Application Form
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Choose which Communicator Award you/team are applying for:

Periodical Publication (Individual and Team)

Select one:

Team Entry

Total number of team members:

(All team member names, titles, addresses, and phonetic spelling of names must be included on the supplemental page to this application to receive recognition.)

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Award Nominee

(Exactly as you wish to have it on the award.)

Wyoming County 4-H Program Staff

Phonetic Spelling

(Please use to help ensure proper pronunciation.)

Wyoming County 4-H Program Staff

Name of Person Submitting Application

(Note: All correspondence will be with the award nominee! We are not able to keep awards a surprise!)

Nathan Smith
Objectives:
Produced 5 times a year, the Wyoming County 4-H News is an essential tool used to communicate vital information to members and leaders in the Wyoming County 4-H youth program. The primary goal of the 4-H News is to keep 4-H members and leaders informed about what is happening in 4-H. This includes announcements for upcoming programs, registration deadlines for workshops and projects, summaries of recent events, and notifications about recognition and awards in Wyoming County.

Target Audience and Current Population:
With 254 leaders and 968 youth members, our total readership is approximately 1,222 readers. However, because many leaders have children involved in the 4-H program and households often have multiple children participating in projects, we send out an average of 720 copies of the 4-H News throughout the county. The 4-H News is also posted online as a pdf for those readers who have selected to receive only an electronic copy of the 4-H News instead of a mailed print copy.

Production (Publisher’s requirement & Methods used):
Every stage of the 4-H News is produced in house by the Wyoming County 4-H Staff. This includes content generation, layout, design, printing, and postage preparation. Localized production allows Wyoming County to produce and disseminate the 4-H News at a lower cost. The 4-H News is mailed at a bulk mailing price averaging $178.53 per issue which is added to the average printing cost of $403.20 per issue yielding a total average production cost of $581.73.

Impact Results:
The 4-H News serves to efficiently spread the word about all the opportunities that 4-H has to offer the youth in Wyoming County. We know that our target audience is pleased with this periodical because of the feedback we have received in addition to the large amount of program participation we have seen as a direct result of the 4-H News.

Applicant Roles:
Holly Harwood, Tanya Nickerson, Roxanne Dueppengiesser, and Shawn Tiede are responsible for writing, developing, and editing the content that is placed in the 4-H News. Most of this content relates to their respective program areas and varies from issue to issue. Nathan Smith is responsible for the layout and Graphic Design of the 4-H News as well as generating content intermittently. Sharon Wolcott coordinates the printing, filing and mailing of the 4-H News.
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5TH
At Camp Wyomoco
2780 Buffalo Road in Varysburg

ACTIVITIES FROM 4PM - 8PM

- Pumpkin Drop
- Canoeing and Kayaking (UNTIL DARK)
- Yard Games - Pumpkin Toss
- Dance (6PM - 8PM) - Facepainting
- Dodgeball - Fishing - Photo Booth
- Donut on a String - Spooky Tales (6PM - 8PM)
- Pumpkin and Gourd Painting
- Hiking - And Much More!!!!

BONFIRE FROM 8PM - 9PM

Remember to Dress Warm, Bring a Flashlight, and be Ready to Have Fun!!
If you have questions, please call the 4-H Office at (585) 786-2251.

FOOD
Hotdogs, Grilled Cheese, Soups, Snacks and Drinks. Please bring a Dessert to Share. There will be no cost to 4-H families!

GREAT JOB!
To all the Wyoming County 4-Hers who participated in the Wyoming County Fair and those that represented our great county at the State Fair.

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CLUB OFFICER TRAINING
Tuesday, October 29, 2013 at 7PM
CCE Education Center, Warsaw

All newly elected 4-H Club officers are invited to attend Club Officer Training. Participants will learn about the responsibilities of their new positions and will receive a pin of their respective office. Please call the 4-H Office by Wednesday, October 23rd if you plan to attend.
• Wyoming County •
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6PM - 8PM
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**ENROLLMENT INFORMATION**

**4-H FUN NIGHT**, Camp Wyomoco
4PM - 9PM

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**National 4-H Week Contests**

**National 4-H Week!!!**

**4-H FRIDAY**
**OCTOBER 11TH**

Don't Forget to wear your 4-H apparel to celebrate National 4-H Week!!!
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**WHAT’S COOKING IN 4-H**

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At CCE Education Center, Warsaw

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It’s time to plan for the 2014 Wyoming County 4-H cookie sale. Our cookie sale area chairmen will be meeting in October to select the varieties of cookies that will be sold in 2014.

If you have any constructive comments or ideas regarding the 2014 4-H cookie sale, please call your area cookie sale chairman or a staff member at the 4-H office before October 15th.

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**SALE4-H**
Is Quickly Approaching!!!

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**BY ADDING $1 AT CHECKOUT**

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9AM - Noon
Warsaw High School, West Court Street, Warsaw

The flyer for this event will be available at the 4-H office and at: WyomingCounty4H.com
Registration Deadline: November 22, 2013

Secretaries Honor Roll

Congratulations to the following club secretaries for turning their reports in on time to the 4-H office:

**JUNE** in by July 17th
Alexis Meisner ★ 4-H Lucky Charms
Sabina Mogavero ★ The Barnstormers
Kiara DeVries ★ Wild Riders

**JULY** in by August 21st
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**REMEMBER**
Secretary reports are due at the 4-H office by the third Wednesday of the following month. Reports for September are due by October 16th. October reports are due by November 20th.

FYI: The Secretaries Monthly Report is available online: http://nys4h.cce.cornell.edu/Documents/Staff/Program%20Management/Clubs/SecretarysMonthlyreportcombinedfillable.pdf

**GIANT VEGETABLES**

**WEIGH-IN**

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 21ST**
6PM - 8PM
Letchworth High School Greenhouse

Bring in your oversized veggies to the Giant Vegetable Weigh-In on October 21ST to stack them up against other Wyoming County 4-H Gardeners!

*To participate, you can bring in any giant vegetable, not just those grown with seeds from the 4-H office.*

**PARLIAMENTARY PROCEDURE Workshop**

Wed. December 11 at 7PM
CCE Education Center, Warsaw
Open to Leaders and Older Teens!

Join us to discuss basic parl pro principles and tips for running your meeting under Roberts Rules of Order. Call the 4-H office to register.

4-H Holiday Workshop

Saturday
December 7, 2013
9AM - Noon
Warsaw High School, West Court Street, Warsaw

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WORKSHOP

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WOOL SWEATER MITTENS
Workshop
Learn how to make wool mittens from recycled wool sweaters!!
Instructors: Amy & Amanda Ciurzynski
Wednesday
OCTOBER 30, 2013
6:00PM - 8:00PM
At the CCE Education Center
Cost: $5.00
Please call to register by Friday, October 11, 2013
585-786-2251
Open to all 4-H’ers and Adults!
Please Bring a Sewing Machine

4-H ACHIEVEMENT BOOK WORKSHOP

Monday, November 4, 2013
7PM - 8PM
CCE Education Center, Warsaw

Instructors: Kelsey & Katelyn Arnold, 4-H members; Celina Almeter, 4-H member; Mary Fuller & Ruth Zehler, former 4-H Club Leaders and Roxanne Dueppengiesser

This workshop, open to all 4-H’ers, interested leaders, and parents, will answer some common asked questions about 4-H Achievement Books including:

What is a 4-H Achievement Book?
Why make an Achievement Book?
What goes into an Achievement Book?

We encourage both the 4-H’ers who are just getting started putting together an Achievement Book for the first time, and those who have entered Achievement Books at the county fair over the years, to attend!

Receive tips and pointers from both 4-H’ers who have done outstanding achievement books (receiving blue ribbons and purple rosettes at State Fair) and our local fair judges!

Our 4-H’ers will shared their knowledge and give you an opportunity to view their “blue ribbon” winning books! In addition, our 4-H Achievement Book county fair judges, will give you some insight in what they look for in judging the 4-H Achievement Book entries at the Wyoming County Fair.

We’ll also review the judging sheet used to evaluate achievement books and review tips on putting together a ‘Table of Contents’ for your book!

As a personal record of YOUR accomplishments as a 4-H member, every 4-H member is encouraged to make and keep a permanent record of his or her experiences in the 4-H program! 4-H Achievement Books become a wonderful resource when filling out 4-H Award Trip applications, college applications and scholarships.

Workshop registration deadline: Monday, October 28th.
Register by calling the 4-H Office at 786-2251.

4-H RECOGNITION NIGHT
Thursday, November 14, 2013
AT 6:30PM
American Legion Hall
Warsaw Village Park
$15.00/Non Leader
$7.50/Enrolled Leader

Is your club is interested in donating a themed gift basket?
Please call Jessie Nickerson at the 4-H office to sign up!

Watch your mail...
More information to follow!
Wyoming County 4-H Award Trip

DISNEY YES PROGRAM

By: Stephanie Luders

Xavier Almeter, Tyler Perry and Stephanie Luders started off our trip on Friday, July 5 by meeting at the Buffalo airport and then flying to Orlando Florida. We stayed at the Disney All-Star Sports Resort. On our first night at Disney we went and explored Downtown Disney. On Saturday we traveled to the Magic Kingdom. Here we met princesses, rode some rides, and explored all the neat shops they had on main street.

On Sunday, we started the first day of our Disney YES Program. Sunday’s program was “Exploring Disney Animation History”, this was spent at Hollywood Studios. Here we got to go back stage and see the basic drawings and sketches for some of the Monsters Inc. movie characters. We also did team building by making up our own hand-drawn movie. After our program was finished we enjoyed the rest of the day walking around Hollywood Studios. We enjoyed some the sights such as the Indiana Jones stunt show, and the famous tower of terror.

Monday, we went to Epcot for our “Disney Leadership Strategies” program. We learned the team building strategies that Disney uses to train their cast members. Tuesday morning we traveled to the Disney Animal Kingdom for “Exploring Careers in Zoological Sciences”. As a group we went behind the scenes and saw how each animal has a special diet plan and how it is made up.

Wednesday, our last day in Florida, we went to the Camp Wilderness campgrounds to see the horse barns that house all the horses used in the parades.

The Disney YES Program was a wonderful opportunity exploring Disney and going behind the scenes. I would recommend this award trip to many 4-H’ers.

Supported by the 4-H Cookie Sale

4-H AWARD TRIP APPLICATIONS

Does visiting interesting places, doing exciting things, and meeting fascinating people sound like fun to you? Then fill out a 4-H award trip application!

All 4-H members 13 – 19 years of age should receive an award trip application by late October. Tentative trips available may include: Pennsylvaniva Farm Show (Harrisburg, PA), Capital Days (Albany), Career Exploration (Cornell University), West Virginia State 4-H Camp (Jackson’s Mill State 4-H Conference Center, West Virginia), Disney YES (Youth Educational Series), and Agri-Business Career Conference (SUNY Cobleskill).

All trips are sponsored by the 4-H Leaders’ Association. Contact the 4-H office if you do not receive an application by late-October. All applications are due in the 4-H office on Monday, November 18, 2013.

Please encourage all 4-H’ers 13-19 years of age to apply!!!

Cupcake Creating Workshop
November 23rd, 9AM

Hands-on cupcake flavor creating!
Talk with the bakers at Sweet Nic’s Cupcake Shop about how they develop flavors of the week.

Then try your hand at designing your own cupcake and learn basic decorating.

Cost $5

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Only 10 spots for this workshop are available so call the 4-H office to sign up ASAP.

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(585) 786-2251
Six Wyoming County 4-H teens attended this year’s 4-H Career Exploration Conference 2013 at Cornell University in Ithaca, NY, June 25th – 27th.

Our 4-H youth joined over 600 other teens and adult chaperones from across the state for this three-day adventure on the Cornell campus. The fun-filled three days were a chance to learn about potential careers, check out college life, and develop leadership skills through one of several exciting programs. Career Explorations offers a program, called Focus for Teens, focused on the areas of interest for teens in 10-12 grade, and a less intense program, called University U, for teens entering 8 and 9th grade. Wyoming County teens participated in programs ranging from Professional Dairy Careers, Natural Resources (Forestry, Wildlife & Fish, and Biomedical Engineering to Food Science: DNA Fingerprinting and Veterinary Science Discovery.

Free time activities allowed our 4-H youth to meet teens from across the state and renew friendships.

Representing Wyoming County 4-H were: Alexandria Barber, Bliss; Cory Crowell, Arcade; Emily Lampson, Castile; Adele Schenk, Delevan; Tyler Shaver, Arcade; and Hope VanDerwater, Holland. Chaperoning the group were Mark VanDerwater and Roxanne Dueppengiesser. Registration fees for our 4-H’ers were paid for by funds from the 4-H Leaders’ Association.

2013 MAKE A DIFFERENCE DAY
Saturday, October 26, 2013

Join the action on Saturday, Oct. 26, 2013, the 23rd annual Make a Difference Day, the nation’s largest day of community service. On Make a Difference Day 2013, millions of volunteers will unite to improve the lives of others in their communities. Whether you want to help a local organization or organize a project of your own, you will improve the life of someone else.

For Make a Difference Day, the 4-H Office is looking for clubs, independent members or individuals who want to plant tulip bulbs at local libraries, churches or businesses. Call Tanya or Toni at (585) 786-2251 if you or your club are interested!

LOST & FOUND

Did you lose anything at the County or State Fair? You can call the 4-H Office at (585) 786-2251 to see if we found it!!

Also, don’t forget to pick up your exhibit pieces for the County and State Fair from the 4-H Office!
COMMUNITY SERVICE OLYMPICS

4-H Clubs and independent members can participate! Volunteer in the community! Remember, the community helps 4-H! This is a great way to meet people in the community and develop friendships with people of all ages. Gain an understanding of how policy decisions are made and learn new skills.

Here’s how you or your club can participate in the 4-H Community Service Olympics:

1. Plan and set goals for the project(s) you or your club would like to do.
2. Briefly describe the project on the report sheet.
3. Complete the project and take pictures of your event.
4. List the names of all participants who worked on the project on the report sheet.
5. Attach 1 or 2 photos to the back of the report sheet.
6. Turn in a report sheet as soon as possible! Additional sheets are available from the 4-H office.

Clubs or individuals who turn in their Community Service forms for community service project work completed between October 1, 2012 and October 1, 2013 will receive a certificate.

COMMUNITY SERVICE OLYMPICS

Club or Individual’s Name: ____________________________________________________________

Brief Project Description (Include what, when, where and why):
________________________________________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________________
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What club member(s) learned by doing the project:
________________________________________________________________________________
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List Names of participants in this community service project:
________________________________________________________________________________
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Club Leader’s Signature: ___________________________ Date: ___________________________

Return to the 4-H office once the community service project has been completed - no later than 10/19/13.
4-H Week Contests

4-H Secretary Book Contest
Club secretary should deliver the completed book to the 4-H office by October 4th. All books will be judged and given a ribbon. The top 3 blue ribbon books will receive $10.00, $7.50, and $5.00 respectively.

Display Contest
1. Must be in Wyoming County store or business window, school or bank - a place where it will be seen by the public.
2. Must pertain to the theme - “Making a Lasting Impact”
3. Must include club name and 4-H week dates, October 6-12, 2013.
4. Must be in place by 6:00PM October 7th and remain in place through Saturday, October 13th. Judging will occur during that week.
5. Be sure to notify the 4-H office by Tuesday, October 8th regarding the location of the exhibit. (585-786-2251)
6. Awards for the display will be Blue awards- $15.00, Red awards-$12.50. In addition- 1st, 2nd and 3rd blues will receive an additional $5.00, $4.00, and $3.00 respectively.

Poster Contest
1. One poster per club or individual.
   (Poster should not be part of “display contest.”)
2. Posters must be on standard poster board, 22” by 28”
3. Poster must include the following information:
   a.) National 4-H Week dates - October 6-12, 2013
   b.) 4-H Clover and contact info for the 4-H Office:
      Address:  401 N. Main St
      Warsaw NY 14569
      Phone:     786-2251
      Website: ccewyoming.com
   c.) Incorporate the theme: “Make a Lasting Impact”
4. Any media may be used: paint, magic markers, etc.
5. Poster must be put up in a public place in the county by 6:00PM on Sunday, October 6th.
6. Be sure to notify the 4-H office as to where the posters are placed. Posters will be picked up by the 4-H office for judging. Please ask the storekeeper to save the poster until pick up!
7. All posters will receive a ribbon and cash incentive. All blue ribbons will receive $3.00, red ribbons $2.00, and white $1.00. In addition, the first blue will receive $5.00, second blue $4.00, and third blue $3.00.

Essay Contest
1. Topic: “Make a Lasting Impact”
2. Awards will be offered in 3 age categories:
   a.) Ages 8-11, essay must be at least 50 words.
   b.) Ages 12-15, essay must be at least 150 words
   c.) Ages 16 and older, essay must be at least 250 words.
3. Essays must be typed or printed neatly so that they can be easily read.
4. Essays are due by Friday, October 11th at the 4-H Office for judging. Blues- $3.00, Reds- $2.00, & Whites- $1.00. The 1st blue in each group will receive $5.00, 2nd Blue- $4.00, 3rd blue- $3.00.

Letter to the Editor Contest
1. Topic: “How 4-H has made a lasting impact on you”
2. Letters must be printed in local newspapers (Batavia Daily, Country Courier, Arcade Herald, Perry Herald) during National 4-H Week. Letters must be submitted by October 7th to appear in that week’s paper.
3. Notify the 4-H Office that you have submitted a Letter to the Editor
4. Prizes: Blues- $3.00, Reds- $2.00, & Whites- $1.00. The 1st blue in each group will receive $5.00, 2nd Blue- $4.00, 3rd blue- $3.00.

Cloverbud Coloring Contest
1. Receive coloring sheet from the 4-H Office or off the Wyoming County 4-H Website
2. Contest is for Cloverbud members ages 5-8.
3. Submit the finished coloring sheet to the 4-H Office by Friday, October 11th.
4. All participants will receive a 4-H prize.

Friday, October 11TH - Wear 4-H Apparel to show your 4-H Spirit.
4-H CONTEST RESULTS

Many youth took part in several educational and fun activities held at this year’s Wyoming County Fair!

VEGETABLE ART CONTEST

Twenty 4-H’ers participated in this year’s Vegetable Art Contest held in the Youth Building at the Wyoming County Fair on Monday morning, August 12th. Prizes were awarded in four categories: cutest, scariest, most creative, and funniest!

DUCT TAPE CONTEST

Twelve 4-H’er participated in the first ever, 4-H Duct Tape Contest held Tuesday afternoon, August 13th in the Youth Building at the fair. 4-H’ers were awarded prizes in three age categories: 8-11 yrs, 12-13 yrs, and 14yrs. and up.

Congratulations to the following winners (from l to r): Emily Kreutter (14 yrs. and up), Clayton Fox (12-13 yrs.), and Alannah Gross (11 yrs.)!

THE GREAT HOMEMAKING SKILLATHON

Eleven 4-H’ers participated in a new contest this year held in the Youth Building, Wednesday afternoon, August 14th - the Great Homemaking Skillathon! Designed as a series of mini-learning stations, 4-H’ers had an opportunity to rotate from station to station attempting to perform a given task or answer questions focusing on foods & nutrition, clothing & textiles, child development, consumer economics, etc. Junior participants included Colin Dunning, Emily Kingsley, Rachel Paddock, Abigail Parker, Ethan Stroud, Eric Stroud, Becca Stroud, Abby Skillman, and Grace VanSlyke. Our two senior participants were Haley Parker and Rebecca Semmel. Congratulations and thank you to all the 4-H Youth who participated in this year’s Homemaking Skillathon.

Congratulations to this year’s winners Abigail Parker (junior division) and Haley Parker (senior division).

Homemaking Skillathon participants Abigail Parker, Ethan Stroud, and Emily Kingsley.

All participants received ribbons and were treated to free ice cream cones donated by the Pike Firemen's Ladies Auxiliary, Pike Masons, American Legion Ladies Auxiliary, and the Pike Youth Recreation.

In addition to our sponsors, Thank You to Kathleen Parker, Cindy Parker, Anne George, Janet Berkemeier, and Kay Swyers for helping with this year’s Homemaking Skillathon.
4-H “GROOVY SMOOTHIE” CONTEST

Seventeen teams (59 youth in all) participated in this year’s 4-H “Groovy Smoothie” Contest on Sunday, August 11th! The goal of the contest was to have 4-H’ers work together in teams to create a ‘nutritious, delicious, visually appealing smoothie’, while having fun!

Once again the competition was close! This year’s winning team members included Dylan, Caleb, and Cameron Milligan of the 4-P’s 4-H Club. They created the winning entry, “CM2+1”, using frozen strawberries, strawberry yogurt, peanut butter, chocolate syrup, whippet cookies, and milk. Second place went to Grant Gilbert, Danielle Herrick, Baylee Phetteplace, and Kylie Karpinski of the Barnstormers 4-H Club for their “Fruity Smoothie” made with bananas, blueberries, strawberries, raspberries, blackberries, orange juice, honey, vanilla extract, vanilla yogurt, sugar, and ice. Our 3rd place winners were Jade Ellis and Kailey Lavrey of the Barnyard Crew 4-H Club for their “Ultimate Blueberry” smoothie!

Thank you to the following sponsors for providing a monetary donation to purchase supplies and free milk shake tickets for all the winners: Logwell Acres, Inc. (Pavilion), Dueppengiesser Dairy (Perry), and Wegmans (Geneseo)! Thank you also to Upstate Niagara Cooperative, Inc. and Chobani for supplying the yogurt for the contest and to our judges Jessie Nickerson, Deb Nickerson, Brad and Carolyn Almeter. Everyone had a great time!
**DOG RESULTS**

Grooming and Handling Beginner – Brooke Tillinghast  
Grooming and Handling Experienced – Andrea Flint  
Grooming and Handling Advanced – Jamie Klein  
Beginner Novice A – Brooke DeGroff  
Beginner Novice B – Zachary Ludwig  
Beginner Novice C – Tessa Evans  
Graduate Beginner Novice B – Alexander Bannister  
Novice A – Samantha Flint  
Novice B – Allison Hulme  
Advanced Novice A – Jamie Klein  
Advanced Novice B – Lara Bannister  
Graduate Novice – Emelyn Bell  
Brace- Lara Bannister  
Four Man Team- Jamie Kelly, Tara Meyer, Emelyn Bell, Jamie Klein  
Pre- Novice Agility on lead – Brooke Tillinghast  
Pre- Novice Agility I – Lara Bannister  
Pre- Novice Agility II – Samantha Flint  
Novice Agility- Andrea Flint  
Open Agility- Jamie Kelly  
Novice A Rally O- Brittany Petri  
Novice B Rally O- Brooke Tillinghast  
Advanced Rally O- Lara Bannister  
Excellent Rally O- Alexander Bannister

**GOAT JUDGING**

Junior – Rachael Sylvester  
Senior – Caleb Lehman  

**Goat Knowledge Contest:**  
Junior – Ada Sylvester  
Senior – Caleb Lehman  

**Production Contest:**  
Cory Crowell  

**Showmanship Winners:**  
Novice – Rachael Paddock  
Junior – Marisa Peet  
Senior – Corey Crowell  
Master Showman – Hunter Tillinghast  
Herdsmenship  
The Sylvester Family  

**Best Doe in Show** – Andrew Paddock

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**DAIRY CATTLE RESULTS**

**Dairy Judging**
Junior Champion: Tucker True  
Senior Champion: Allison Herrick

**Grooming and Handling**
Beginner – Brooke Tillinghast  
Experienced – Andrea Flint  
Advanced – Jamie Klein

**Beginner Novice**
Beginner A – Brooke DeGroff  
Beginner B – Zachary Ludwig  
Beginner C – Tessa Evans

**Graduate Beginner Novice**
Graduate B – Alexander Bannister

**Novice A & B**
Novice A – Samantha Flint  
Novice B – Allison Hulme

**Advanced Novice**
Advanced A – Jamie Klein  
Advanced B – Lara Bannister

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Novice A – Brittany Petri  
Novice B – Brooke Tillinghast

**Advanced Rally**
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Excellent – Alexander Bannister

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**Supreme Champion:**
Adam Buckenmeyer – 3+2

**Junior Supreme Champion:**
Sara Haggerty – Barnyard Crew

**Grade Supreme Champion:**
Kylie Karpinski - Barnstormers

**Harold Meyers Memorial Sportsmanship Awards:**
Junior –  
Senior – Luke Colopy

Some images of people with goats.
4-H BEEF SHOW

Senior Showmanship – Greg Rechberger
Junior Showmanship – Emily Covert
Super Showmanship – Greg Rechberger
Junior Champion Female – Michael True
Reserve Junior Champion Female – Greg Rechberger
Senior Champion Female – Jayden Wolcott
Reserve Senior Champion Female – Dean Almeter
Grand Champion Female – Jayden Wolcott
Reserve Grand Champion Female – Michael True
Grand Champion Beef Bred Steer – Ashley Logsdon
Grand Champion Dairy Bred Steer – Amber Treadwell

4-H POULTRY SHOW

Super Showmanship – Corey Cassidy
Novice Showmanship – Brooke DeGroff
Junior Showmanship – Corey Cassidy
Senior Showmanship – Sabrina Hawley
Champion Standard Large Fowl – Corey Cassidy
Champion Bantam – Kaylee Merry
Champion Egg Production – Joshua Colopy
Champion Waterfowl – Hunter Anderson
Pet Class – Marissa Peet
Champion Broiler Coop – Andrew Duyssen
Reserve Champion Broiler Coop – Jameson Shepard

4-H SHEEP SHOW

Senior Showmanship – Adele Schenk
Junior Showmanship – Brooke Noel
Novice Showmanship – Katelyn O’Hare
Super Showmanship – Adele Schenk
Champion Halter Showmanship – Lillie Bissing
Supreme Champion Ewe – Kelsey O’Hare
Supreme Champion Ram – Adele Schenk
Grand Champion Market Lamb – Lillie Bissing
Reserve Champion Market Lamb – Meredith Bell
Champion & Reserve Cheviot Ewes – Braeden Davis
Champion & Reserve Suffolk Ewes – Braeden Davis
Champion & Reserve Romney Ewes – Brooke Noel
Champion Tunis Ewe – Jenna Loper
Reserve Champion Tunis Ewe – Adele Schenk
Champion & Reserve Tunis Rams – Adele Schenk
Champion & Reserve Other Breeds Ewe – Jeffery Schenk
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Champion Grade Ewe – Kelsey O’Hare
Reserve Champion Grade Ewe – Brooke Noel

4-H RABBIT SHOW

Senior Rabbit Showmanship – Melanie Perkins
Junior Rabbit Showmanship – Morgan Milhollen
Novice Rabbit Showmanship – Colton Smith
Junior Cavy Showmanship – Melissa Jarnot
Best Pet Rabbit – Rachel Paddock
Best Rabbit in Show – Zachary Ludwig
Reserve Rabbit in Show – Autumn Milhollen
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4-H SWINE SHOW

Champion Showmanship, 16yrs and over – Allison Hulme
Champion Showmanship, 14 & 15 yrs – Andy Bontrager
Champion Showmanship, 12 & 13 yrs – Sydney Bell
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Champion Showmanship – 8 & 9 yrs – Sarah Cox
Super Showmanship – Allison Hulme
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Champion Gilt – Natalie Emerling
Reserve Champion Gilt – Sydney Couch

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LIVESTOCK JUDGING

Senior
1. Alton Rudgers
2. Jayden Wolcott
3. Ryan Cummins

Junior
1. Kellen Bell
2. Katelyn Shearing
3. Ashley Logsdon

Sheep Skillathon
Senior – Adele Schenk
Junior – Taylor Heineman

LIVESTOCK HERDSMANNSHIP AWARDS

Sheep
First Place – Heineman Family
Second Place – Gray & Sauer Families
Third Place – Alicia Dylag
Fourth Place – Bell Family
Fifth Place – O’Hare Family

Swine
First Place – Little Bit of Everything
Second Place – Barnyard Crew
Third Place – Country Critters
Fourth Place – Backroad Farmyard
Fifth Place – Hiking Hogs

Overall Banners
First Place – Ando Family
Second Place – Jayden Wolcott
Third Place – Emily Covert
Fourth Place – Rechberger & Wiseley Families
Fifth Place – Katelyn Shearing
HORSE SHOWS

Monday, August 12- English Show
High Point Senior Hunt Seat Rider - Hannah Hopkins
High Point Junior Hunt Seat Rider - Alyssa King
High Point Pony Hunt Seat Rider - Nicole Jarnot
Senior Road Hack - Samantha Majchrzak
Junior Road Hack - Bianca Hare
Senior Command - Tarryn Hodge
Junior Command - Alyssa King
English Senior Pairs - Haley and Hannah Hopkins
Champion Hunter - Lexee Barvian
High Point Saddle Seat - Rebecca Glaser
High Point Walk- Trot English Rider - Lauren Schmieder

Tuesday, August 13- Western Show
Senior Western Pairs - Haley and Hannah Hopkins
Junior Western Pairs - Cherie and Stella Glosser
High Point Senior Western Rider - Jamie Pankow
High Point Junior Western Rider - Andrea Flint
High Point Pony Western Rider - Nicole Jarnot
Senior Command - Bailey Gavenda
Junior Command - Cherie Glosser
High Point Walk- Jog Western Rider - Abigail Pingrey

Tuesday, August 13- Costume Classes
Humorous - Sarah Arbrust
Patriotic - Claudia Jo Hardie
Creative - Renee Gates
4-H Spirit - Allison Karasiewicz

Wednesday, August 14- Gymkhana Show
High Point Pony Gymkhana Rider - Morgan Roberts
High Point Junior Gymkhana Rider - Justine Kurowski
High Point Senior Gymkhana Rider - Tarryn Hodge
High Point Walk-Jog Gymkhana Rider - Zachary Russell

2013 HORSE JUDGING

Seniors
1. Rebecca Glaser
2. Emily Freeman
3. Brianna Horvatits
4. Sonia Nevinger
5. Kyleigh Schnieder
6. Gaea Mysliwiec

Junior
1. Courtney Schum
2. Madison Drysdale
3. Jenna Casselberry
4. Matt Putman
5. Andrew Casselberry
6. Catherine Byrne
7. Madison Dickenson
8. Emily Brown
9. Kennedy O’Neil
10. Joey Kubik
11. Aurora Mysliwiec
12. Cassandra Gordon

HORSE HERDSMANSHP

Club
1. Lucky Us
2. Bridle Path Travellers
3. Wyoming County Wranglers
4. Cavaliers
5. Saddle Blissters
6. Wild Wind Riders
7. Wild Riders
8. Galloping Spurs
9. Sidekicks
10. Hayburners
11. Rockin’ Rodeo Riders

Independent Members
1. Stella and Cherie Glosser
2. Grace and Charlotte Book
3. Raena Hopkins
4. Emily Covert

Congratulations to the Top Ten High Point Riders from the 2013 Wyoming County Fair!

1. Bailey Gavenda pts. 108
2. Lexee Barvian pts. 105
3. Nicole Jarnot pts.95
4. Tarryn Hodge pts.86
5. Hannah Hopkins pts. 85
6. Alyssa King pts. 84
7. Jenna Casselberry pts. 78
8. Lauren Schmieder pts.77
9. Rebecca Glaser pts. 74
10. Morgan Roberts pts. 68

Notes:
- Photos taken at the State Fair Qualifying Show held on July 20th.
Our judges were busy this year as 1381 exhibits were judged and awarded ribbons at this year's Wyoming County Fair. In addition, 131 4-H Cloverbud exhibits were on display and awarded participation ribbons. Several displays and activities in the Youth Building reflected this year’s fair theme, “Summer’s Main Attraction”. Receiving first place blue for their 4-H club educational exhibit was the A-C Citizens 4-H Club. The A-C Citizens 4-H Club will receive an additional $50 cash award, donated by the Wyoming County 4-H Leaders’ Association. Other placings included second blue for the 3+2 4-H Club and third blue for the Tri-County Kids 4-H Club. Throughout the week, fifty-five 4-H’ers repeated their public presentations and thirty-eight 4-H’ers mannequin modeled in the Youth Building.

One hundred and sixty-eight exhibits from Wyoming County 4-H’ers were on exhibit and judged at this year’s New York State Fair in Syracuse, Monday, August 26th – Thursday, August 29th. A breakdown of 103 blues, 56 reds, 8 whites, and 1 no award/participation ribbon were awarded to Wyoming County 4-H exhibits.

Congratulations to the following 4-H members whose projects were chosen to represent Wyoming County at this year’s New York State Fair.

**Communications & Expressive Arts:**
Kelsey Arnold, Celina Almeter, Rebecca Semmel, Jacob Ackerman, and Miranda Schiller.

**Food & Nutrition:**
Michelle Youngers (3 items), Alexa Wolcott, Colin Dunning (2 items), Danielle Herrick (2 items), Taylor Bishoff (2 items), Allison Herrick (2 items), Joseph Fisher (2 items), Brittany Martin, Sabrina Hawley, Solomon Hauser, Morgan Milhollen, Autumn Milhollen, Eliza Cox (3 items), Taylor Wilkie, Haley Parker (3 items), Abigail Parker (3 items), Elizabeth Gath, Hannah Spicer, Melissa Mason, Hope Klee, and Jared Boss.

**Fine Arts & Crafts:**
Megan George (2 items), Mary Kunze (2 items), Alexandra Tucker, Caleb Lehman, Miranda Schiller (2 items), Will Sondericker, Erin Murray, Sara Bartz, Taylor Tyczka (2 items), Abigail Parker, Alannah Gross, Rebecca Semmel (2 items), Peyton Fontaine, Jessica Fisher, Joshua Spicer, Vada Kirsch, Kyle George, Lara Bannister (2 items), Adeline Milligan, Kelsey Arnold, Sarah Wilkie, Taylor Wilkie (2 items), Allison Herrick, Danielle Herrick, Kelly Murray, Olivia Fox, and Grant Gilbert.

**Textile & Clothing:**
Mya Stroud, Katie Fisher (2 items), Alexa Wolcott, Harley Miller, Megan Minkel, Abigail Parker, Hannah Spicer, Jared Boss, Taylor Tyczka, Heather Yuhnke, Lilia Toland, Rebecca Semmel, Grace VanSlyke, Stephanie Luders, Marisa Peet, McKenna Broughton, Emily Brown, Angela Jones, Peyton Fontaine, and Adele Schenk.

**Home Environment – Fabric Furnishings:**
Kiera Gross (2 items), Melissa Mason (2 items), Stephanie Luders, Emma Raine, Alexis Burger, Emily Kreutter, Macy Boss, Angel Bray, Haley Parker, Abigail Parker, and Sabrina Hawley.

**Photography:**
Jacob Ackerman, Erin Murray, Alannah Gross, Kiera Gross (2 items), Alexandra Kirsch (2 items), Angela Jones (2 items), Nathan Zywiczynski, David Zywiczynski (2 items), Caleb Lehman (2 items), and Kathryn Gelser.

**Horticulture (Wild Flower Collection):**
Miriam Shepard
Vegetables:
Justin Baker (5 items), Michael Baker (5 items), Micaela VanBuren (4 items), and Victoria Williams (5 items).

Cut Flowers:
Elizabeth Gath (5 items), Kelsey Arnold (5 items), Mary Kunze (3 items), Nathan Zywiczynski (5 items), and Zachary Ludwig (5 items).

Environmental Education:
Lara Bannister, and Grace Kunze.

Science, Engineering, and Technology:
Joseph Fisher, Brooke Tillinghast, and Elizabeth Phillips.

Congratulations to the following Wyoming County 4-H’ers for receiving purple “Special Recognition” rosettes at the state fair:

Kelsey Arnold
(4-H Achievement Book)

Michelle Youngers
(Ginger Gems)

Haley Parker
(Orange Chiffon Cake)

Miranda Schiller
(Pencil Character Study and Color pencil Landscape-“Freedom”)

Megan George
(Horse Pencil Drawing & Watercolor Barn Painting)

Taylor Tyczka
(Water Color Paintings-“Flower” & “Butterfly”)

Lara Bannister
(“Eye Candy” Beaded Bracelet & “Tesselation” Necklace Set)

Rebecca Semmel
(Heritage Genealogy)

Heather Yuhnke
(Knit Dress)

Kiera Gross
(Color Photo – “The Lethal Version of Colorguard”)

Congratulations and Thank You to the following 4-H’ers who represented Wyoming County at the New York State Fair:

State Fair Clothing Revue:
Kelsey Arnold, Cherie Glosser, Stella Glosser, Tiffany Keicher, Haley Parker, and Katie Terry.

County Booth Teen Leaders:
Rebecca Semmel, and Katelyn Arnold. Thank you also to our adult helper, Kay Swyers.

4-H Public Presentation (Speech):
Allison Herrick

Below: 4-H’ers Haley Parker, Kelsey Arnold, Tiffany Keicher, Cherie Glosser, Stella Glosser, and Katie Terry modeling their outfits as part of the NYS Fair Clothing Revue program.

Congratulations and Thank You to the following Wyoming County 4-H’ers for their outstanding achievements!

Above, Left: Wyoming County was well represented at this year’s NY State Fair. (back row l to r): Tiffany Keicher, Haley Parker, Katie Terry, Kelsey Arnold. (front row l to r): Katelyn Arnold, Rebecca Semmel, and Kay Swyers (4-H leader and volunteer).

Above, Right: Allison Herrick gives her speech on ‘Transition Cows’ to the public at the NY State Fair!
STATE FAIR RESULTS

DAIRY SHOW

Showmanship:
Taryn True – 6th Blue
Ethan Heineman – 4th Blue
Grace Dutton – 2nd Blue and Master
Tucker True – 5th Blue
Elora Washington – 8th Blue
Colton Davis – 4th Blue and Master

Type and Condition:
Adam Buckenmeyer – Junior Champion Ayrshire
Colton Davis – Reserve Grant Champion Ayrshire, Best Bred and owned Ayrshire
Jake Dueppengiesser – Grand Champion Holstein
Jared Dueppengiesser – Reserve Grand Champion
Tucker True – Reserve Grand Champion Brown Swiss
Tucker True – Junior Champion Brown Swiss

State Fair Dairy Challenge Participants:

5th place Senior Dairy Challenge Team:
Allison Herrick 5th place, Katie Sodericker 7th place, Nick George 27th place

7th Place Junior Team:
Angie George 3rd place, Ethan Heinemann 16th place, Danielle Herrick 26th place, Kyle Carpenter 29th place

State Fair Dairy Judging:

6th Place Novice Team:
Becca Stroud 12th place, Josh Colopy 27th place, Ashley Logsdon 29th place, Amber Treadwell 31st place

3rd Place Junior Team:
Angie George 5th, Nathan Colopy 21st, Grace Dutton 28th, Bailey Logsdon 61st

1st Place Senior Team:
Keith Koerner 1st, Austin Milligan 3rd, Alton Rudgers 5th, Megan George 12th (Keith, Austin and Alton will represent NYS at the World Dairy Expo, Megan will represent NYS at NAILE in Louisville, KY)

DOG SHOW

Grooming Handling
Andrea Flint - Red
Samantha Flint - Blue
Alexander Bannister - Red
Lara Bannister - White

Beg Novice A
Brooke DeGroff - Blue
Trenton Seewaldt - Blue
Kaylee Davidson - Blue

Beg Novice B
William Mages - Red

Graduate Beginner Novice B
Emelyn Bell - Grand Champion
Alexander Bannister - Blue

Novice A
Samantha Flint - Blue
Andrea Flint - White

Novice B
Allison Hulme - 3rd Blue
Lara Bannister - White

Advance Novice A
Jamie Kelly - Blue

Advance Novice B
Allison Hulme - Blue
Lara Bannister - White
Alexander Bannister - White

Graduate Novice
Emelyn Bell - Grand Champion

Brace Teams
Allison Hulme - Grand Champion
Samantha Flint - Red

Four Person Team
Emelyn Bell
Jamie Kelly - Grand Champion
Jolene Clemente
Meredith Bell

Alexander Bannister
Lara Bannister - Blue
Samantha Flint
Andrea Flint

Agility

Pre Novice
Emelyn Bell - 3rd Blue
Samantha Flint - Blue

Novice
Andrea Flint - Red
Emelyn Bell - White
Jolene Clemente - White

Open
Jamie Kelly - Red

Rally Obedience

Novice A
Brittany Petri - Red

Advanced
Andrea Flint - Blue
Lara Bannister - Red
Samantha Flint - Red

Excellent
Jamie Kelly - Reserve Grand Champion
Lara Bannister - Red
Alexander Bannister - White
HORSE SHOW

Western Division Horse Show
Courtney Schum – 9th Showmanship, 7th Trail, 2nd Western Pleasure, 4th Horsemanship, 8th Stock Seat Equitation

Gymkhana Division Horse Show
Lexee Barvian – 3rd Straight Line Barrels, 3rd Barrel Keyhole Race, 5th Pole Bending, 5th Quadrangle Barrels, 9th Cloverleaf Barrels
Grace Book – 5th Stake-N-Barrel
Jenna Casselberry – 3rd Cloverleaf Barrels, 5th Straight Line Barrels, 4th Pole Bending
Sarah Czelusta – 10th Texas-T-Barrels, 6th Barrel Keyhole Race
Rebecca Glaser – 9th Barrel Keyhole Race
Cherie Glosser – 7th Pole Bending, 7th Bleeding Heart Barrel Race
Justine Kurowski – 2nd Bleeding Heart Barrel Race, 3rd Quadrangle Barrels, 6th Straight Line Barrels, 2nd Texas-T-Barrels
Morgan Roberts – 4th Bleeding Heart Barrel Race, 4th Straight Line Barrels, 1st Texas-T-Barrels, 6th Barrel Keyhole Race
Dayton Wolcott – 6th Bleeding Heart Barrel Race, 2nd Stake-N-Barrel, 7th Cloverleaf Barrels, 1st Straight Line Barrels, 2nd Barrel Keyhole Race
Kali Wright – 4th Bleeding Heart Barrel Race, 3rd Quadrangle Barrels

Hunt Seat Division Horse Show
Samantha Majchrzak – 6th Trail
Kateri Schirm – 3rd Working Hunter, 6th Equitation over Fences, 9th Hunter Hack

Horse Judging
Jenna Casselberry, Kyleigh Schneider, Andrea Harvey

SHEEP SHOW

Braeden Davis – 2nd Cheviot Junior Ewe Lamb, 2nd Suffolk Junior Ram Lamb, 1st Suffolk Yearling Ewe, 1st Suffolk Junior Ewe Lamb, 1st Suffolk Flock, 7th Market Lamb, 4th Showmanship

RABBIT SHOW

Zachary Ludwig – REX Best of Breed & Best Opposite of Breed

SWINE SHOW

Bailey Alderman – 8th Showmanship, 5th Intermediate Market Hog, 20th EYSSC
Mercedes Alderman – 6th Showmanship, 6th Intermediate Market Hog, 19th EYSSC
Michaela Emerling – 5th Showmanship, 2nd Duroc February Spring Gilt, 1st Lightweight Market Hog, Reserve Champion Market Hog, 15th EYSSC
Natalie Emerling – 3rd Showmanship, 1st York January Spring Gilt, 1st Crossbred February Spring Gilt, 3rd Intermediate Market Hog
Tyler Emerling – 6th Showmanship, 2nd Hampshire January Spring Gilt, 8th Medium Weight Market Hog, 21st EYSSC
Kaitlin Fisher – 2nd Showmanship, 1st Medium Weight Market Hog

BEEF SHOW

Cara Ando – 2nd Hereford Senior Heifer Calf
Paige Ando – 5th Hereford Junior Yearling Heifer
Kelsey Broughton – 5th Showmanship, 4th Simmental Junior Heifer Calf
McKenna Broughton – 2nd Showmanship, 1st Simmental Junior Heifer Calf
Greg Rechberger – 5th Showmanship, 1st Limousin Junior Heifer Calf, 1st Limousin Summer Yearling Heifer
Kaleb Smith – 3rd Showmanship, 2nd Limousin Junior Yearling Heifer
Kolden Smith – 2nd Showmanship, 1st Limousin Junior Yearling Heifer
Wyoming County 4-H

DAIRY BOWL

January 25th at the Warsaw High School

Practice Packets from previous years are available at: http://www.ansci.cornell.edu/4H/dairycattle/dqb02.html.

2013 packets will be available at the 4-H Office as soon as they are released from the state.

If your club is looking for a fun way to practice, the Dairy Learning Lab is available at the 4-H Office.

Registration forms will be in the December/January News

Congratulations

to the youth who raised outstanding Market Goat and Broiler Chicken Projects this year! They were all exhibited at the Wyoming County Fair and then sold during the first ever market goat and poultry auction on Sunday, August 11th.

Andrew Duyssen
Champion Market Broiler Coop

Jameson Shepard
Reserve Champion Market Broiler Coop

Joshua Spicer
Champion Market Goat

Andrew Paddock
Reserve Champion Market Goat

Animal Science

Resources Available

Did you know that the 4-H office has an extensive library of animal science resource materials? As you begin your new club year and are looking for educational topics and program ideas, think about stopping in at the office to see what we have available!

Wyoming County 4-H

Horse Bowl

January 24th at the Warsaw High School

Study Packets are available at the 4-H Office!

NYS TRACTOR OPERATORS CONTEST

Two youth represented Wyoming County 4-H at the NYS Tractor Operators Contest at Empire Farm Days in Seneca Falls this summer. Congratulations to: Matt Andrews – 3rd place overall and Jeffery Schenk 9th place overall! Great job guys!

BEEF & DAIRY

MEAT ANIMAL PROJECT WEIGH-IN

Saturday, December 7, 2013
8:30AM - 12:30PM
Empire Livestock Market in Pavilion

New participants should contact the 4-H Office at 585-786-2251 as soon as possible to get a copy of the program rules.
Another year in the 4-H Dog Program has ended. Congratulations to all the 4-H members that participated at Wyoming County Fair. The 2 day dog shows were a great success and you all did a great job.

On Sept 8 some of the agility members did a demonstration at The Pines in Machias for the patients and family members. Thanks Ashley, Emma, Kaylee, Brittany, Brooke & Jamie for doing a great job.

Hats off to all the members that went to State fair to represent Wyoming County! Great Job!!

For the first time Wyoming County had a drill team at State Fair and they received Reserve Grand Champion. Great job! The team was made up of Lara & Alexander Bannister, Samantha & Andrea Flint, Meredith & Emelyn Bell, Jamie Kelly, Jolene Clemente, William Mages, Brooke DeGroff & Trenton Seewalt.

**Important Reminder:**

**Meat Animal Records are due on October 15, 2013!**

If you weighed in a meat animal project for the 2013 Wyoming County Fair, you need to submit a complete project record sheet, regardless of the degree of completion on the project to be eligible for the 2014 project year. Exhibitors will receive 20 bonus points for the 2014 project year for records received in the 4-H office on time.

October 15th is a Tuesday this year! Our office will be closed Monday, October 14th in observance of Columbus Day. Please plan accordingly to have your records postmarked by the 15th or physically handed into the office by 4:30pm. Please do not send records by FAX! (they are hard to read and lots of times pages are missing)

(*Even if you did not show and sell your animal you need to submit a project record to the 4-H office. If no record is turned in, you will not be allowed to participate in the 2014 meat animal program.)

Forms can be found online at wyomingcounty4H.com or call the 4-H office.

Please take time to say THANK YOU to all of the volunteers that made our 2013 4-H livestock shows & meat animal auction a success! (We could not do it without them!)

**Supreme Showmanship**

The second annual Supreme Showman class was held this year at the Wyoming County Fair. Youth who won Master or Super Showman in each of the 4 livestock species participated in the Wyoming County 4-H Supreme Showman contest. Kameron Sickles represented dairy, Adele Schenk represented sheep, Greg Rechberger represented beef and Allison Hulme represented swine.

The contest was held on Friday of the fair, following the 4-H Hog Show. The 4 participants showed a class of sheep, pigs, dairy heifers, and beef heifers. Judges for each species ranked the participants in each species and worked together to name the winner. This year’s winner of the Wyoming County 4-H Supreme Showman was Kameron Sickles. Thank you to our judges Tyler Carter, Tyler Neamon, Jessie Nickerson, and Jessica Reisdorf!
**2013 MEAT ANIMAL PROJECT**

179 meat animal project members exhibited and sold their hogs, lambs and steers this year at the fair. Everyone did an outstanding job raising his or her projects! Remember that meat animal project records are due in the 4-H office by October 15th in order to receive bonus points for next year’s project. Congratulations everyone!

**2013 MEAT ANIMAL RESERVE CHAMPIONS**

Reserve Champion Market Hog – Andy Bontrager  
Reserve Champion Market Lamb – McKenna Broughton  
Reserve Champion Beef Steer – Drew Wiseley  
Reserve Champion Dairy Steer – Ty Wiseley

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**Thank You**

2013 BUYERS  
AT THE WYOMING COUNTY 4-H  
MEAT ANIMAL AUCTION

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**DID YOU RECEIVE A TROPHY THIS SUMMER?**

Don’t forget to write a thank you note to the trophy donor. You can find out who donated your trophy by calling the 4-H office at (585) 786-2251.
ALTHEA GOEWEY COMMUNITY SERVICE

Achievement Memorial Award
Applications Due October 15, 2013

This community service award is in memory of Althea Goewey, a former 4-H club leader, literacy volunteer, rescue squad volunteer and church volunteer. 4-H leaders, members and clubs are asked to nominate 4-H members deserving of this award. 4-Hers may nominate themselves.

To be eligible for this award, a youth:
1. Must have been enrolled in 4-H in Wyoming County during the 2009-2010 project year, or the last year that person was eligible for 4-H and must have graduated from High School.
2. Must have been involved in community service projects.
3. Must have high standards and be earnestly trying to better themselves for themselves, their family and their community.
4. Must be planning to further their education by attending a college, trade school or apprenticeship program.
5. Must not have received this award before.

The award will be $200.00 and will be presented at Achievement Night. Applications are available at the 4-H Office (786-2251) or online at www.WyomingCounty4H.com.

Wyoming County Friend of 4-H Award
Applications Due October 15, 2013

The Wyoming County Friend of 4-H Award has been established in memory of Harold Upton and Dave Tracy, longtime friends and supporter of Wyoming County 4-H. This award will recognize individuals and businesses. Recipients will be like Harold and Dave, not formal 4-H Leaders, but someone who supports 4-H whenever we need them.

Please help us to recognize Friends of 4-H. Tell us who you feel should be considered and how they have supported our program. The 10th Annual Wyoming County Friend of 4-H Awards will be presented at 4-H Recognition Night on November 14th. Contact the 4-H Office for an application.

Previous Recipients

1999 Brenda VanBuren
2000 Kevin Hopkins
2001 Julia Jordan
2002 Emily Towner and Christa Van Buren
2003 Ashley Meyer
2005 Hannah Mayer
2006 Meghan Cox and Jessica Sampson
2007 Amanda Ciurzynski and Kate Meyer
2008 Mary Gibson and Sarah Dylag
2009 Nichole Dylag
2010 Carrie Dylag and Lauren Ciurzinski
2011 Mary Katherine Zielonka

2012 Recipients of the Friend of 4-H Award (l to r) Friendly Acres, Bill Price.
This sheep project award is in memory of Patricia Swartz of Attica, who was involved for many years with the Wyoming County Sheep program. She was the leader of the Young Shepherds 4-H club and served for many years as the Superintendent of the sheep department at the Wyoming County Fair. Pat’s caring and giving ways touched the lives of many youth and adults in the area.

**To be eligible for this award, a youth:**
1. Must have participated in the 4-H Sheep program for the last five years, including showing sheep at the fair.
2. Must be at least in his/her Junior Year in High School.
3. Must not have received this award before.

The award will be $100.00 and will be presented at Recognition Night on November 14th. Applications are available at the 4-H Office (786-2251) or online at www.WyomingCounty4H.com. Applications must be completed and returned to the 4-H Office by October 15th.

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**NEW YORK STATE 4-H Opportunity Scholarship Program**

The NYS 4-H Foundation and generous sponsors are pleased to provide scholarships to members for their accomplishments as a result of 4-H experiences, and to support future educational goals. The New York State 4-H Opportunity Scholarship application is available on the Foundation’s website: [http://www.nys4Hfoundation.org/](http://www.nys4Hfoundation.org/) (then click on 4-H Opportunity Scholarships).

Applications must be typed, complete, and postmarked NO LATER THAN FEBRUARY 15th. Notification of scholarship awards will be made in June at the Career Exploration Conference. Applicants will be eligible to receive only one 4-H Opportunity Scholarship per year. Both high school seniors and students currently enrolled in college who have been involved with 4-H, are encouraged to apply. This past year the NYS 4-H Foundation awarded $10,000 in scholarship funds to 6 outstanding young people from across NYS. For further information, contact Roxanne at the 4-H Office at 786-2251.

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**ERIKA TODD EQUINE ACHIEVEMENT Memorial Award**

This award is in memory of Erika Todd, a former Wyoming County 4-H horse & dairy program member. Presented annually, it will recognize a 4-H member that fully participates and excels in the 4-H equine program. The award consists of a $50 savings bond and a plaque that will be presented at the 4-H Recognition Night on November 14, 2013.

Any eligible member or 4-H club leader may submit a nomination.

Eligibility:
1. Must currently be active within the Wyoming County 4-H Horse Program
2. Must participate in multiple levels of activities throughout the 4-H Horse Program (examples: county, regional & state level educational and/or riding events)
3. Must be in at least junior year in high school
4. A member is only eligible to receive this award once
**NEW YORK STATE 4-H**

**2014 AGRICULTURAL YOUTH SCHOLARSHIPS**

**Applicant Guidelines**

1. 2014 graduating High School Seniors who will continue their education to prepare for a career in some way connected to the diverse agricultural industry.
2. Live or work on a farm or be involved with agriculture via any avenue.
3. Family Farm Bureau membership or Student Farm Bureau membership is required & may accompany application.

**Process and Procedure**

1. Applications & information available at www.nyfb.org or request by calling 1-800-342-4143.
2. Completed application packets must be returned to New York Farm Bureau in Albany. November 18, 2013 postmark deadline.
3. A District level competition will be held. Scoring will determine the County winners as well as the District winner. The judging event may necessitate a personal interview and essay presentation or may be based solely upon the application and attachments. The judging will take place prior to January 18, 2014. Each District Winner will receive $100 plus a memento of their selection.
4. State winner selection will be made from District Winners, based solely on the submitted applications; there will be no personal interviews. A $1500, $1200 and $1000 Scholarship will be awarded.

*For More Information visit: www.nyfb.org or call 1-800-342-4143*

**Choose Health**

Food, Fun, and Fitness Toolkits are a great resource for 4-H club leaders to use to teach healthy eating and active living! The toolkits contain six hands-on, interactive lessons with food and games. The lessons include:

- Drink Low-Fat Milk and Water Instead of Sweetened Drinks
- Eat a Rainbow! Eat More Vegetables and Fruits
- Read it Before You Eat It! The Nutrition Facts Label
- Make Half Your Grains Whole! Eat More Whole Grains
- Healthier Food-Fast: Eat Fewer High-Fat, High-Sugar Foods
- Power Up Your Day: Eat Breakfast!

Call the 4-H Office at 786-2251 to reserve a toolkit for an upcoming 4-H meeting!

**A HUGE THANK YOU**

to everyone who donated money, materials or their time to the improvements in both the dairy and livestock barns at the Wyoming County Fair.
IMPORTANT: COMPLETION & ENROLLMENT INFORMATION

COMPLETION FORMS

❖ 4-H year ends September 30, 2013 (new year begins October 1st)
❖ 2012-2013 Completion Form due no later than October 15, 2013!
❖ 2012-2013 Club Financial Report also due by October 15th (Every club must submit a form. If your club does not handle any money, indicate this on the form and return it with your completion form).
❖ Both forms were provided in last year’s re-enrollment packets (or can also be downloaded from our website at:

http://blogs.cornell.edu/4hyouthprogram/completion-forms-3/

ENROLLMENT PROCEDURES

❖ New 4-H Clubs must be established by 12/31/13.
❖ Current 4-H Clubs must re-enroll members by 12/31/13.
❖ Clubs can continue to add new members only until the beginning of the 4-H Cookie Sale.
❖ Youth can enroll as independent members until 6/1/14.

NOTES

❖ Members not enrolled will not receive the 4-H News and are not covered by our insurance.
❖ In order to participate in the 4-H Cookie Sale, youth must be enrolled in the Wyoming County 4-H program prior to the sale. Please also note that Cloverbuds are not able to participate in the 4-H Cookie Sale.
❖ 4-H age – youth must be 8 yrs. old on or before 12/31/13 and cannot have reached their 19th birthday by 1/1/14.
❖ Cloverbuds need to be 5 years old, on or before 12/31/13, regardless of grade level, during the club year and cannot have reached their 8th birthday by 1/1/14.

ANNUAL ENROLLMENT FEE

❖ Please include enrollment fee with enrollment form:

$10.00 for Wyoming County residents
$15.00 for out-of-county residents

Questions? Call the 4-H office at 585-786-2251

Cornell Cooperative Extension in Wyoming County provides equal program and employment opportunities.
SUMMER’S MAIN ATTRACTION

SATURDAY, AUGUST 10TH - SATURDAY, AUGUST 17TH
2013 Theme: “Summer’s Main Attraction”

Fair information, including fairbooks, fair entries, exhibitor cards and more, will be available for pick-up at the 4-H office or on the web beginning June 24th.

Need a Fair Form? Visit www.wyomingcounty4H.com

4-H’ers participate in county and state fair and are provided opportunities to:

- Display what they have learned
- Enhance individual learning & skill development
- Receive recognition
- Learn & recognize standards of quality
- Learn & apply research-based subject matter
- Promote public awareness of the 4 H Youth Development Program
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- **Sheep Showmanship Clinic** 7PM Reisdorf Farm
- **Independence Day** Office Closed

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- **Pullorum Testing** 6:30PM - 7:30PM Fairgrounds
- **Dog Trial** 9:30PM Sue Schum’s Arena
- **Livestock Committee Meeting** 7PM
- **Board of Directors Meeting** 7PM
- **** Horse Leaders Meeting 7PM
- **Western District Clothing Revue** Allegany County Fairgrounds 2:30PM

**CAMP WYOMOCO WEEK 4 - HOLIDAY WEEK**

- **4-H Animal Fair Entries Due**
- **Meat Animal Poster Notification Due**
- **Poultry Showmanship Clinic** 7PM Fairgrounds
- **Allegany County Fair Dairy Judging**
- **** Board of Directors Meeting 7PM
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**CAMP WYOMOCO WEEK 5 - WIZARDING WORLD OF WYOMOCO**

- **Win a Calf Tour**
- **** Rabbit Showmanship Clinic 7PM
- **Dog Trial** 5:30PM Fairgrounds
- **** Horse Leaders Meeting 7PM
- **** Rabbit Showmanship Clinic 7PM
- **Dog Trial** 5:30PM Fairgrounds
- **Rider Evaluations** 6PM Drill Team Arena
- **** Rabbit Showmanship Clinic 7PM
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- Gladiola Meeting 7:00PM Spencers

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- Barn Cleanup 4PM - 8PM Fairgrounds
- Rabbit Showmanship 7PM - Fairgrounds
- Clean/Dec Youth Building 9AM - See Pg. 12

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- **CAMP WYOMOCO WEEK 6 - FAIR WEEK**
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- Youth Building Exhibits Judged at Wyoming Co. Fair 10AM - 7PM

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- **COUNTY FAIR**
- Wyoming County Fair Begins Pike, NY
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- County Fair

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### WYOMING COUNTY FAIR - VIEW YOUTH BUILDING FAIR SCHEDULE AT: WWW.WYOMINGCOUNTY4H.COM

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- Meat Goat and Poultry Auction 6PM - Fairgrounds
- Dog Agility and Rally Obedience Show Fairgrounds

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- Check Wyoming County 4-H Website for Livestock and Horse Schedules for the Fair

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- Dairy Showmanship Fairgrounds
- Goat Show Fairgrounds
- 45th Annual Meat Animal Auction 5PM - Fairgrounds See Pg. 24

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- Dairy Confirmation Fairgrounds

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- Check Wyoming County 4-H Website for Livestock and Horse Schedules for the Fair

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- Youth Building Exhibits Released 9AM - 1PM Fairgrounds

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### NEW YORK STATE FAIR

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### WYOMING COUNTY STATE FAIR EXHIBITS

- Wyoming County Projects on Exhibit State Fairgrounds
Regional & State

HORSE EDUCATIONAL EVENT RESULTS

Congratulations to the youth that participated in the Regional Hippology Contest held at the Erie County CCE Office on April 27th! Senior Division: Lara Bannister of Attica and Sarah Czelusta of Bliss; Junior Division: Maddy Dickinson of East Aurora, Hannah Thompson of Springville and Catherine Byrne of Chaffee; Novice Division: Casea Pouthier of West Falls, and Hunter Thompson of Springville. Both Lara and Sarah have the option of participating at the State Contest in August!

Congratulations to the youth that participated in the Regional Horse Bowl Contest hosted by Cattaraugus County on March 16th! Senior Division: Rebecca Glaser of Bliss (7th place), Grace Book of Bliss, Brianna Horvatis of East Aurora (6th place) and Sonia Nevinger of East Bethany. Their team placed fourth. Junior Division: Mary Ptak of Glenwood (7th place), Charlotte Book of Bliss (8th place), Jud Ptak of Glenwood (9th place) and Justine Kurowski of Varysburg. The team placed third. Great job everyone!

Rebecca Glaser of Bliss participated in the Regional Horse Communications Contest on April 13th in Allegany County. She placed 5th overall in the senior individual category and moved on to the State Contest held on May 18th at Cornell University, where she again gave her presentation titled: N.A.R.A.

4-H TRACTOR AND COMPACT TRACTOR COMPETITION RESULTS

The annual 4-H Tractor and Compact Tractor Operators Contest was held on Saturday, May 12, 2013 at 4-H Camp Wyomoco in Varysburg. Lamb & Webster, Inc. of North Java provided tractors for the event which tested contestant’s mechanical knowledge, safety skills and tractor driving skills. Contest results are as follows:

**Compact Tractor Beginner Division**
1. Patrick Fontaine, Strykersville
2. William Youngers, North Java
3. Peyton Fontaine, Strykersville
4. Will Sondericker, Attica
5. Brendon Shaw, Strykersville

**Compact Tractor Advanced Division**
1. Hunter Anderson, Gainesville

**Junior Tractor Division**
1. Jud Ptak, Glenwood
2. Kyle Perl, Strykersville
3. Joe Fisher, Warsaw
4. Matthew Swede, Piffard
5. Shawn Kirsch, Strykersville

**Senior Tractor Division**
1. Matthew Andrews, Pike
2. Jeffery Schenk, Delevan
3. Koalbi Bray, Arcade
4. Trevor Perry, Strykersville

**2013 Tractor Contest participants.**

William Youngers completes his pre-operational inspection during the beginning compact tractor operators contest.
WESTERN DISTRICT 4-H PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS

On Saturday, March 23rd, the Western District 4-H Public Presentations program was hosted by Wyoming County 4-H and held in Warsaw, NY. Twenty-three Wyoming County 4-H members participated in the event. These members were chosen based on their performance at the county presentations. The following 4-Hers should be commended for their achievements:

- Celina Almeter
- Josh Spicer
- Andrew Paddock
- Taylor Wilkie
- Mary Zielinski
- Miranda Schiller
- Grace Book
- Sarah Wilkie
- Allison Herrick
- Vada Kirsch
- Adele Schenk
- Rebecca Semmel
- Caleb Lehman
- Stephanie Luders
- Alannah Gross
- Hannah Spicer
- Ethan Heineman
- Danielle Herrick
- Peyton Fontaine
- Jennamarie Schiller
- Rebekah Spicer
- Kim Braun
- Rebekah Spicer
- Colt McAndrew
- Freedom Clovers
- Half-Way A-C Citizens
- Shooting Sports
- Bridle Path Travellers
- Rockin' Rodeo Riders
- Wild Riders
- 4-H Lucky Charms
- Cloverbud Club

WYOMING COUNTY 4-H MEMBERS PARTICIPATE IN STATE PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS PROGRAMS

Allison Herrick of Bliss, Stephanie Luders of Bliss, and Adele Schenk of Delevan represented Wyoming County 4-H at the New York State 4-H Public presentations Program held at Cornell University on Saturday, May 18th. All three of these young ladies have worked hard and represented us well!

We are proud to announce that Stephanie received a silver seal award for her speech on Agricultural Advocacy, Adele received a gold seal award and a bronze medal for her recitation of The Purple Dress, and Allison Herrick received a gold seal award and a bronze medal for her speech on ‘Is Your Transition (Cow)Program at it’s Best?’. Gold, silver, and bronze seals are awarded for outstanding presentations and only one gold, silver, and bronze medal is awarded in each of the five public presentation categories at the State 4-H Public Presentation event! Receiving a medal is an amazing accomplishment and a wonderful honor! Congratulations to all three young ladies for their outstanding achievements! Wyoming County 4-H is very proud of you all!!!

(left to right) Stephanie Luders of Bliss, Adele Schenk of Delevan, and Allison Herrick of Bliss.
We would like to thank everyone again who participated in this year’s 4-H Cookie Sale! Our Top 5 Sellers received the following incentives:

1ST PLACE
Lexee Barvian
(Saddle)

2ND PLACE
Rebecca Dominesey
(Camera)

3RD PLACE
Kortney Hootman
(Camera)

4TH PLACE
Sarah Czelusta
(Chiropractic session and minerals for her horse, Mia)

5TH PLACE
Danielle Herrick
(Pig)

Congratulations to the following club secretaries for turning their reports in on time to the 4-H office:

MARCH in by April 17th
Jadrian Schilling ★ Tiger Cubs
Sabina Mogavero ★ The Barnstormers
Levi Hauser ★ Half-Way
Rebekah Spicer ★ A-C Citizens
Rebekah Spicer ★ Shooting Sports
Colt McAndrew ★ Bridle Path Travellers
Justine Kuroski ★ Rockin’ Rodeo Riders
Kiara DeVries ★ Wild Riders
Alexis Meisner ★ 4-H Lucky Charms
Freedom Clovers ★ Cloverbud Club

APRIL in by May 15th
Levi Hauser ★ Half-Way
Jadrian Schilling ★ Tiger Cubs
Sabina Mogavero ★ Barnstormers

May in by June 19th
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Kiara DeVries ★ Wild Riders
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Alexis Meisner ★ 4-H Lucky Charms
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REMEMBER
Secretary reports are due at the 4-H office by the third Wednesday of the following month. June reports are due by July 17th and July reports are due by August 21st.

Fi/f ty-eight 4-H' ers and leaders, along with several parents, attended this year’s 4-H Fun Day held on Saturday, May 18th, at Wyomoco 4-H Camp in Varysburg!

Participants had an opportunity to select and attend three workshops each.

Thank you to the instructors who took time out of their busy schedules to teach a workshop for our 4-H' ers and adults.

Everyone had a wonderful time, developed new knowledge and skills, and had the opportunity to take home some creative, new projects!

The stage was set on Friday evening, May 3rd at the Warsaw Central High School for the annual Wyoming County 4-H Clothing Revue. This year’s theme was “4-H Fashion Fiesta”.

On April 18th and 20th, eighty-seven 4-H members had their sewing projects evaluated on all aspects of clothing construction including choice of fabric, sewing and finishing details, as well as fit in preparation for the revue. 4-H members participated in the evening’s revue on May 3rd, which featured a fashion show with eighty-nine garments modeled by those members who completed a clothing project. 4-H'ers modeled an array of garments including shirts, shorts, sweatshirts, pajamas, a bathing suit, mermaid fin, and poncho. Participants also showed off handmade costumes, blouses, skirts, reversible vests, jackets, and a variety of dresses on stage before an audience which included this year’s celebrity judges – former Wyoming County 4-H'er and clothing revue participants, Amanda Ciurzynski of Attica, NY, Emily Schabloski Spencer of Gainesville, and Nichole Swyers Weaver of Hamilton, NY.

The 4-H'ers had a chance to model on stage while being evaluated on fit, poise, posture and style of the item they had sewn.

In a special presentation, Lydia Zielinski, on behalf of Sandy Pirdy, owner of Creekside Fabrics, Quilts & Yarn in Arcade, announced Julia Hartung of Fillmore, NY as the recipient of a new ‘Baby Lock BL9’ sewing machine donated by Creekside Fabrics, Quilts, & Yarn.

Congratulations to all clothing revue participants!

The following 4-H'ers were chosen to represent Wyoming County at the New York State Fair Clothing Revue in Syracuse in August:

Kelsey Arnold of Fillmore
Cherie Glosser of Varysburg
Stella Glosser of Varysburg

Tiffany Keicher of Attica
Haley Parker of Perry
Katie Terry of Castile

Along with alternates:
Rebecca Semmel of Castile
Rebekah Spicer of Pavilion

Allegany County 4-H will be hosting this year’s Western District 4-H Clothing Revue which will be held on Friday, July 19th at the Allegany Fairgrounds in Angelica, NY. The 4-H members chosen to participate in the district revue are as follows:

Celina Almeter
Kelsey Arnold
Jared Boss
Macy Boss
Brianna Campbell
Shayne Collins
Elaina Conklin
Katie Fisher
Maria Fontaine
Cherie Glosser
Stella Glosser

Alannah Gross
Kiera Gross
Julia Hartung
Ethan Heineman
Danielle Herrick
Jacquelyn Keicher
Tiffany Keicher
Ashley Kerr
Aiden Kimpel
Alexandra Kirsch
Grace Kunze

Brittany Martin
Breanna Mest
Jessie McClurg
Megan Minkel
Abigail Parker
Haley Parker
Baylee Phetteplace
Adele Schenk
Rebecca Semmel
Hannah Spicer
Joshua Spicer

Rebekah Spicer
Eric Stroud
Ethan Stroud
Katie Kerr
Kodey Tomaka
Taylor Tyczka
Sarah Wilkie
Taylor Wilkie
Chalmers Wolcott
Heather Yuhnke
Jennifer Yuhnke

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Nate and Jill serve our county’s youth as the co-leaders of the Wyoming County Shooting Sports Club!
Wyoming County 4-H’ers selected to participate in the 2013 NY State Fair Clothing Revue in Syracuse in August.

(left to right) Rebecca Semmel of Castile, Kelsey Arnold of Fillmore, Haley Parker of Perry, Stella Glosser of Varysburg, Cherie Glosser of Varysburg, Katie Terry of Castile, Rebekah Spicer of Pavilion, and Tiffany Keicher of Attica.

4-H FUN NIGHT

October 5th
at Camp Wyomoco in Varysburg
Time TBD
More details to follow.

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4-H FUN DAY
A HUGE SUCCESS

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2013 CLOTHING REVUE
RESULTS

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Eric Stroud
Ethan Stroud
Katie Kerry
Kodey Tomaka
Taylor Tyczka
Sarah Wilkie
Taylor Wilkie
Chalmers Wolcott
Heather Yuhnke
Jennifer Yuhnke
Brittany Martin
Breanna Mest
Jessie McClurg
Megan Minkel
Abigail Parker
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PRODUCED IN NEW YORK STATE
FOODS CONTEST

Saturday, November 16, 2013
(Location TBA)

Registration will start at 8:30AM, the contest will begin at 9:00AM

In order to learn about nutrition and practice food presentation skills, 4-H members will present a silent food demonstration, promoting items from the Empire State. All contestants will prepare recipes at the same time, without talking. Participants will be allowed 50 minutes to demonstrate.

Age categories (as of 1/1/14)

JUNIORS  •  8 - 12 years old
SENIORS  •  13 - 19 years old

The major ingredient of the recipe must feature a product grown or produced in NY State - such as fruits, vegetables, dairy or meat. This is your chance to be creative and have fun at the same time!

Call the 4-H Office for more details and to sign up today! Registration deadline is Friday, November 8th!

The years have passed quickly and you are now finishing high school! What wonderful memories you will have. We wish you the best of luck as you make your way into the world. It is time to look forward and strive to be the best at whatever you do!

We look forward to your continued interest in the 4-H program. Many colleges offer collegiate 4-H clubs. You can also be tomorrow’s judges, leaders and committee members! It is our hope that the foundation of 4-H in Wyoming County will prove to be beneficial. The best of luck and good wishes to you always!
SUMMER'S MAIN ATTRACTION

THE WYOMING COUNTY FAIR

SATURDAY, AUGUST 10TH - SATURDAY, AUGUST 17TH
2013 Theme: “Summer’s Main Attraction”
Fair information, including fairbooks, fair entries, exhibitor cards and more, will be available for pick-up at the 4-H office or on the web beginning June 24TH.

YOUTH BUILDING EXHIBITS

All youth building exhibits must be entered and judged on FRIDAY, AUGUST 9TH!

Judging Hours will be 10AM to 7PM. Exhibits to be judged on Friday include: Clothing, Home Improvement, Food, Booths, Flowers, Vegetables, Woodworking, Photography, Ceramics, and all other areas usually judged in the Youth Building. Vouchers must be properly filled in before coming to the fair. Double entry cards must be completely filled out and securely attached to exhibit.

In case of extreme circumstances, such as camp, health problems, or other extreme cases, exhibitors must call the 4-H office by Wednesday, July 17TH to make special arrangements to enter items on Saturday, August 10TH between 9AM and 11AM.

PICK UP EXHIBITS: Saturday, August 17TH between 9AM and 1PM in the Youth Building or premium money may be forfeited.

LEADERS: Remember to pick up club ribbons on Saturday, August 17TH in the Youth Building!
Help Clean & Decorate the Wyoming County Fair Youth Building

Tuesday, August 6, 2013 at 9AM
Wyoming County Fair Youth Building

If you are an individual or club that exhibits 4-H projects in the Youth Building at the Wyoming County Fair, we need your help in cleaning and decorating the Youth Building in preparation for this year's fair!

Please join us Tuesday, August 6th at 9:00AM in the Youth Building at the Wyoming County Fair in Pike. With everyone’s help, we should finish up by 12:00PM.

Snacks will be provided for all volunteers!

Please call the 4-H Office at (585) 786-2251 to sign up to help! Thank you!!

ATTENTION

CLOVERBUD

LEADERS

All Cloverbud projects for the County Fair should be displayed in one area. This will help to accomplish the following goals:

★ To help focus attention on the Cloverbud Program, which is separate from the 4-H Club Program, due to the age and development of the children.

★ To celebrate the growth and development of our cloverbuds - not focus on competition. This will be much easier to accomplish in one area where everyone receives the same color ribbon.

★ In order to make plans for the Cloverbud display, call Roxanne at the 4-H office to know the estimated number of projects by Wednesday, July 17th.

★ NOTE: Special exhibit tags for Cloverbud projects are available from the 4-H office.

2013 Wyoming County Fair Theme:
“SUMMER’S MAIN ATTRACTION”

The exhibit booths in the Youth Building at the Wyoming County Fair are available on a first come, first serve basis. Booths are 58” wide, 35” deep, and 6’ 9” high. Each booth receives a minimum of $25.00, plus points added accordingly to the ribbon received.

The first place blue ribbon booth will receive an additional $50.00 CASH AWARD!

The quality of the booths in recent years has been excellent. This is a good club fundraiser. It is encouraged to have club displays, as well as 4-H club parade floats, be in some way tied in with the fair theme.

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MANNEQUIN MODELING
Sunday, August 11 to Friday, August 16
3:00PM - 7:45PM 45 min. intervals.
(Model 10 min. at each of 3 stands.)
Specify Date/Time:

4-H PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS
Sunday, August 11 to Friday, August 16
1:00PM to 4:30PM & 6:00PM to 7:30PM
Presentations occur at 15-minute intervals. Each demonstrator will receive $5. Senior demonstrators receive $7.50 if they repeat their demonstration for a second time.
Specify Date/Time:

“4-H GROOVY SMOOTHIE” CONTEST
Sunday, August 11, 2:00PM to 3:00PM
4-H'ers will work together as teams (up to 4 members on each team) to create a nutritious, delicious, visually-appealing smoothie! All ingredients will be provided. Each team is required to provide their own blender! Open to all 4-H'ers!
Participant(s):

4-H VEGETABLE ART CONTEST
Monday, August 12, 11:00AM
Using vegetables or parts of vegetables, youth will create a variety of art forms!
Participant(s):

INTERNATIONAL FOOD & FUN NIGHT PRESENTATIONS
Tentatively scheduled for Monday, August 12,
Time TBA
Participant(s):

DUCT TAPE CONTEST
Tuesday, August 13, 4:00PM
Duct tape is a base material for some very creative projects! See what you can create using the theme “Fair Fun” and your imagination! If you can imagine it, you can make it with duct tape! Participants are asked to bring your choice of duct tape color/pattern! Pre-registration is required! Contact the 4-H office to sign up!
Participant(s):

THE GREAT HOMEMAKING SKILLATHON
Wednesday, August 14, 2:00PM
Designed as a series of mini-learning stations, 4-H'ers will have an opportunity to rotate from station to station attempting to perform a given task or answer questions focusing on foods & nutrition, clothing & textiles, child development, consumer economics, etc. Fun and prizes for all participants! (Pre-registration required)
Participant(s):

4-H DAIRY DAY ACTIVITIES
Thursday, August 15, 1:30PM to 3:00PM
Assist the public in making their own butter, picking their favorite dairy dip, making a milk explosion, and more!
Volunteer(s):

“DESIGN YOUR OWN ACCESSORY” CONTEST
Date and Time TBA! - Pre-registration is required!!
Participant(s):

Please return this form to the 4-H office or call us at 585-786-2251 by Monday, July 15th to sign up.
**FAIR BARN CLEAN UP DAY**

**FAIR PARKING STICKERS**

Parking stickers for fair will be on sale at the 4-H office by the last week of June! Anyone may purchase a sticker at a cost of $20.00 per sticker.

Wyoming County 4-H Club Leaders can purchase a sticker for $10.00 (limit one per leader.) They are also on sale at all banks in Wyoming County, however, not at the special rate for 4-H leaders. Daily parking at the fair is $5.00 per day.

**OPEN CLASS DAIRY & LIVESTOCK ENTRIES**

Due August 1st!

All dairy and livestock open class entries will be due to the Wyoming County Fair Office in Pike by Thursday, August 1st. Entries will be available at the 4-H office in Warsaw OR the Fair Association office in Pike. (green commercial building)

Have questions? Contact:
Jeff True, Open Dairy Cattle Superintendent – 237-6144
Pete Broughton, Open Livestock Superintendent – 786-8586
Connie Weaver, Fair Association – 493-5626

There will be no dormitory facilities available this year for Department H livestock exhibitors at the fair. NO Dept. H exhibitors will be permitted to stay overnight in the barns while participating in youth activities at the fair. Any Dept. H exhibitor that will be staying in a camper on the fairgrounds must be accompanied by a parent or guardian, 21 years of age or older. Exhibitors staying on the fairgrounds overnight in a camper MUST have their parent/guardian fill out an exemption form from the 4-H office. The exemption form needs to be on file in the 4-H office by the opening day of fair and must be signed by the parent/guardian and chaperone.

Please feel free to call the 4-H office at 585-786-2251 with questions or to request an exemption form.
YOUTH BUILDING VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!

We need your help the week before fair and the week of fair!!

Volunteers are vital to the success of 4-H activities at the Wyoming County Fair. Please sign up by completing this form to make this year’s fair a great success! A confirmation letter will be sent out the week of July 22nd.

WAYS TO VOLUNTEER

CLEAN AND DECORATE
Youth Building Youth and adults wanted to help clean and decorate the Youth Building
Tuesday, August 6TH 9:00AM to 12:00PM
- Snacks will be provided for all volunteers!

“MAKE IT AND TAKE IT”
4-H clubs, individuals, leaders, parents needed to present hands-on demonstrations at the fair.

YOUTH BUILDING ASSISTANTS
Youth Building Helpers/Assistants are 4-H members 11 years or older. Decorate, clean, set-up displays and exhibits and be generally helpful the week before and during fair week. Volunteer one day or all week!!

All workers who work a full day (5 hours with a ½ hour lunch) will receive a meal ticket! - Extra helpers are always needed the first couple of days of fair. - 4-H members who work in the Youth Building: learn leadership skills, experience volunteering, meet other 4-H members, have fun!

JUNIOR SUPERINTENDENTS
Junior Superintendents 13 years or older. Junior Supers are responsible for specific areas of the Youth Building according to interests, abilities and experiences. Junior superintendents also help in organizing activities and contests (example: Theme Days, “4-H Smoothie” contest, Vegetable Art Contest, etc.).

TEEN EVALUATORS
Teen Evaluators help the judges during the exhibit evaluation process on Friday, August 9th (10:00AM - 3:00PM or 2:30PM to 7:30PM)
These volunteers assist with judging, tagging, and putting ribbons on exhibits.

WAYS TO VOLUNTEER

COUNTY FAIR

VOLUNTEERS SIGN-UP FORM
- Please indicate areas of interests -

Clean Up/Decorate Youth Building
☐ Tuesday, August 6TH (9AM - 12PM)
☐ Thursday, August 8TH (2PM - 4PM)  (Prepare vegetable tables, set up judges’ tables if needed)

Youth Building Exhibit Judging Friday, August 9TH (Please circle time preference)
☐ Helper/Runner (11 years and older) 10AM - 3PM - or - 2:30PM - 7:30PM
☐ Teen Evaluator (13 years and older) 10AM - 3PM - or - 2:30PM - 7:30PM
☐ Exhibit Registration Table (Audits Only) 10AM - 3PM - or - 2:30PM - 7:30PM

Junior Superintendents/Junior Assistants (Please specify date/time preferences)
Volunteers needed Saturday, August 10TH through Friday, August 16TH,
( 10AM - 3PM - or - 3PM - 8PM )

“Make it and Take it” Hands-on activity (Sign up as a club or individually)
Description
Specify Date/Time

Personal Information

Name: __________________________
Address: __________________________
Club Name: __________________________
Phone Number: __________________________
Age: ( AS OF 1/1/13 )

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO THE 4-H OFFICE
BY MONDAY, JULY 15TH TO SIGN UP
GOAT
Showing and Fitting Clinic
Saturday, June 29TH, 10AM
Wyoming County Fair Grounds
Bring your goat, if you can, and learn all about showing and fitting.
**this will meet your educational requirement for showing goats at the Wyoming County Fair**

CANINE CORNER

Happenings in the Wyoming Dog 4-H Program

Obedience Classes are in full gear!

Agility & Rally Obedience is also starting:
If interested please call
Pennie Smith at (585) 457-3576
(Java-Strykersville) Thursday Nights 6:00PM - 8:00PM
Mindy Holland at (716) 353-6584
(Arcade) Monday Nights 6:00PM - 8:00PM

Dates to remember and mark calendars

Graduation - Thursday, June 20, 5:30PM Dairy Barn Arena
Wyoming County Fairgrounds, Pike, NY

1st Trial - Tuesday, July 9, 5:30PM Sue Schum’s Riding Arena
Alexander, NY

2nd Trial - Thursday, July 25, 5:30PM Dairy Barn Arena
Wyoming County Fairgrounds, Pike, NY

Wyoming Co Fair 2013 Happenings
Saturday, August 10, 12:00PM
Obedience at the Cattle Barn Arena

Sunday, August 11, Water Street Ball Field
Rally Obedience 1:00PM
Agility 3:00PM

Please plan on participating in these events!

Be proud of all your hard work you’ve done this year with your dog and show the public what a great program we have.

MEAT GOAT AND POULTRY AUCTION

Sunday, August 11TH at 6PM

- Livestock Barn Arena -

4-H youth will be selling Meat Goats and Broiler Chickens.

Don’t miss the Wyoming County 4-H

JUNE - AUGUST 2013
Second Annual
SUPREME SHOWMANSHIP Contest

Super and Master Showmen from the Beef, Swine, Sheep and Dairy Showmanship contests will compete in a multi-species showmanship contest. Each youth will exhibit all 4 species and a supreme showman will be named.

This contest will be held on Friday, August 9 at 4PM.

Livestock and Dairy Barn Arenas

DAIRY CLIPPING AND FITTING CONTEST

Sunday, August 11th at 11am

Prizes: Cash prizes to be split within the team
1st Place- $100
2nd Place- $50
3rd Place- $30

Rules & Regulations:

- Team will select 1 animal of choice.
- Animal must not have previous clipping etc.
- Teams must consist of 2 youths from different age groups (Age Groups: Senior- Ages 18-16, Intermediate- Ages 15-13, and Junior- Ages 12-18)
- Must be signed up by 10:00AM - Sunday, August 11.
- The team will have 1 hour to clip and fit their animal.
- The team is responsible to provide all materials needed for the competition (clippers, extension cords, etc.) and an un-clipped animal.
- Team members do not have to be exhibiting at the show to enter this competition.
- Animals will be judged and the team with the most complete and best fitting job will be named the winner.

TEN GUIDELINES
for “4-H Livestock” Parents/Guardians

1. Know the rules.

2. Allow your children to do their projects themselves.

3. Be supportive and involved.

4. Allow your children to participate in as many activities as they can handle.

5. Provide proper equipment.

6. Keep your attitude in check on show day.

7. Refrain from being a show ring sideline director.

8. Refrain from complaining about the Judge, the Fair or 4-H Officials.

9. Do not disparage the competition.

10. Honor your child.

Gladiola Meeting

At Spencer’s Gladiola Farm
On Oatka Road, Perry

August 5th at 7pm

Plan on attending this meeting to learn how to display your gladiolas at the Wyoming County Fair!

JUNE - AUGUST 2013
On Saturday, April 27th, the New York State 4-H Dairy Quiz Bowl Contest took place at Cornell University in Ithaca. 4-H Dairy Quiz Bowl is a jeopardy-like activity organized and held on a local, regional and state level for youth from ages 8 to 19 that have an interest in learning about the dairy industry. This youth dairy event is a contest in which young people have an opportunity to test their knowledge of dairy cattle, dairy products and current issues in the dairy industry.

Three Wyoming County youth earned the honors to represent the Western District. Danielle Herrick was a member of the 4th place junior team that represented the Western District and placed 7th overall. Oliver Ewell and Allison Herrick were members of the 1st place senior team for the Western District. Individually, Oliver placed 8th and Allison was 14th overall.

Great job Danielle, Oliver and Allison!

Western Districts Dairy Bowl Team:
Oliver Ewell (Wyoming), Michaela Richmond (Erie), Allison Herrick (Wyoming) and Christopher Sweeney (Niagara)

AG CAREERS CAMP
JUNE 30 THRU JULY 5, 2013

Ag Careers Camp gives teens the chance to take a look at the diverse careers available in agriculture. Through this camping experience, teens get the chance to explore many of the different facets of agriculture in a hands-on learning environment. Any individuals looking to enhance their knowledge about ag careers may attend. Sessions will begin at Camp Wyomoco each morning at 8:30AM and end around 5PM.

Sessions will be coordinated by 4-H staff. Each day will include hands-on learning as well as trips and tours to local agri-businesses.

TARGET AUDIENCE
Any youth between the ages of 14 and 18 that are looking to enhance their knowledge of agricultural careers.

APPLY ONLINE
You can download an application online at www.campwyomoco.com or contact the Camp office at (585) 786-2251 for an application.

COST
$100 per participant
SUMMARY OF ANIMAL HEALTH REQUIREMENTS FOR THE WYOMING COUNTY FAIR

1. Rabies shots must be given to cattle, horses, dogs, and sheep that are 4 months of age or older on the date of admission to the fair. It is recommended that rabies shots also be given to goats and hogs. The vaccine must be given at least 14 days prior to the fair. The shot normally is good for 1 year. When a booster shot is given to a previously vaccinated animal, the shot must be given prior to coming to the fair.

2. Animals must be free of all contagious diseases such as ringworm, warts, mange, orf, respiratory infections and contagious hoof infections. Warts must be removed and healed prior to coming to fair.

3. Cattle, Sheep, Goats and Swine must be identified by USDA approved official identification. NEW FOR 2013: ALL CATTLE & SWINE MUST BE IDENTIFIED BY AN OFFICIAL EARTAG! Call the 4-H office if you have any questions about acceptable forms of ID.

4. For New York State animals, certificate of veterinary inspection (CVI) is required. This is a health chart (Form AI 61). The CVI is often referred to as “health papers” or “health certificate.” This chart must be completed on or after May 1st of the current year. All animals, even those under 3 months of age, need to be individually identified and included on the health chart.

5. Tuberculosis testing on New York State cattle will not be required.

6. A signed written statement from the attending veterinarian is required as proof of vaccination.

7. Cattle must be vaccinated against Bovine Respiratory Disease Complex (shipping fever, etc.). Vaccination must include immunization against bovine viral diarrhea (BVD), bovine respiratory syncytial virus (BRSV), infectious bovine rhinotracheitis(IBR), and Parainfluenza(P13) with a product administered in a manner and time frame adequate to confer protective immunity for these diseases for the duration of fair.

8. Observe milk and meat drug/vaccine labeled withholding times. (Usually 21 days is required between giving a rabies shot and slaughter and 21 days on the Bovine Respiratory shots.)

9. Out of state animals coming to the fair must satisfy import health and test requirements for that species. The interstate health chart is valid for 30 days from the date of issuance with regard to entrance into New York State. Import test requirements are different for different states, based on diseases that are found in that state. For more detailed information contact N.Y.S. Department of Ag and Markets at 518-457-3971 or online at www.agmkt.ny.us.

10. If any sheep or goat within a flock shows evidence of Soremouth, the whole flock must be removed from the fairgrounds.

11. Sheep and goats must be identified with an official scrapie tag or tattoo. In order to prevent scrapie contamination, any sheep or goat showing any uterine drainage will be sent home.

Observe drug/vaccine labeled withholding times!

### CATTLE
- Rabies chart
- Rabies vaccination
- Tested for Pullorum typhoid within 90 days of the fair, (waterfowl are exempt) or certification that the birds directly originated from a tested flock or the flock has been tested within the past year.

### Poultry
- Health chart with veterinarian statement indicating that there are no contagious diseases in the flock/ herd.
- Rabies vaccination is strongly recommended for county fair but is required for state fair.

### Goats
- Identified with an official scrapie tag or tattoo
- Health chart with animals individually

### Sheep
- Vaccination for Bovine respiratory disease complex
- Negative BVD-PI Test results; date of test and results must be noted on CVI.

### Swine
- Coggins test for E.I.A., must be done in 2012 or 2013
- Rabies vaccination—signed statement of vaccination by vet, must include serial number and name of product used.

### Horses
- Rabies vaccination—signed statement of vaccination by vet, must include serial number and name of product used.

### Poultry
- Health chart with veterinarian statement indicating that there are no contagious diseases in the flock/ herd.
- Rabies vaccination is strongly recommended for county fair but is required for state fair.

### Goats
- Identified with an official scrapie tag or tattoo

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### Swine
- Health chart with animals individually
- Tested for Pullorum typhoid within 90 days of the fair, (waterfowl are exempt) or certification that the birds directly originated from a tested flock or the flock has been tested within the past year.
These practices contribute to keeping your animals healthy and help to protect Wyoming County Agriculture. Adapted from California Department of Food and Agriculture, Biosecurity at the Fair brochure

**Biosecurity Before the Fair**

Disease prevention and fair biosecurity start before exhibitors leave home. Only healthy animals should be entered in the fair. Before animals leave the home premises, the herd or flock veterinarian should examine each animal to ensure healthy animals enter the fairgrounds. Tools and equipment may harbor disease agents. To minimize potential disease spread from the home premises to the fair, before packing for transport, clean and disinfect: Feed equipment: buckets, feeders, hay racks. Cleaning utensils: shovels, pitch forks and wheelbarrows. Grooming equipment: clippers and brushes. Vehicle and trailer (inside and outside).

**Biosecurity at the Fair**

To protect fair animals and minimize disease transmission risk while at the fair: Limit animal-animal contact. Limit animal-human-animal contact. Avoid sharing equipment with other exhibitors unless you thoroughly clean and disinfect between use. Cover feed and equipment to reduce risk of contamination. Change clothing, hats, and shoes used at the fair before doing chores at home. At the end of the fair, clean all animals returning home and disinfect all equipment before loading the trailer. Unused feed, hay and bedding should be discarded at the fairgrounds, not taken home.

**Biosecurity After the Fair**

The possibility of animal exposure to disease agents can occur with even the best biosecurity practices at the fair. Since they may be harboring disease agents without clinical signs, animals returning from the fair should be isolated from other animals and pets. Monitor animals in isolation daily for signs of illness and contact the herd or flock veterinarian if any unusual symptoms are observed. To minimize the possible chance of disease spread to the main herd or flock, modify your chore routine to care for isolated fair animals last. Keep equipment used in caring for isolated fair animals away from other animals in the herd or flock. Change your clothes after completing chores for isolated animals. Consult your veterinarian to develop an isolation plan suitable for your premises and herd or flock. Use of fair biosecurity is a good management practice.

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**90-Day Pullorum Testing for Poultry**

Monday, July 8th - 6:30pm - 7:30pm
Poultry & Rabbit Barn at Wyoming County Fairgrounds

To exhibit poultry at the fair, they must be accompanied by 1) results of a negative pullorum-typhoid test conducted within 90 days prior to exhibition or 2) proof that the birds originated directly from a US pullorum-typhoid clean flock or equivalent flock. Waterfowl DO NOT need to be tested. Only birds over 4 months of age will be tested. Please call the 4-H office by July 5th if you plan on bringing chickens for testing.
SHOWMANSHIP AND FITTING CLINICS

**BEEF SHOWMANSHIP & FITTING CLINIC**
When: Tuesday, June 25th @ 7:00pm  
Where: Pete & Kristy Broughton’s Farm  
3853 Silver Springs Road, Silver Springs  
(Will fulfill the educational requirement needed to show beef, sheep or swine at the fair)

**POULTRY SHOWMANSHIP CLINIC**
When: Tuesday, July 16th @ 7:00pm  
Where: Wyoming County Fairgrounds  
Poultry Barn (Will fulfill the educational requirement needed to show poultry at the fair)

**RABBIT SHOWMANSHIP CLINICS**
When: Thursday, July 25th @ 7:00pm  
Where: CCE Education Center, Warsaw  
(Will fulfill the educational requirement needed to show rabbits at the fair)

When: Tuesday, August 6th @ 7:00pm  
Where: Wyoming County Fairgrounds  
Rabbit Barn (Will fulfill the educational requirement needed to show rabbits at the fair)

**SHEEP SHOWMANSHIP & FITTING CLINIC**
When: Monday, July 1st @ 7:00pm  
Where: Reisdorf Family Sheep Farm  
11030 Route 98 in Attica  
(Will fulfill the educational requirement needed to show beef, sheep or swine at the fair)

**NOT JUST ANOTHER LIVESTOCK “MEATING”**

Monday, July 15TH - 7PM  
CCE Education Center, Warsaw

Brad Gillbert from US Foods will be on hand to talk about cuts of meat that come from beef, pork and lamb; the importance of quality assurance; and show us how meat is handled in commercial settings.  
*This will be the LAST opportunity to fulfill the educational requirement needed to show beef, sheep or swine at the fair!*  
Please call the 4-H office at 786-2251 by July 12th to let us know if you plan on attending this exciting opportunity.
WHO NEEDS TO BE EVALUATED?

All new horse project members who plan on riding or driving in 4-H events need to be evaluated in addition to walk-trot and walk-jog riders moving up to the junior level. Evaluations will occur on the following days:

Wednesday, June 26th at Sue Schum’s Arena in Alexander; 6:00PM
Thursday, July 25th at the Drill Team Arena in Warsaw, 6:00PM

You must pre-register for evaluations; please call the 4-H office as soon as possible to reserve your spot!

JUNE - AUGUST 2013

4-H Horse State Fair Qualifying Show

Show Order:
• English & Western Showmanship
• English Classes (jumpers will be evaluated before the show during warm-up)
• Western Classes
• Trail will be open from 9am till 12pm
• Gymkhana Classes

We need many volunteers to make this show possible! If you would like to help, please call the 4-H office at 786-2251.

ENTRY: Each rider will pay a onetime $6.00 entry fee for the weekend in addition to $2.00 per class – payable at the show. Entries will be made the day of the show.

Six ribbons will be awarded per class with a trophy awarded to each of the three divisions’ high point winners. In classes under six riders, points will be awarded at the judge's discretion.

Riders who qualify in more than one major division must select one division (Hunt Seat, Western or Gymkhana) to compete at State Fair. Be prepared to let the 4-H office staff know by the end of Saturday's event if you plan on competing at State Fair.

Horses need up-to-date Coggins paperwork (done in 2012 or 2013.) Rabies shots are also required for exhibition and must have been given within the past 12 months.

There are no stalls available at the Posse Grounds. Exhibitors must use their trailer area for stabling and be prepared to provide their own water for horses. Food will be available for purchase.

For all divisions, ponies = 14.2 hands or less.

ATTENTION WYOMING COUNTY FAIR 4-H HORSE EXHIBITORS!!!

• Don’t forget you must attach a clear, readable, current copy of your Coggins and rabies certificates to your horse show entry form which is due on July 15th.

• Make sure your helmet contains the approved ASTM-1163/SEI or ASTM-F-1163-04a/SEI certification and that the helmet is in good condition!

• 4-H rules require that ALL 4-H members who ride a horse, drive a horse or show a horse in an arena must wear an approved ASTM 1163 helmet in order to participate.

• Remember that in order to participate in the 2013 Wyoming County Fair 4-H Horse Shows, 4-H’ers must participate in an educational event or activity during the current project year. The last remaining opportunity for 2013 is Regional Horse Judging. If you have questions about whether or not you have met the requirement, call the 4-H office.

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Region 1 HORSE JUDGING CONTEST

Friday, July 26th @ 1:30PM
Chautauqua County Fairgrounds
This event will satisfy the educational requirement for exhibiting horses at the fair. You must contact the 4-H office at 786-2251 by July 15th if you plan to attend.
**Last Call**

**RIDING & DRIVING EVALUATIONS!**

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**AGRI-PALOOZA**

Agri-Palooza took place on June 9TH at Dueppengiesser Dairy Co. in Perry, NY!

Thanks to all the volunteers from the 4-H youth program who helped to make this event an amazing success!

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**Wyoming County**

You are invited to join in celebrating Cornell Cooperative Extension of Wyoming County’s 100th year of service to the Wyoming County Community.

The celebration will take place on

**July 29, 2013**

- 6PM -

at the Legion Hall in the Warsaw Village Park

Join us and enjoy activities, presentations and a summer BBQ.

Please let us know if you plan to attend by calling the Cornell Cooperative Extension of Wyoming County’s office in Warsaw at (585) 786-2251 by July 1st.

Dinner is sponsored by:

The Bank of Castile & Tompkins Insurance Agencies
45th Annual
Wyoming County 4-H Meat Animal Auction

Providing for Sale Approximately:
140 Hogs * 25 Lambs * 20 Beef Steers * 20 Dairy Steers

Wyoming County Fairgrounds - Dairy Barn Arena
Selling Top Quality 4-H Market Hogs, Lambs & Beef!

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