



April

Fair Book Cover Contest

Ready your cameras and look for that perfect shot!!

Fair Time will be here before we know it, which means the Cover Contest is back! The contest is open to 4-H members, regardless of age. A \$40 gift certificate to North 40 will be awarded to the winner. **Due to the Extension Office: Friday, April 16th, 2021.** Picture resolution needs to be as high as possible. Picture may be in color or black and white! No panoramic pictures. Pictures will need to cover **5" W by 7 1/2" H Portrait Style.** Pictures may include people, but should not be the primary subject.

Member must take the photo! The following elements but be added to the picture: Judith Basin County Fair, August 10th—14th, 2021 Stanford, MT

Newsletter Scavenger hunt!!

I wanted to try something new in this month's newsletter and since it is Easter month, why not try a Scavenger hunt! I will hide an egg somewhere in this month's newsletter and the first one that emails me where they found it will get a small treat from Hannah!

Email me at hannah.marquardt@montana.edu when you find the egg!

Here's the egg to look for!



Dates to Remember:

Stanford Scramblers:
April 19th, 2021
6:30 PM
Stanford School

Geyser Lucky Clovers:
April 25th, 2021
3:00 PM
Raynesford

Utica Sapphires:
April 13th, 2021
6:30 PM
Hobson School

4-H Council Meeting
May 5th, 2021
Extension Office

Livestock Judging
Sunday, April 18th,
2021
1:00 PM
Stevenson Ranch
Hobson, MT

Geyser Lucky Clover
Livestock Judging
Clinic
May 22nd, 2021
Geyser, MT

Swine Weigh and Tag
Deadline
April 15th, 2021

Sheep and Goat Weigh
and Tag Deadline
May 15th, 2021



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4-H Resources

The MSU Extension Judith Basin County Website is up to date and a great place to find information for 4-H, AG, and HR related subjects!

Be sure to Check it out!

<https://>

judithbasin.msuextension.org/

Another great resource is:

<http://montana4h.org/>



Stanford Scramblers

Easter Events!

Easter Egg hunt

Stanford School

10:30 AM

Thursday, April 1st, 2021

Bake Sale

D's Supermarket

Saturday April 13th, 2021

4-H Junior Camp

Camp Rotary

Camp Counselors

June 28th - July 2nd

All members

June 29th - July 2nd

Fair Book Ads

If you haven't turned in your Fair Book Ads to the JBC Extension Office please do so ASAP. We still have several ads out!

Golden Triangle Preview Show

April 17th, 2021

Montana Expo Park

Great Falls, MT

Visit <https://showman.app/shows#/golden-triangle-preview-show>

To register, view schedule, and view payments.

Last day to register is April 16th, 2021

Animal Weigh-In

Swine Weigh-in deadline is April 15, 2021

Sheep and Goat Weigh-in deadline is May 15, 2021

Marias Invitational Livestock Judging Contest

Marias Fairgrounds - Shelby, MT

Sunday May 16, 2021

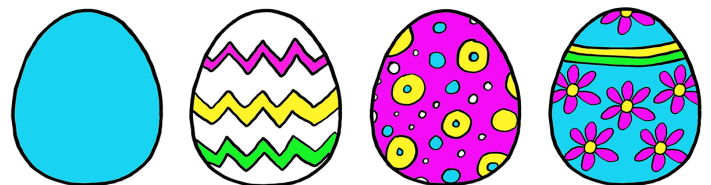
Registration starts at 12:30 PM

Contest runs from 1 - 5 PM

Awards will be given!

Send email to

hannah.marquardt@montana.edu for registration form!



Horse Clinics Scheduled for April

Clinics will be held at the pavilion at the Lewistown Fairgrounds.

Members who do not have a pavilion membership will need to pay the \$10 daily riding fee. Contact Emily Standley at (406)535-3919 for more information.

****Basic Horsemanship**

Saturday, April 17th

****Performance Horse**

Sunday, April 18th

****Ranch Horse**

Saturday, April 24th



Sheep Sales Around the Area

Hays Show Lambs

Sale starts 10 AM on April 8, 2021

Sale Ends 6 PM on April 10th, 2021

Selling 25 - 30 head

Online sale hosted on

<http://www.thelivestocklink.com>

Register to bid online 24 hours in advance.

Stanford Scramblers Fun Ski Day



4-H Goat, Sheep, and Swine

Feeding Workshops



Learn how to properly feed your market goat, sheep, and swine from our featured clinicians.



BRENT ROEDER
Sheep Specialist,
MSU Extension
Species: Goat and Sheep



MELISSA JENDRO
Livestock Production Specialist
The Western Feed Corral
Species: Swine

Sunday, April 18, 2021 | 2:00-4:00 PM

MSU Cascade County Extension (3300 3rd St NE, #9, Great Falls, MT)

Register at https://montana.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_7VyCMNsZd25e7eC by April 16, 2021.



Montana State University Extension is an ADA/EO/AA/Veteran's Preference Employer and Provider of Educational Outreach.

4-H Goat, Sheep, and Swine Feeding Workshop

Sunday, April 18th, 2021

MSU Cascade County Extension Office

3300 3rd St NE, #9

Great Falls, MT

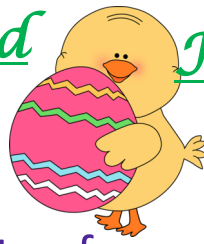
2:00 PM - 4:00 PM

The Cascade County 4-H

Livestock Leaders are hosting a feeding workshop for market goats, sheep, swine.

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Why have 4-H Record Books?



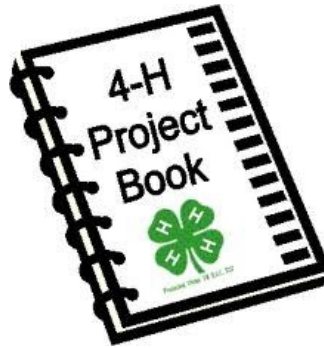
Make Record Books Valuable

4-H Record Books serve a variety of purposes in the Montana 4-H Program.

****4-H Record Books give members an opportunity to **Reflect** on their yearly work. Members document their skill development and their learning experiences in a written report. 4-H members measure their achievements and growth in their total years in 4-H.**

****4-H Record Books encourage members to set goals, pursue strategies to meet those goals, and to shift gears in the face of challenges and obstacles.**

****Completing a 4-H Record Book is a process where 4-H members record project and club work. Records management is a competency skill to identify, create, classify, archive, and preserve records. The 4-H Record Book teaches 4-H members these skills through a standard format.**



1. Use Record Books **OFTEN** as a tool for sharing and reflection!
2. Set goals early, and set aside time at the end of the year to reflect on those goals. Focus on the reflection, not “success”.
3. Educate on the difference between “What I Did,” and “What I Learned.” What I Did - Literally, what you did. What I Learned - The reflection portion. What did I actually learn from this experience??

Where to find Record books?



<https://4h.zsuite.org/>

<https://judithbasin.msuextension.org/4-H/4-h-forms/index.html>

APRIL 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28	29	30	31	1 Easter Egg Hunt 10:30 AM Stanford School	2	3 Scramblers Bake Sale D's Supermarket 8 - 12 PM
4	5	6 Utica Sapphires 6:30 PM Hobson	7	8 Hays Show Lambs - Online Starts 10 AM	9	10 Hays Show Lambs Ends 6PM
11	12	13	14	15 Swine Weigh and Tag Deadline	16	17 Golden Triangle Preview Show Montana Expo Park
Livestock Judging 1:00 Stevenson Ranch	19 Stanford Scramblers 6:30 PM Stanford School	20	21	22	23	24 Basic Horseman- ship Clinic Lewistown, MT
Performance horse clinic Lewistown, MT						
Feeding Workshop Great Falls, MT						
25 Geyser Lucky Clovers 3:00 PM Raynesford	26	27	28	29	30	1

IMPORTANT INFORMATION INSIDE!!

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4-H: The Youth Development Program of MSU Extension

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