

LAKE COUNTY

4-H NEWS

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COME JOIN THE FUN THIS SUMMER!

This summer is going to be packed full of all sorts of fun things for you to come and get involved with through the Lake County Extension Office. We have lots to offer including Hiking Club, different species of Livestock Camps, Lego Camp, and more! Stay tuned and make it a great summer with OSU Extension!



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2025-2026 LAKE COUNTY 4-H AMBASSADORS!

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LAKE COUNTY 4-H ASSOCIATION BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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May 2026

Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

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3 Sunflower Noni Run 10:00 am 4 5 ANIMAL SCIENCE TOPIC OF INTEREST 6 7 8 Hiking Club Registration Opens 9

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17 18 Start accepting market pig weights 19 Monthly Leader's Meeting 20 21 ANIMAL SCIENCE TOPIC OF INTEREST 22 23

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June 2026

Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

1 Deadline to Add/Drop Projects

2 SHEEP/GOAT WEIGH-IN LAKEVIEW 5:00 -7:00 PM

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5 SHEEP/GOAT WEIGH-IN PAISLEY/NORTH LAKE

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8 Hiking Club Registration Closes

9 ANIMAL SCIENCE TOPIC OF INTEREST

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17 Hiking Club begins today

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22 Final day to report market pig weights

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4-H SUMMER CONFERENCE

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30 Record Book Workshop 1 pm Paisley

Mark Your Calendar ...
 Multiple Record Book Workshops this summer
 Small Animal Weigh-Ins: August 3rd (Lakeview) and 4th (Paisley)
 Record Book Deadline: August 7



Lake County 4-H/FFA Pre-fair Sheep & Goat Weigh-in



Location	Date	Time
Lakeview- Lake County Fairgrounds	Tuesday, June 2 nd	5:00-7:00 PM
Paisley- Paisley School	Friday, June 5 th	9:00 AM
North Lake- North Lake School	Friday, June 5 th	12:00 PM

Market Weights

Livestock members, don't forget to keep the market weight parameters in mind when selecting and feeding your projects for the 2025 Lake County Fair!

Lambs: 105 lbs

Goats: 65 lbs

Swine: 220 lbs

Chickens: *Fryers:* 4-6 lbs, *Roasters:* 6.1 and up

Beef: 1100 lbs

Turkeys: 15 lbs

Rabbits: *Fryers:* 3.5-5.5lbs, *Roasters* 5.6-9.0 lbs



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SWINE WEIGH-INS CHANGE

Swine weigh-ins will be same as last year for bio-security purposes. A leader, 4-H Faculty, an FFA Advisor, or a Market Sale Committee member must be present at weigh-in of swine. The same person will be required to take a picture for proof of ownership of the tagged animal (tag must be visible), record it's weight, and complete the weigh-in sheet to be sent to the 4-H Faculty.

Youth for the Quality Care of Animals (YQCA)

YQCA is a required course for all members bringing an animal to fair (horse and dog included) every 3 years.

How to get a member certified: Register for the class you want to attend through YQCAProgram.org and pay \$3.00 for an in-person training or a \$12 fee for a completely virtual training. (See below for in-person training dates).

 Lake County 4-H YQCA Training 		
Dates		
Location	Date	Time
Lakeview- OSU Extension Office	Saturday, August 8th	10:00 AM
Paisley- TBD	Friday, July 10th	5:30 PM
North Lake- TBD	Tuesday July 28th	5:00 PM



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Record Book Corner

Record Book Guidelines

The first step to a top-notch record book is to read the [Record Book Guidelines](#). This year, there are two different types of record books to choose from: standard or portfolio. Use the guidelines that correlate with the type of record book you are doing this year. Make sure to see the clarifications in red font in the updated document. Both new and old members must insert the 2026 version in their record books.

Come into the office and pick up your Record Book Guidelines or download from the [Lake County 4-H Website](#)

Days on Feed

Keep track of how much you're feeding your animal so that you can use the days on feed chart that will be in the next newsletter.

Record Book Workshops

Lakeview: July 30th, 4 pm

Paisley: June 30th, 1pm

North Lake: July 21st, 10:30 am

Lake County 4-H Record Book		
Pick-up		
Location	Date	Time
Paisley- Paisley Community Center	Thursday August 6 th	10:00 AM
North Lake- North Lake School	Thursday, August 6 th	12:30 PM

Lake County 4-H/FFA Pre-fair		
Small Animal Weigh-in		
Location	Date	Time
Lakeview- OSU Extension Office	Monday, August 3 rd	5:00 PM
Paisley- Paisley Community Center	Tuesday, August 4 th	10:00 AM



SUMMER HIKING CLUB

4-H Hiking Club

Lake County 4-H

- 3rd-12th Graders (You don't need to be a 4-H member to participate!)
- Cost \$20
- Register online by June 8th (link below)
- OSU Lake County Extension Office

Learn how to hike safely and be ready to challenge yourself with new and longer hikes in Lake County!

For more info call: 541.947.6054

Don't miss out on the **FUN!**

REGISTER AT: <https://beav.es/fit>



Date & Time:

June 17, 24, July 1, 8, 15, 22, 29
10 am-12 pm (time is subject to change)



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Uncovering Your Way Into Leadership!



SUMMER CONFERENCE

Calling 7th-12th graders! Join us in solving the mystery of Benny the Beaver's missing chainsaw!

JUNE 24-27, 2026

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**Build Community. Find Your Spark.
Get Ready For Life.**

What You'll Gain

- A deeper sense of who you are - and who you want to become
- Skills that build confidence, independence, and real-world readiness
- New friendships and a strong sense of community
- Opportunities to explore careers, college, and life after high school



Registration opens May 15, 2026 @ 3:00pm

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ANIMAL SCIENCE

EDUCATION 2026

A Monthly Topic of Interest



Meet virtually with Animal Science experts each month to deepen your knowledge!

6 p.m.
on Zoom

The Line Up!

March 2

Topic: Feeding Up Swine

April 8

Topic: Poultry and Turkey Showmanship

May 5

Topic: Rabbit Showmanship

May 21

Topic: Choosing Your Market Poultry and/or Rabbits

June 9

Topic: Dog Showmanship



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RAFFLE



**6 PRIZES FOR 6 CHANCES TO
WIN!**

TICKETS: \$10

RAFFLE ITEMS:

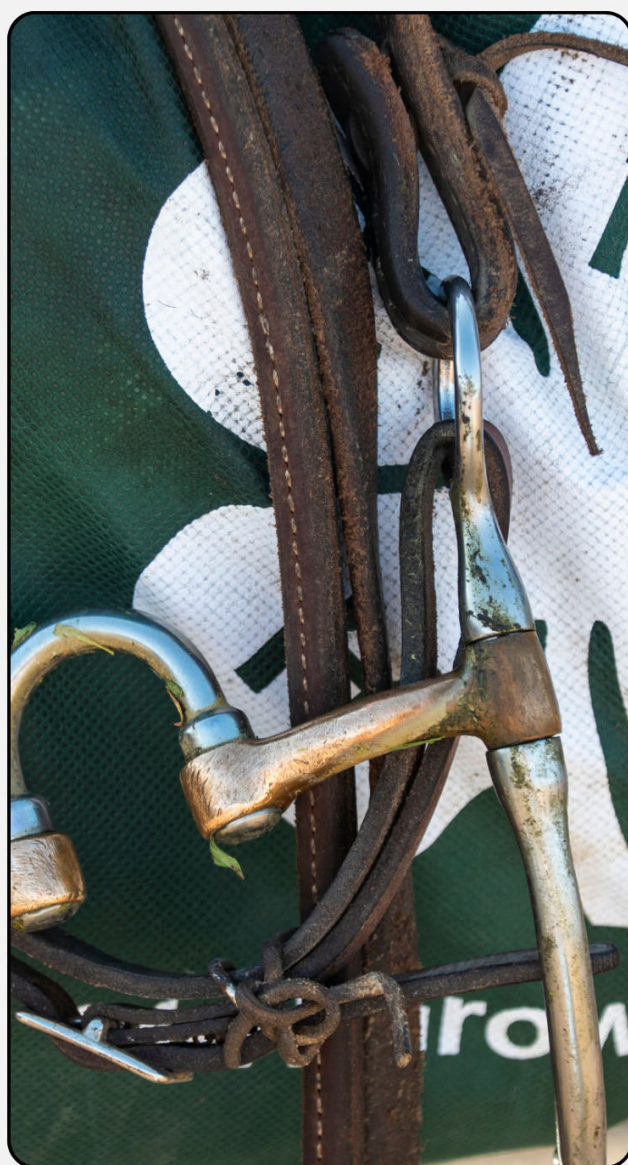
1. ½ Hamburger cow valued at \$2,000 donated by Buermanns Ranch Meats
2. ½ Hamburger cow valued at \$2,000 donated by Buermanns Ranch Meats
3. Cooler valued at \$460 donated by Les Schwab Tires- Lakeview
2. Blackstone Grill valued at \$400 donated by JR Carlon Corp- Joe and Christa Carlon
3. Quilt valued at \$350 donated and made by Anita Ward
6. Whole processed lamb donated by Larry Hansen

**Drawing: September 6th, 5 PM at the Lake County
Fairgrounds**

**Contact a Lake County 4-H Club or stop by the
Extension Office for tickets**

SAVE THE DATE
**LAKE COUNTY 4-H RANCH
HORSE CLINIC & SHOW**

OPEN TO ALL OREGON AND NORTHERN
CALIFORNIA 4-H HORSE MEMBERS



**2 DAYS OF HANDS-ON
LEARNING FOLLOWED BY A
FULL SHOW DAY**

**SEVEN BUCKLE AWARDS,
RESERVE HIGH POINT, AND
CLASS PRIZES!**

**REGISTRATION INFORMATION
COMING SOON!**

**JULY 24-26,
2026**

LAKEVIEW, OR



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Save the Date

LAKE COUNTY 4-H PERFORMANCE HORSE CLINIC & SHOW

All Oregon and Northern California 4-H horse members welcome!



**August 14–16,
2026, Lakeview,
Oregon**

Friday- Clinic covering Jumping,
Western Equitation, English
Equitation, and Showmanship
Saturday- Show & Potluck
Sunday- Show & Awards



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Oregon 4-H Volunteer Summit

Celebrating those who Make the Best Better

Join us for two days of connection, Learning by Doing, and celebrating the volunteers who make Oregon 4-H thrive!

Registration Open June 1-September 20
Registration fee: \$25 (includes lunches & banquet dinner)

October 10-11, 2026
Deschutes County Fair & Expo Redmond, OR

What to expect:

- Hands-on workshops & activities
- Take home tool box of volunteer resources
- Guest speakers from around the state
- Volunteer recognition
- Networking with other 4-H volunteers

More Information: beav.es/Ntq

More info here



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