4-H Horse Western Gaming
Friday, August 26	Opening Day of Oregon State Fair Fashion Revue Judging Intermediate Dog Show
Saturday, August 27	Public Fashion Revue Senior Dog Show
Tues.-Sun., Aug. 30-Sept. 4	4-H Livestock at State Fair
Wednesday, August 31	Poultry/Pigeon Show, Eggs Judged, Poultry Judging Contest Cavy Show Dairy & Pygmy Goat Showmanship
Thursday, September 1	Rabbit Show Pygmy Goat & Dairy Goat Conformation Beef & Swine Showmanship
Friday, September 2	Beef & Swine Conformation Meat Goat, Dairy Cattle & Sheep Showmanship
Saturday, September 3	Sheep, Dairy Cattle & Meat Goat Conformation Master Showmanship Contest
Sunday, September 4	Dairy Goat Judging Contest Livestock Special Awards Program, Livestock released

Notice: Information about the State Fair presentations, foods contests, and mini-meals contest is not yet finalized. Check with the OSU Extension Service for further updates.



Leadership & Scholarship Opportunities

OSU Summer Conference



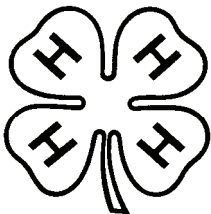
The Oregon 4-H Youth Council invites 4-H'ers in grades 7-12 to participate in the OSU/4-H Summer Conference **June 22-25**. Participants live in dorms and eat in the cafeteria, learn the campus, take interesting classes, and make friends from around the state. The cost is \$200. The first 10 first time participants from Tillamook County to sign up will receive a \$100 scholarship, so their cost is only \$100. Financial need scholarships are also available.

The four-day conference includes a host of interesting topics including classes in Science, Art, Technology, Entrepreneurship, Dance, Adventure, Cooking, Dog Agility and lots more. Also included is 4-H Ambassador Training and National Congress Interviews. Every year a pool party and dance have been the highlight of the event.

Registration began May 2 with all registrations due to the Tillamook OSU Extension Service by **May 18** if requesting a scholarship. Enrollment is limited to 300 youth, and they will be processed in the order received. Therefore, it is important to get your registration in early. After June 1, there will be a late fee charge of \$25. No registrations will be accepted after June 10. Class descriptions and registration forms are posted on the State 4-H Website: <http://oregon.4h.oregonstate.edu/sc-registration> or stop by the OSU Extension Service for more information or to register.



4-H Alumni Scholarship Available



Tillamook County 4-H alumni who plan to continue their education can apply for a \$500 scholarship sponsored by the 4-H Leaders Association. Applicants must have been affiliated with the Tillamook County 4-H program as a member or leader.

This scholarship is for alumni who have been out of high school for one or more years (including alumni who are currently enrolled or returning to school) and can be applied to community college, four-year college, trade school or business college.

The scholarship requires a short application, 500-word essay describing the impact 4-H has had on their life and how it has helped them get where they are today, and a 15 minute interview (which can be completed by conference call). Applications must be submitted by **July 1**.



Karen Hopkins Memorial Scholarship Application Guideline



The 2011 Karen Hopkins Memorial Scholarship will be awarded at the Tillamook County Fair 4-H Awards Program. One \$500 scholarship will be awarded to a student who meets the following criteria:

- ♥ Be an alumnus of the 4-H or FFA Program **or** be an Education Major
- ♥ Be a graduate of a Tillamook County High School or home school.
- ♥ Student must have successfully completed at least one year of higher education (accredited 2 or 4-year college, trade school, or business school) and be planning to enroll full-time during the next school year.
- ♥ The scholarship must be used for the student to attend any accredited university, community college, trade school, or business school.

Applications will be available at the OSU Extension Service, 2204 Fourth Street, Tillamook, OR 97141, 503-842-3433. Complete applications will be due by **July 1**.



Seeking Oregon 4-H Ambassador Applicants

It's time to start thinking about applying to be a 2011-12 Oregon 4-H State Ambassador. The Oregon 4-H State Ambassador team is made up of 12-18 fantastic 4-H members and serves as the public relations arm of the 4-H program. The role of the State Ambassadors varies from year to year, but typically they do things like moderate the Oregon 4-H facebook page, serve as hosts at State Fair, and emcee Summer Conference and other events.

Interested members should be in the 10th or 11th grade for the 2010-11 school year. They need to attend a training and interview at Summer Conference as well as submit an application. Applications are **due June 1** to the State 4-H office and can be found at <http://oregon.4h.oregonstate.edu/ambassador-program>



Home Economics & Expressive Arts

Foods & Food Preservation Gift Package Guidelines



Are your members planning to exhibit a foods or food preservation gift package? Stop by the OSU Extension Service and ask for a copy of guidelines for creating blue ribbon gift packages. These guidelines were developed by Roberta Newman, state fair foods judge, and provide tips for choosing containers, foods, accessories, occasion, cost and recipes.



Summer Canning Classes Scheduled



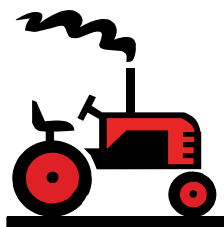
4-H members interested in food preservation are welcome to attend the summer canning classes. These classes will highlight the most current food preservation techniques and resources that are required for fair exhibits. Cost is \$12 per class (or \$15 on day of class) for supplies. Participants will take home something they have canned. Call 503-842-3433 for more information.

Class Date	Class Topic
Thursday, June 30 , 6 - 9 pm	Canning Fruits, Pie Fillings, Jams & Jellies
Thursday, July 21 , 6 - 9 pm	Canning Fish, Meat and Vegetables
Thursday, August 25 , 6 - 9 pm	Canning Pickles, Salsa & Tomatoes



Agriculture & Animal Science

Tractor Safety Training Requirement



Youth under 18, seeking farm jobs involving the use of power-driven farm machinery must complete tractor safety certification. Youth employed by immediate family are exempt. If a certification program is not available within 35 miles of a youth's residence, 16 and 17 year old youth may be employed if the employer provides training as required by the Oregon Bureau of Labor and Industries. Youth 14 and 15 years old are not eligible for the employer training option.

Farmers hiring uncertified youth between the ages of 14 and 17 can face penalties and other liabilities under the Oregon Wage and Hour Rules, as administered by the Bureau of Labor and Industries.

Contact the Joy Jones at the OSU Extension Service in Tillamook at 503-842-3433 for more information.



4-H State Dairy Judging Results



The 4-H State Dairy judging contest was held at Oregon State University on May 2nd. The **Senior Champion Team** was made up of: 2nd Individual **Ruth Johnston** (353), 3rd Individual **Emily Whalen** (337), 5th Individual **Kim Measor** (330). 9th Individual **Cody Chance** (288), 10th Individual **Lucas Leslie** (275) are team alternates. 1st place **Intermediate** Individual was **Scott Rocha** (338). 4th place **Intermediate** Individual was **Charish Ingram** (302).



Ducklings & Bantam Chicks Available



“The Incredible Egg” Class purchased assorted Bantam and duck eggs for hatching this year in class. These birds will be available to purchase after the class. Please contact the office for more information. Birds are scheduled to be hatched at the end of May. Price will be \$5.00 a bird.



Small Animal Pre-Fair



There will be a 4-H Small Animal Pre-Fair **July 12**, from 9:00 am to 3 pm, at the Tillamook County Fairgrounds. Prepare for fair by showing in pre-fair. Learn by doing and find out if you have your animal entered correctly.



4-H Goat Clinic



There will be a 4-H Goat Clinic on **June 4**, from 12:30 to 2:30, at the Tillamook County Fairgrounds. Come learn about care of your goat, feeding, health care, and showing and fitting your goat.



Animal Health Care Reminders

All animals need to receive basic health care. Some tasks for all animals include:

- ◆ Monitor and control parasites – worms, lice, mites, coccidia, flies, grubs, etc.
- ◆ Check hooves or toenails. Do they need to be trimmed or treated?
- ◆ Check for body condition. Is the animal too fat or thin? Review nutrition and feeding. Are you meeting the animal’s nutritional needs for its stage of life and production?
- ◆ Vaccinations and annual boosters. Talk to your veterinarian and determine what diseases to vaccinate for. Some projects require specific vaccinations of your animals so that you may participate in group events, such as the dog project. Contact the Extension Service to get a copy of the specific rules. In addition there is concern about specific diseases with certain projects, some of these include:
 - Horses-West Nile Virus
 - Swine-Erysipelas
 - Beef and Dairy Heifers – Brucellosis
- ◆ Make certain that all project animals are properly castrated, dehorned, and tails docked, if required.
- ◆ Ear tag your sheep and goats with Scrapie Tags.
- ◆ Check and follow all drug withdrawal requirements for any product you use with your animals

The publication, “Keeping Your 4-H Market Animals Healthy,” (4-H140) contains more detailed information about livestock health concerns, ask for a copy at the OSU Extension Service or view it on line at: <http://extension.oregonstate.edu/catalog/4h/4-h140.pdf> If you have questions about health care and management contact Joy at the OSU Extension Service 503-842-3433 for additional information.



**Animal Science
Saturday
Knowledge Bowl**

Enjoy a challenge? Love trivia games? The last hour of Animal Science Saturday, **June 18th**, (11am-noon) will be a knowledge bowl with questions over the material covered during Animal Science Saturdays. All are welcome to join the fun at the Ext. Service and test their knowledge. Refreshments will be served at the end of class.



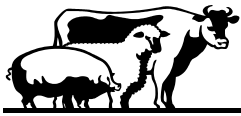
The Rest of the Story

"More Than Animals" Judging Training – June 18, 9 am - noon at OSU Extension Service. During the final Animal Science Saturday, you can learn what you need to know to score well in the Livestock or Dairy Judging Contest: feed I.D., equipment I.D., breed identification, hay judging. Things you need to know but don't often get the chance to learn.



**Livestock Judging
Dates**

Livestock Judging Hands-on Clinic – July 20, 7:00 pm at the Tillamook County Fairgrounds 4-H/FFA Livestock Barn – held in conjunction with Courtesy Weigh-in 4-H members, leaders and parents are invited to a hands-on clinic on beginning livestock judging. We will practice how to handle animals (when allowed), what to look for when judging, and giving oral reasons. We will then do some practice judging on real animals.

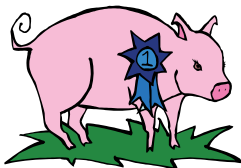


The **Tillamook County Livestock Judging Contest – August 13**, will be held on Saturday during the Tillamook County Fair (August 13). The contest will begin at 9:30 am. Participants will judge classes of live animals (beef, sheep, meat goats, and swine) and hay. They will also complete an identification class that may include: feeds, equipment, meat cuts, breeds or body parts. Junior members will complete one set of oral reasons and Intermediate and Senior 4-H members will complete 2 sets of oral reasons.

This year Misty Meadow Dairy has sponsored cash prizes for the highest scoring participants in each age division. The Rogers Family is providing a feeder lamb, pig, or goat as a prize for the high scoring Tillamook 4-H member in the 2011 Livestock Judging Contest. The winner will receive a voucher that can be redeemed for an animal next spring that would be eligible for the 2012 fair. 4-H members should sign-up to participate by completing their 4-H fair entry form and turning it in by July 13.



**State Livestock
Judging Contest**

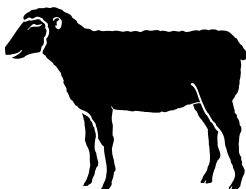


The State Livestock Judging Contest will be held on Saturday, **July 9**, at the Marion County Fair. **Registration will be at 8:30 am** with the contest beginning at 9:00 am. All participants will judge 9 sets of animals (beef, sheep and swine and goats) both breeding and market. Contestants should be prepared to evaluate performance data on some classes. The contest will also include questions on one class. Seniors will give 3 sets of reasons while intermediates will give 2 sets.

Contact the OSU Extension Service by **June 28** if you would like to participate.



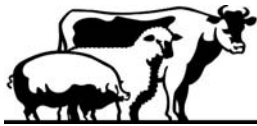
4-H Marketing Class



4-H Marketing Class - 4-H members that learn to market their products, such as their Junior Livestock Auction animals and dairy replacement heifers, will be learning an important life skill. 4-H members should attend the 4-H Marketing Class on **June 15**, at the OSU Extension Office, beginning at 7:00 pm. They will learn about how to encourage buyers to attend the auction during fair and how to talk to a potential buyer. Club leaders – please encourage your members to attend.



Market Animal Weigh-Ins



The Junior Livestock Auction Committee (JLAC) weigh-in will be on **June 4**. 4-H members planning to sell market sheep, swine, goats, and beef at the Junior Livestock Auction during the Fair **must** weigh-in their animal on **June 4** at the Tillamook Co. Fairgrounds between 7 am and noon. Check the JLAC rules for recommended weights and ages for animals at weigh-in. JLAC rules are available online at <http://extension.oregonstate.edu/tillamook/4h/4h-fair> or at the OSU Extension Service in Tillamook.

4-H members planning to sell market poultry or rabbits **must** notify the committee by the **June 4** weigh-in, and register with the committee. They are **required** to weigh in their animals on **July 20**, 6:00 to 7:30 pm at the Tillamook County Fairgrounds.

4-H members that weigh-in an animal with the Junior Livestock Auction Committee are not automatically enrolled in 4-H. Youth **must** enroll in 4-H and be signed up in their 4-H project area. They must also turn in their 4-H fair entries by **July 13**.

If a 4-H member cannot attend the weigh-in they must submit a written request to the Junior Livestock Auction Committee one week prior to the weigh-in. The request must be signed by the member's Extension Agent or FFA Advisor. **Only significant school-related events or a family emergency are considered acceptable excuses by the auction committee.**



4-H Horse Project Dates



4-H Horse Project members and leaders - mark your calendars for these 2011 4-H Horse Project dates: (all Tillamook County events are scheduled at the fairground's South Arena)

- ◆ County 4-H Horse Pre-Fair Event—Saturday, **June 18**
- ◆ County 4-H Horse Fair Event, **July 23**
- ◆ County Western Gaming Finals, **August 10**
- ◆ State Horse Fair Events, **August 20-22**
- ◆ State Horse Fair Western Gaming, **August 22-23**



Upcoming Events

Contact the OSU Extension Service for information on upcoming *out of-county* shows. We often receive flyers, so check regularly to find out about new shows. Remember some shows have pre-registration deadlines. Make sure you have a current 4-H membership card as some out-of-county shows require proof of 4-H membership.



Contact the OSU Extension Service for additional information about the following Tillamook County events.

Project	Show/Clinic	Location	Date _____
Dog	Stars & Paws Dog Match	TCFG	May 14
Sm. Animal	Tillamook 4-H Rabbit/Cavy Show	TCFG	May 28
	4-H Small Animal Pre-Fair	TCFG	July 12
Goat	4-H Goat Clinic	TCFG	June 4





4-H Calendar of Events May 2011

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 State Dairy Judging Contest, OSU	3	4	5	6	7 Western Regional Leaders Forum begins May 7 -14
8	9	10 Western Regional	11 4-H Leaders Forum continued, Alaska Cruise,	12	13	14 Stars N' Paws Dog Fun Match, 10 am TCF
						4-H Camp Counselor Training May 14-15
15 Camp Counselor Training Continued	16	17	18 JLAC 7:00 p.m., EO	19	20 Unpaid Furlough Day Front Office Closed	21 Animal Science Saturday 9 am—noon, EO
22	23 4-H Ldrs Exec Board Mtg, EO 7pm	24	25	26	27	28 Tillamook 4-H Rabbit & Cavy Show 9:00 a.m., TCF
29	30 OSU Extension Service Closed Memorial Day	31				



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			1 Last Day to Enroll in 4-H for all New 4-H Members & Leaders Animal Leases Due	2	3	4 JLAC All Animal Weigh-In, 7 am - noon, TCF 4-H Goat Clinic, TCF
5	6	7	8	9	10 4-H Teen Club Fun Night Out 7-9 p.m., Tillamook Bowling Lanes	11
12	13 4-H Camp Orientation 7-8 p.m., EO	14 4-H Camp Orientation 7-8 p.m., North County	15 JLAC Marketing Class 7:00 p.m., EO	16	17	18 4-H Horse Pre-Fair, TCF Animal Science Saturday- Livestock Judging Class 9 am—noon, EO
19	20	21	22 4-H Summer Conference, June 22 - 25 OSU Campus, Corvallis	23	24	25 June Dairy Parade
			4-H Camp June 20 - 25	4-H Center, West Salem		
26	27 Pioneer Times Day Camp, 9 am—noon, Grades 2-5, EO 4-H Leader's Qtrly Meeting 7 pm, EO	28 Capture the Moment with Photos Day Camp, 1 pm—4pm, Grades 3 and up, EO	29	30 4-H Records Book Drop-In Workshop 7—8 p.m., EO		



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