*NEW* (due to State 4-H Record Book Judging changes)

COUNTY 4-H RECORD BOOK JUDGES TRAINING WORKSHOPS
Anyone who can help judge Record Books at County Record Book Judging Day, **Saturday, August 12th, 2017** in the UC Cooperative Extension Auditorium in SLO needs to attend 1 of the 3 workshops:

**NEW** County 4-H Record Book Judges Training Workshops

We need as many Adult 4-H Volunteers to train to be Judges at County Record Book Judging Day, Saturday, August 12, 2017 as possible!

Please check your calendars to see if you are available on Saturday, August 12th from 8:00 a.m. to about 4:00 p.m.; if you are, and would like to volunteer and judge County Record Books — we need you to attend 1 County Record Book Judges Training Class being offered at the following locations:

**North County Workshop:** will be held
⇒ **Saturday, June 17th, 2017 from 11:00 a.m.—12:30 p.m.**
⇒ at the American Legion Hall located at 805 S Main St, Templeton, CA 93465

**South County Workshops:** will be held
⇒ **Monday, June 19th, 2017 from 6:30 p.m.—8:00 p.m.**
⇒ at the UCCE Auditorium at 2156 Sierra Way, San Luis Obispo

⇒ **Wednesday, June 28th, 2017 from 6:30 p.m.—8:00 p.m.**
⇒ at the UCCE Auditorium at 2156 Sierra Way, San Luis Obispo

We would truly appreciate your help at County Record Book Judging Day on Saturday, August 12, 2017.

**As a reminder, 2016-2017 Record Books are due in the 4-H Office on Friday, August 4th, 2017 by the 4-H Community Club Leader.**
STATE AMBASSADORS CORNER:
Wow! What a fast year it’s been! It is already May and the 2016-2017 State Ambassador team is looking forward to the events coming up this summer!

The Ambassadors have been hard at work planning California Focus. We are building workshops based on citizenship, service learning, and goal setting - our platform for this year - to share with this year’s delegates. We have also great keynote speakers and activities planned. We are excited for our time in Sacramento and hope you are too! For those who will be attending, keep a lookout for the upcoming delegate and chaperone orientation webinar!

Catch the entire State Ambassador team at State Field Day at UC Davis on May 27th. We can’t wait to celebrate the success of your 4-H projects and presentations with you at this event!

We are also hard at work incorporating our goal setting platform into the activities at State Leadership Conference! We'd like to invite all youth ages 13 - 19 to this year’s SLC is at UC Davis from July 20 - 23! Late registration is open until June 18th. Join us for advanced leadership training, experiential education, networking and idea sharing, and to experience a slice of college life! For more information, visit the SLC page on 4h.ucanr.edu!

Pre-Order Your 2017 National Youth Science Day kits!
National 4-H Council and 4-H National Headquarters are pleased to introduce the 2017 4-H National Youth Science Day challenge: Incredible Wearables. Incredible Wearables is a hands-on STEM project that challenges young people to build a wearable fitness tracker that will help people lead healthier lifestyles.

To complete the challenge, kids must work together to design, build and refine a wearable health-tracking device that is low-cost, easy-to-use and aesthetically appealing. Incredible Wearables is perfect for both classroom and out-of-school learning. The 75 to 90-minute hand-on project is highly adaptable and is suitable for 4th-12th graders. The 4-H NYSD kit is now available for pre-sale on the 4-H Mall website.

Each low-cost kit can serve up to 10 youth at a time, and is re-usable.
Hello 4-H Members, 4-H Leaders, and Parents/Guardians:

The Tentative Schedule and Map of where to check-in with your Division Entry or entries is posted at: http://ucanr.edu/sites/slo4-h/Club_Forms/

**Large Animal Sciences:**

- **Beef Division** showmanship will be in the Hearst Equestrian Arena in the Covered Warm-Up Area. A Hoof Trimming Service is being planned as well – Cost TBD (approx. $40)

- Sheep, Dairy and Market Goats, (and "Invisible Swine Mini Clinic) * Divisions will be held inside the Hearst Equestrian Center.

**IMPORTANT NOTE:** (*) NO Swine are to be brought to the fairgrounds due to lack of pen space because of the Construction. Instead, for the Swine Entries; the Division Chair is going to have a Mini Clinic “showing invisible pigs” and having educational games for the 4-H Members entering this Division. 4-H Members can still enroll for their Division Class so that you can show against your own level. We will still have a showmanship contest after the mini clinic and members will be given ribbons and placings.

**Small Animal Sciences Divisions:** The Dog Care Division will be set up at the West end of the Hearst Equestrian Center and we will establish a barrier with dark cloth for this division.

**Poultry and Rabbits Divisions** will be in the Adelaide Hall, along with Large & Small Animal Level Testing.

**Still Exhibits Divisions & Silent Auction** will be held in Estrella Hall.

**REMINDER for the Silent Auction**—only Checks and Cash will be accepted when the Table Sections are being closed. The timing for the Sections are as follows: Section 1: Closes at 11:30 a.m.; Section 2: Closes at 11:45 a.m.; Section 3 Closes at 12 Noon and Section 4: Closes at 12:15 p.m. All Items must be paid for and Picked Up by 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, June 3rd, 2017.

**The Pinewood Derby Division** is going to be held on the Headliner Stage.

The **4-H Snack Bar** hosted by Ranchita Canyon 4-H Club and the **4-H Store** will still be located at Jimmy’s Watering Hole location.

The **Information Booth will be in Estrella Hall** next to the Still Exhibits area.
SLO County 4-H Members represent at State 4-H Fashion Revue!

Five 4-H members represented SLO County at State Fashion Revue, May 27, 2017 at the University of California, Davis. State Fashion Revue is part of State 4-H Field Day. This all day event included judging, textile and clothing related rotations, and presentations. The day culminated in an outdoor fashion show on a large pop-up stage. Over 39 counties were represented with over 158 entries from 4H Clothing and Textile Projects throughout California.

San Luis Obispo County was well represented with five 4-H members that qualified at the County Fashion Revue: Chessa F. from Canyon Country was an expert model in her summer ensemble in the Junior Consumer Science $40 Purchase category. She received GOLD for her efforts and presentation. Lea M., a member of Edna, participated in the new Stripe/Plaid/Print Challenge. Her purple wrap dress with matching American Girl outfit that she made all herself was awarded GOLD! Also from Edna, Aria O. received GOLD for her beautifully made, colorful floral print top that she entered in the Junior Traditional category. Representing Pozo, Kensington W. modeled her expertly sewn black and white print top and coordinating red leggings in the Junior Knit Challenge category. She not only won GOLD but was awarded STATE WINNER in her category! Penelope K. from Edna showed her custom made lace dress and faux fur jacket to the judges. She received GOLD for her efforts as well as STATE WINNER in the Senior Traditional Category.

Congratulate our State Fashion Revue winners, not only for their achievements in creating great outfits, but also in their representation of SLO County 4-H!
2017 Cal Poly
Electrical Engineering Camp

Who can attend?
Rising 7th graders to rising high school seniors.

Price: $250
Time:
9:00am-4:00pm

June 19th – June 23rd 2017
Location: Building 20A, Cal Poly San Luis Obispo Campus

Our camp’s age range extends from rising 7th graders to rising high school seniors. For most activities, campers will be divided into age groups, but no prior electronics or programming experience is expected of any age. The daily schedule will typically include a morning lab activity, a lunch break, an afternoon lab activity, games, and a fun engineering- or science-related activity before the end.

This year, labs will include Arduino, Scribbler robots, and electronics projects, exposing campers to programming, soldering, building circuits, and designing as a team.

Learn More:
http://www.ee.calpoly.edu/events/ee-camp-2017/

Register:
https://calpoly.irisregistration.com/Site/ee-summer-camp-2017
### 2017 FOOD & ARTS CELEBRATION AND FASHION REVUE AWARDS

**FASHION REVUE CLASS**

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**FASHION REVUE Overall Best in Class: Penelope K., Edna**

**FOOD & ARTS CELEBRATION DIVISION**

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Community Service from the Edna 4-H year:
This year Edna 4-H had at least a total of 14 club wide community service opportunities that were utilized by the members. Community service is a large part of Edna 4-H as we love to give back to those who have done so much for our club and community. From donating items to spending hours working all of our members have been very giving this year. Many opportunities included Toys for Tots, a canned food drive for Grassroots, volunteering at Woods Humane Society, donating and delivering toiletries to homeless shelter, GleanSLO, volunteering during LoveSLO and many more. Reflecting on the year as an officer team and realizing how much has been given back we feel very successful as a non profit organization here in SLO County. Having that positive reputation is something our club is thankful for. We cannot wait for another great year of leading by helping out others!
-Bella M. Edna 4-H Club Reporter

Photos below: (left) Photo of toiletries donated by members then packaged for those in need at homeless shelter. (right) 2 Edna members preparing thanksgiving dinners for Grass Roots.

Edna 4H’s year of greatness:
As we approach the end of this 4-H year and start reflecting upon it Edna is reminded of all the accomplishments and good times of it. Looking all the way back to the California Mid-State Fair and the fantastic job our members did showing in 2016. Our officer team started out the year stronger than ever as we led many new members through the year. We held our 2nd annual potluck & scavenger hunt, and had our BBQ project group help out with the grilling. Our club received a gold seal at county for our club thanks to our fantastic officers of last year. During National 4-H Week we once again moved the Edna 4Herd around SLO holding a photo contest. We constructed an awesome parade float for the annual Downtown San Luis Obispo Holiday Parade and had many members involved. We continued along with many club meetings and activities including ornament exchange, ugly holiday sweater contest, cake decorating contest and more. Had another very successful fundraiser of enchilada sales to help our club with expenses. Our officers had a campout retreat on a local ranch. Many of our members attended shows and clinics throughout the year. But most importantly we had a lot of fun this year. As a club we are excited for fair and thankful for this fantastic program year!
-Bella M. Edna 4-H Club Reporter

(left) Edna’s christmas Parade float (right) Edna 4Herd at Riding Warehouse in SLO.
The Santa Margarita 4-H group assisted in the annual Santa Margarita cemetery clean up. We picked weeds picked up trash and dusted off grave stones. We also planted sage and Bulbs in the front planters. It was nice to get to give back to our community. We all enjoyed it!

By Sarafina T., Reporter
Cerro Alto 4-H Rabbit Project Report

On April 22, 2017 Cerro Alto 4-H hosted our 33rd Annual Rabbit Show at the Cal Poly Farm Shop. It was a double show with 67 exhibitors and over 170 rabbit entries. Armando Cabrera and Joe Lugo were the ARBA judges. In addition to the show; there was a raffle, an opportunity to do showmanship and level testing. We also had a rabbit dress up contest, where you could dress your rabbit as a superhero or your favorite book character. Judge Lugo's show awarded a Netherland Dwarf as Best Reserve of show and a New Zealand won Best of Show. Judge Cabrera's show had a New Zealand win Best Reserve of show and a Mini Rex as Best of Show.

We had another successful year and everyone had a great time. Hope to see you next year.

Report by: James G.

Parkfield 4-H Club

On the 11th of April, we went to the Mystery Trip. 33 people went to the Mystery Trip.

The Mystery Trip started at 8:30 a.m. and ended at 3:00 p.m. The first place we went to was the Worm Farm. After, we went to Barney Park. We ate burritos donated from Dos Hermanos. The last place we went to was the Paso Bowl. Once again it was a successful year.

Thank you Marlene!

Submitted by: Samantha L., Parkfield 4-H
SLO COUNTY 4-H HORSE PROJECT EVENTS

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SLO County Western Field Day High Point Winners:
Sierra, Edna, Senior RHP; Shayna, Nipomo, Senior HP; Lacey, Nipomo, Junior HP; Julia, Templeton, Junior RHP; Estefany, Edna, Walk Trot RHP; Olivia, Adobe-Nipomo, Walk Trot HP; Jean Aguirre, Judge; Bailee Von Ilten, Judge (not pictured)

SLO County Gymkhana Field Day Flag Presenters:
Ella & Makayla, Creston 4-H

SLO County Gymkhana Field Day High Point Winners:
Carolyn, Templeton, Walk Trot RHP; Lacey, Nipomo, Junior RHP; Shayna, Nipomo, Senior HP; Katelyn, Edna,
Pictured above are: Ava A., Stacey from Foxy Doxy, Kate A., Mia T., Lyla M., McKenzie S.

On April 30th, the Pets and Small Animals project group from the Los Osos 4H Club donated homemade dog beds to Foxy Doxy dog rescue. The Pets and Small Animals 4H group donates to a local animal charity every year, and this year they chose Foxy Doxy.

The group cut pieces of fleece, tied them together, and filled them with polyfil stuffing to create comfortable beds. The dogs tried them out when the 4-Hers met with them and thoroughly enjoyed the beds.

Foxy Doxy takes in all dogs, not just dachshunds, and helps them find forever homes.

Written by Kate A. and Lyla M.
SLO 4-H Newsletter: Culinary Academy

In April, SLO 4-H and the UC CalFresh Nutrition Education Program partnered to host a Spring Break Culinary Academy at Oceano Elementary in collaboration with the Lucia Mar Unified School District. The culinary academy featured three different cooking stations where students could learn and practice various culinary skills including: knife safety, measuring accurately, following a recipe and stovetop cooking. District Food Service Director, Laurel Goins led one of the stations in the school kitchen, providing a kitchen tour and an overview of the equipment used while teaching the 4-H youth how to crack eggs and prepare a healthy soufflé. Other recipe stations included making sushi and baking zucchini muffins. Each station featured a different cultural theme and brief lesson about food from the regions of France, the Southern U.S. and Japan. Overall, by the end of the day youth were most excited about making and trying sushi, learning how to bake and being able to make an omelet.
On April 22nd Cambria 4-H members, Carla and Stella C. attended the 33rd annual Cerro Alto 4-H rabbit show at Cal Poly. They both passed their level 3 written tests and Stella won first place in junior showmanship with her Holland Lop, Hobnob. Carla’s Giant Flemish rabbit, Rubeus, won first place for best of breed.

The very next day, Carla and Stella C. participated in the SLO County Horse Project English Field Day at the Wranglerette arena in Atascadero. After a full day of classes including showmanship, equitation, pleasure and jumping, Carla was the reserve champion on her horse, Bandit, for the junior division.

On April 8th, Cerro Alto 4-H Dog Group attended the Canyon Country Dog Show in San Luis Obispo. It was beautiful sunny day, and a little bit windy. Everyone had fun competing and earning ribbons. Chloe and I won a 1st in Obedience, and a 3rd in Showmanship. I learned that your dog can earn a "K-9 Good Citizen Award". Katie and her dog Ace achieved this award. It was really fun to be there with the Dog Group and all my friends, over all it was a great experience, and I will definitely plan to attend next year. Submitted by: Elsie E.
Nipomo 4-H participated in helping the CCGGA open house scholarship fundraiser. The members of Nipomo 4-H helped plant milk weed, help price plants, welcomed people entering fundraiser, and sold donuts and coffee. It was a very fun community event. Submitted by: Ashley R.
Goat Expo
On March 18, the Kings Highway 4-H group hosted the County’s 4-H Goat Expo. It was a great day of learning and preparing for fair. Group members gave presentations along with expert volunteers, Cindy Lindquist, Emily Patterson, Wyatt Savage, Kathy Vieira and family. We learned how to properly fit, feed, show, dehorn and much more! Every 4-H participant who attended received a raffle prize, hot dog lunch and the opportunity to take Market and Dairy goat level testing. There is always something new to learn! Thanks to Kim Morones, the 4-H Large Animal Science Key Leader and Tracy Johnston for helping out, too. Another successful expo! Submitted by Chelsea S., Kings Highway 4-H Club Reporter

Morro Bay 4-H Club: Every year in 4-H, we have a big enchilada fundraiser! Also, we sold many enchiladas to neighbors and family. The types of enchiladas we sold were cheese, beef, and chicken. This year we had the help from Carla Wixom to make the enchiladas. Carla owns Carla's Country Kitchen, a restaurant in Morro Bay, and they made the enchiladas in their kitchen for us!

Overall, we had a great enchilada fundraiser, and a big thanks to Carla's Country Kitchen!

At our last 4-H meeting, we donated socks to the Prado Day Center, big thanks to everyone who brought them! We came up with this in Leadership to donate the socks to the Prado Day Center, we also got lot's of socks! Also at that meeting, everyone in 4-H made placemats for the Bayside Nursing Home, we made lots of them! We did this so when they ate they could see all the fun things we drew. Thank you to everyone who donated socks, and drew a placemat for the Bayside Nursing Home.

Written by Jordan McL. Morro Bay 4-H Club Reporter
4hOnline Enrollment is Year-Round — Contact a 4-H Community Club Leader

**SLO County 4-H Youth Development Program Calendar 2016-2017**

**COUNTY 4-H WEBSITE URL:** [http://ucanr.edu/slo4h/](http://ucanr.edu/slo4h/)

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  Paso Robles Event Center | 4  2016-17 Record Books Due by 5pm in the  
  4-H Office                                                     |
| 17  NEW Record Book Judges Training Workshop  
  at the Templeton American Legion Hall                      | 12  Record Book Judging Day - Must attend  
  2016-17 Record Book Judges Training class  
  due to new State 4-H Evaluation Rules                      |
| 19 &  28  NEW Record Book Judges Training  
  Workshops at the UCCE Auditorium in SLO                  |                                                              |
| 16-20  CALIFORNIA FOCUS, Sacramento                        |                                                              |

The updated SLO County 4-H Horse Project Events Calendar can be found on Page 10.