



LAS ANIMAS COUNTY
COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY
EXTENSION

SEPTEMBER / OCTOBER 2018 4-H NEWSLETTER

THANK YOU!

Thank you to all of the Las Animas County Fair Board Members, adult leaders, parents, 4-H and FFA members, donors, and supporters of the 2018 Las Animas County Fair! It was a great success, and that is due to the teamwork by all involved to pull off this event.

SAVE THE DATE

2018 4-H Achievement Day

Sunday, November 4, 2018

2:00 P.M.

Trinidad Middle School Auditorium

You're cordially invited to attend this year's achievement program. Reception to follow. Each family is asked to bring cookies or a simple desert.

4-H COUNCIL MEETING

Sunday, October 14

2:00 P.M.

Las Animas County Fairgrounds

4-H ADULT LEADERS MEETING

Tuesday, October 9

6:00 P.M.

Las Animas County Fairgrounds

Supper will be served!

4-H QUILTING CLASSES

Fridays

November 2, 16, 30

January 18

February 1, 22

March 8

Mondays

November 5, 19

December 3

January 21

February 4, 25

March 11

9:00 AM - 12:00 P.M.

Las Animas County Fairgrounds

Cost: \$60 for all class materials

The \$60 fee includes all fabric including backing, thread, and pattern. \$30 will be due by the registration deadline on October 1st. FYI: the fee for last year's class was much less expensive because it was partially funded by a grant and several private donors. When you call to register, you must state which classes you will be attending - Mondays or Fridays.

NATIONAL 4-H WEEK

October 7 - 13, 2018

4-H Week is recognized across the nation as a time for members to celebrate the organization we all hold dear - 4-H. If you or your club would like to do something special, or if you'd simply like to hang fliers around your school, please call the extension office and we will provide the resources you need.



COLORADO STATE FAIR RESULTS

Grand Champion

Owen Doherty - Int. Leather Carving
Cadence Doering - Jr. Home Environment
Antonio Moltrer - Sr. Compound Archery Limited

Reserve Grand Champion

Cadence Doering - Jr. Ceramics
Rylee Baca - Sr. Visual Arts
Nevaeh Martinez - Int. Cake Decorating

Champion

Kassidy Larson - Int. Clothing
Jaxson Cannon - Int. Shotgun Stand Alone
Blake Olguin - Jr. Shotgun Board
Allyciea Santistevan - Int. Clothing
Makayla Baker - Int. Cake Decorating
Grace Baca - Int. Cake Decorating
Ronni San Roman - Int. Card Making
Travis Hamilton - HW Cross Market Hog

Reserve Champion

Raevyn Odum - Sr. Clothing
Cade Vigil - Int. Robotics
Nevaeh Martinez - Int. Quilting
Jacee Sumpter - Int. Clothing

Myka Salbato - Int. Woodworking
Finn Warner - Maine Anjou Heifer
Liam Doherty - Jr. Leather Carving

1st Place

Josh Waller - Junior Yearling Heifer
Finn Warner - FFA Heifer Wrangle
Megan Wait - FFA Heifer Wrangle Showmanship

2nd Place


Megan Wait - FFA Heifer Wrangle
Travis Hamilton - MW Cross Market Hog
Travis Hamilton - Duroc Market Hog

3rd Place

Raevyn Odum - Sr. Muffins
Jason Malespini - Sr. Quilting
John Terry - Int. Scones
Katherine Agnello - Int. Visual Arts
Caitlin Gabrielson - Sr. Global Citizenship
Travis Hamilton - MW Cross Market Hog

4th Place

Caitlin Agnello - Jr. Muffins
Melecio Gutierrez - Sr. Cake Decorating
CaliRose Howell - Int. Scrapbooking
Allison D'Ercole - Sr. Cat





COLORADO STATE FAIR RESULTS

5th Place

Brett Kendall - Int. Quick Breads

Emma Amato - Int. Clothing

Destiny Archuleta - Int. Clothing

Brock Doherty - Int. Creative Sewing

Rylee Baca - Sr. Vet Science

Finn Warner - FFA Heifer Wrangle Showmanship

Blake Olguin - Jr. Leather Carving

6th Place

Cadence Doering - Jr. Cookies

Brendon Aubuchon Daugherty - Sr. Shotgun Board

Nevaeh Martinez - Int. Archery Board

Joella Newport - Jr. Rifle Board

Makayla Baker - Int. Quilting

Brody Doherty - Int. Creative Yeast Bread

Ronni San Roman - Int. Upcycled Clothing

Josh Waller - Spring Yearling Heifer

Raevyn Odum - LW Black Face Lamb

Las Animas County Sr. Archery Team:

Antonio Moltrer

Bret Lucero

Nevaeh Martinez

Hailey Larson

7th Place

Brody Doherty - Int. Yeast Rolls

Sonny Raine - Sr. Rifle Board

Megan Wait - Sr. Double Crust Pie

Caitlin Agnello - Jr. Quick Breads

Ellegra Gutierrez - Int. Cookies

Joselyn Santistevan - Jr. Cake Decorating

John Terry - Dorset Lamb

CaliRose Howell - Int. Scrapbooking

8th Place

Holly Ward - Jr. Clothing

Aimee Mincic - Jr. Quilting

Hailey Larson - Sr. Archery Stand Alone

Elaine Shannon - Int. Cake Decorating

Raevyn Odum - HW Market Goat

Trey Diemer - LW Market Goat

9th Place

Autumn Rayne Gutierrez - Sr. Crochet

10th Place

Kennedy Cranson - Jr. Clothing

Emma Amato - Int. Rifle Stand Alone

Raevyn Odum - LW Market Goat

Raevyn Odum - LW Black Face Lamb

Raevyn Odum - Speckled Face Lamb

Other Awards

Fashion Revue

Raevyn Odum - Best Pop of Color



IMPORTANT FAIR REMINDERS

Career Summary & Secretary Books Deadline: October 1st

Record Books

Livestock record books will be graded on a complete/incomplete basis, and will be done at the club level. If a record book is determined to be incomplete, the 4-H member will have ten days after he/she is notified to complete the record book. If he/she does not complete the record book, they will not be eligible to re-enroll in that project for the 2018 4-H year.

Leaders, record books are ready to be picked up at the extension office.

County Record Book Awards

If a 4-H member wishes to compete for the Farm Credit Awards, call your club leader to enter the contest. Record books must be turned into the office by October 1st. The Farm Credit Record Book Awards are given to the top six record books in the county, and winners will receive \$50 cash.


State and County Fair Exhibit Pickup

Friday, September 7 - 12:00 - 4:00 P.M. @ the LAC Fair Grounds
Wednesday, September 19 - 4:00 - 6:00 P.M. @ the LAC Fair Grounds

If you do not pick up your exhibits at the scheduled times, they will be recycled. If you are not able to pick them up at these times, please make arrangements with your club leaders or fellow 4-H family to have them picked up for you.

Sale Commission

The following is an explanation of why the LAC Fair Board charges a sale commission at the Junior Market Sale, and what expenses it covers: the LAC Fair Board charges a 4% commission to cover all costs associated with putting on the Junior Market Sale. Those include, but aren't limited to, buyer BBQ tickets, all advertising before and after the sale, liability insurance, postage, buyer appreciation gifts, office supplies, printing costs, and the general cost-of-doing-business expenses the Junior Market Sale incurs. The LAC Fair Board also covers the cost of an animal when a buyer/add-on contributor fails to fulfill their obligation. In short, commissions on your market animals at the sale make the sale possible this year, and in future years.



MARKET SALE TOTALS 2014 - 2018

	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Number of Head	96	86	78	76	74
Buyer Total	\$151,000.00 34%	\$112,825.50 -10%	\$125,401.00 11%	\$112,700.00 22%	\$92,050.00 -10%
Floor Total	\$36,545.14 -16%	\$43,551.55 23%	\$35,517.24 40%	\$25,293.60 -28%	\$35,131.30 36%
Add-On Total	\$41,401.00 7%	\$38,750 16%	\$33,519.50 24%	\$27,122.25 -8%	\$29,444.00 10%
Total	\$228,946.14 17.3%	\$195,127.05 0.4%	\$194,437.74 17.8%	\$165,115.85 5.4%	\$156,625.30 1.2%

COLORADO LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

Camp: November 2 - 4, 2018 @ Glenwood Springs, CO

Registration Due: September 29, 2018

4-H Members 6th - 9th Grades

Cost: \$135

Registration for CLC will take place in 4HOnline. To register, please login to your family account at www.4honline.com and click the orange "Continue to Family" button. Scroll down to the bottom of this screen and find the box titled, "Register a Member in an Event." Select the member or chaperone's name wishing to attend, and then the event "2018 Colorado Leadership Camp." Click the "Register" button that appears below. Answer all questions asked, then click through all of the payment screens (there are several). At the very end you will get to a screen that says "Finish" at the top and it will have a "Print Confirmation" button, if you wish to print. Follow to the procedure for every family member who wishes to attend.

As of now, we haven't been provided with a web address to visit for more information. If you would like to learn more, please contact us at the extension office and we will do our best to get the information to you.

CAMP DARE TO BE YOU

Camp: November 2 - 3 @ Pueblo, CO

The date and location is all of the information we have currently. When we are provided with more information, we will pass it along to you!



SEPTEMBER 2018

“[4-H] represents unchanging American values in a changing world - values like learning from doing... caring for a community, leadership, integrity. Those things don’t change. And they’re kept alive by young people who are not burdened down with doubt, but have a fresh hope for the future.” |
President Jimmy Carter

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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Labor Day (Office Closed) 2	3	4	5	6	Fair Exhibit Pickup 7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	Fair Exhibit Pickup 19	20	21	22
23	24	25	LAC Fair Board Meeting 26	27	28	Camp CLC Registration Due 29
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OCTOBER 2018

“Alone, we can do so little.
Together, we can do so much.”
Helen Keller

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	Quilting Class Registration Deadline 1 Career Summary/Secretary Book Deadline Record Book Award Deadline	2	3	4	5	6
7	8 Columbus Day (Office Closed)	9 Adult Leaders Meeting	10	11	12	13
National 4-H Week						
14 County Council Meeting	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
Lorri & Kim in Fort Collins (Office Closed)						
28	29	30	31			