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Field Day Festivities

Field Day was held on Saturday, June 14, 2003 at the Mid-State Fairgrounds in Paso Robles. There was alot of fun and excitement going on throughout the day. The weather was hot and sunny which seemed to add to general glow of the day.

Thank you to all of the volunteers, from the Event Chairs to the Division Chairs to those who jumped in to help out throughout Field Day. A huge Thank You to the Sponsors of some of the Field Day awards: Mid-State Dairy Goats, Chispa Dairy Goats, SLOGDOG, Lemos Feed & Pet Supply, Atascadero Hay & Feed, AB Livestock, Walker Prototype Services, San Luis Obispo Kennel Club, Sew Fun, August & Carolina

Harden, Sheryl Easterbrook, and Bruce & Susan Roden.

Another thank you goes to everyone who attended and participated at Field Day.



Vanessa Koenig and her rabbit, Tiger are all smiles during Field Day.

FIELD DAY RESULTS

BIRDHOUSES

CLASS:

Recycled:

Michael Evans, Cambria

Decorated:

Natori Coleman, Valley o/t Bears

Other:

Alexis Leage, Edna

People's Choice:

Brett Buckingham, Cerro Alto

Best of Show:

Michael Evans, Cambria

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Not One, but TWO State Ambassadors

The San Luis Obispo County 4-H Youth Development Program is proud to announce that All Star Brandon Emerson of Valley of the Bears and Senior All Star Nakia Wheeler of Rio Ranchers have been selected to be a part of the 2003-2004 4-H State Ambassador Team. Formerly called the Diamond Star program, the 4-H State Ambassador program was started in 2001. The last Diamond Star to represent San Luis Obispo County was (continued on page 4)

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Pass It On Info...

2003 State Rules for California Fairs are currently available on the Department of Food and Agriculture website, www.cdffa.ca.gov/fe. Additional information or questions can be addressed to Tomme Jo Dale at (916)263-2948.

San Luis Obispo Botanical Garden Summer Programs.

Saturday in the Garden - June 14th, July 12, August 9th from 1:00-4:00 p.m. at the San Luis Obispo Botanical Garden. Families are invited to come learn something new each month of the year. Garden tours are at 1:00 p.m. and a guest speaker gives a talk in the amphitheatre at 2:00 p.m. *Plant Family Camp* - August 11th-15th - Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Children ages 5 to 15, bring a parent with them for a fun-filled week of camp activities. The theme of the camp is California Plant Families. Explore how plants are named according to family characteristics they have in common. Call 546-3501 or visit www.slobg.org for more details.

A Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) sheet is now available online regarding raffles, drawings, door prizes and other games of chance. This FAQ may be accessed by visiting <http://ca4h.org/4hresource/handbook/>.

Fundraiser opportunity. The Stone Soup Music Faire, which will be held August 23 & 24, 2003 is accepting applications for booths at their event. Questions and application requests, please call the Grover Beach Chamber of Commerce at 489-4147.

Scholarship: Target invites applications for All-Around Scholarship program for high school seniors and college students to recognize volunteer work and academic achievement. Applications are due November 1, 2003 and available at http://target.com/common/page.jhtml?content=target_cg_scholarship.

The CA 4-H YD Office is searching for volunteers or staff who would be interested in leading one of the Washington Focus Programs during the summer of 2004. Apply by 08/01/03. For more info contact Pat English at pnenglish@ucdavis.edu.

No computer? Call the 4-H Office at 781-5943 and request any of the above website information to be mailed to you.

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Richard P. Enfield".

Richard P. Enfield,
4-H Youth Development Advisor

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Persons with special needs wishing to attend a program should contact the 4-H Office in advance. Efforts will be made to accommodate your special needs.

FIELD DAY 2003 RESULTS

CAVIES

CLASS:

Intermediate

Candice Takhvar, Canyon
Country

Best of Show

Candice Takhvar, Canyon
Country

SWINE

CLASS:

Novice

Trevor Marsano, Chaparral
Andrew Cook, Shandon
Jennifer Baier, El Paso De Robles
Justin Hillman, Shandon
Sara Lukes, Chaparral
Danelle Jarzynski, Chaparral
Sara Mason, El Paso De Robles
Caitlyn Curran, El Paso De
Robles

Andrew Frudden, Chaparral
Ashley DeBuiler, Shandon
Brianna Inguito, Shandon
Kaitlin Fieguth, El Paso De
Robles

Kassondra Quaglino, El Camino
Junior

Kiefer Scroggins, Cerro Alto
Titus Cannon, Chaparral
James Rucker, El Paso De
Robles

Tessa Lunsford, Shandon
Mattie Clegg, Broncos
Anthony Macera, Chaparral
Nathal Cole, El Paso De Robles
Kayla Sosnove, El Paso De
Robles

Caitlin Whaley, El Paso De
Robles

Kellee Rendon, Shandon
Andrew Soto, Broncos

Senior

John Rucker, El Paso De Robles
Sarah Cook, Shandon
Amber Tallant, Chaparral
Kayne Randolph, Chaparral

FINAL DRIVE:

Senior

John Rucker, El Paso De Robles
Sara Cook, Shandon

Junior

Kiefer Scroggins, Cerro Alto
Titus Cannon, Chaparral

Novice

Trevor Marsano, Chaparral
Andrew Cook, Shandon

Best of Show

Kiefer Scroggins, Cerro Alto

PLANT SCIENCE

CLASS:

Potted Plant

Kaylee Walker, Valley o/t Bears

Cut Flowers

Kaylee Walker, Valley o/t Bears

Herbs & Vegetables

Katharine Gibbs, Valley o/t Bears

Best of Show

Katharine Gibbs, Valley o/t Bears



*Melani Hess of Adobe Nipomo
observes the judges.*

POULTRY AVIAN BOWL

CLASS:

Primary (participaion only) Team 1

Julie Forte, Santa Margarita
Juno Laing, Santa Margarita
Brian Leitcher, Atascadero
Rangers
Lisa Ferguson, Atascadero
Rangers
Brian Ferguson

Primary (participation only) Team 2

Carly Roth, Templeton
Emily Hall, Cerro Alto
Elizabeth Glau, Cerro Alto
Rebecca Stockton, Cerro Alto
William Preston, Cerro Alto

Junior – 1st Place

Ariel Davis, Rio Rancheros

Emma Bryan, Cerro Alto

Rachel Glau, Cerro Alto

Seth Hall, Cerro Alto

Shelby Walter, Rio Rancheros

Junior – 2nd Place

Brooke Gonzalez, Atascadero
Rangers

Christy Forte, Santa Margarita

Seniors – 1st Place & Grand Champions

Kellan Candee, Estrella

Misha Bodeau, Estrella

Mirela King, Estrella

Katharine Gibbs, Valley o/t Bears

Seniors – 2nd Place

Rozanne Waken, Templeton

Garrett Roth, Templeton

Will Clevenger, Templeton

Abbey Francis, Templeton

Sam Clevenger, Templeton

QUILTING

CLASS:

Primary

Julie Forte, Santa Margarita

Gianna Alessi, Cerro Alto

William Preston, Cerro Alto

Sophie Flemion, Cambria

Beginner – Hand Tied Quilts

Natori Coleman, Valley o/t Bears

(class BOS)

Nichole Kingsley, Santa Margarita

Katie Patterson, Santa Margarita

Eva Johnson, Cambria

Christy Forte, Santa Margarita

Shannon Berwick, Santa

Margarita

Natalie Berwick, Santa Margarita

Beginner – Quilts, Machine Quilted

Elise Greska, Bishop's Peak

(class BOS)

Beginner – Other

Amanda Soucheck, El Camino

(class BOS)

Ashlyn Snow, Cambria

Lindsey Ward, Santa Lucia

Junior – Wall Hanging, Hand

Application

Amber Norfleet, Cerro Alto

(class BOS)

Junior – Pieced Quilt

Erin Miller, Cerro Alto (class BOS)

Junior – Machine Quilt

Erika Bradbury, Bishop's Peak

State Ambassadors

(continued from page 1) Evan Courter in 1997. Brandon and Nakia have received this recognition for their outstanding accomplishments in leadership and citizenship demonstrated by their service to their community and others through 4-H.

N&V: Why did you apply for State Ambassador?

NW: I applied for state ambassador because I enjoyed working at the county level and wanted to see what it would be like working at the state level.

BE: I applied because I felt it was a good way to give back to a great organization.

N&V: What was the interview process like? How did you prepare for it?

NW: The interview process was a lot of fun. I basically prepared for the interview by answering the questions on the application and just being myself.

BE: The interview was a little difficult because of the questions but I survived. With three interviewers it was a little bit intimidating. I prepared by reading my application.

N&V: How did you feel after the interview?

NW: After the interview I felt like it went well and I hoped that I would see all my new friends again as State Ambassadors.

BE: After the interview I felt relieved.

N&V: How did you feel when you found out that you would be a part of the 2003 - 2004 State Ambassador Team?

NW: When I found out that I would be a part of the 2003-2004 State Ambassador team I was very excited and proud to represent my county.

BE: I was ecstatic and very pleased to see Nakia made it too.

N&V: What are some of the State Ambassador activities?

NW: Some of the State Ambassador activities are



Brandon Emerson feels that as a 4-H State Ambassador, he will be able to give back to 4-H, for what 4-H has done for him.

to provide leadership in the development of the Youth Leadership Summit and the 4-H State Leadership Conference, and to support the mission and direction of the California Youth Development Program. State Ambassadors also assist in the development of innovative programs through a service project.

BE: Yeah, we have an orientation that we go to and we will have a service project.

N&V: What are some of the State Ambassador responsibilities at the County level? State level?

NW: The responsibilities of a State Ambassador are to support various local, sectional and statewide programs and activities; including public presentations, leadership development opportunities and community service.

BE: We attend events and promote 4-H, we will also help in planning next year's state conference.

N&V: What do you hope to learn as a State Ambassador?

NW: As a State Ambassador I hope to expand my knowledge as a leader and role model. I hope to learn how 4-H operates on a state level.



Nakia Wheeler is looking forward to new challenges as a 4-H State Ambassador.

BE: I hope to learn ways to reach a large number of people effectively.

N&V: Do you have any personal goals as a State Ambassador? Name one.

NW: My hopes for next year are to succeed in all my responsibilities as a California 4-H State

Ambassador. I would not be at this level of growth without each year of hard work that I put into myself and 4-H. As I am nearing the end of my 4-H career I hope to make these last few years as full of personal accomplishments as I can. I knew I was qualified to be a State Ambassador, so I figured it wouldn't hurt to apply and see if I could make it. Well, here I am and I hope the next year will bring many new lessons and memories to my life.

BE: I hope to promote 4-H effectively.

HORSE FIELD DAY REIGNS RIDERS IN

The Annual San Luis Obispo County Horse Field Day was held on Saturday, May 31, 2003, at the Mack Ranch in Nipomo. Judges were Tammy Phillips of Atascadero (all classes except Trail), and Bill Flemion of San Simeon (Trail). All 1st through 3rd place winners qualify to attend the State 4-H Classic Horse Show! (Check out cal4horse.com)



Abbie Fears appears calm and collected during Horse Field Day.

SHOWMANSHIP - SENIOR:

1st Mark Abeloe, Huasna Valley
2nd Shira Trost, Huasna Valley
3rd Melissa Clay, Rio Rancheros

SHOWMANSHIP - JUNIOR:

1st Heather Shawcross, Templeton
2nd Jacob Devine, Huasna Valley
3rd Kaitlin Sally, Huasna Valley

SHOWMANSHIP - PONY:

1st Addie Fears, Estero/Morro Bay

SHOWMANSHIP - WALK/TROT:

1st Morgan Dewar, Huasna Valley
2nd Amika Osumi, Adobe Nipomo
3rd Sierra Phillips, Edna

EQUITATION OVER FENCES - SR 2' 6":

1st Mark Abeloe, Huasna Valley
2nd Melissa Clay, Rio Rancheros
3rd Shira Trost, Huasna Valley

WORKING HUNTERS - SENIOR 2' 6":

1st Mark Abeloe, Huasna Valley

2nd Melissa Clay, Rio Rancheros
3rd Shira Trost, Huasna Valley

JUMPERS - SENIOR 2' 6":

1st Melissa Clay, Rio Rancheros
2nd Mark Abeloe, Huasna Valley

EQUITATION OVER FENCES - JR 2' 3":

1st Sheridan Trost, Huasna Valley
2nd Jacob Devine, Huasna Valley
3rd Kaitlin Sally, Huasna Valley

WORKING HUNTERS - JUNIOR 2' 3":

1st Jacob Devine, Huasna Valley
2nd Kaitlin Sally, Huasna Valley
3rd Sheridan Trost, Huasna Valley

JUMPERS - JUNIOR 2' 3":

1st Jacob Devine, Huasna Valley
2nd Kaitlin Sally, Huasna Valley
3rd Sheridan Trost, Huasna Valley

HUNTER HACK - SENIOR 2' 3":

1st Mark Abeloe, Huasna Valley
2nd Melissa Clay, Rio Rancheros
3rd Shira Trost, Huasna Valley

HUNTER HACK - JUNIOR 2':

1st Kaitlin Sally, Huasna Valley
2nd Heather Shawcross, Templeton
3rd Sheridan Trost, Huasna Valley

ENGLISH EQUITATION - SENIOR:

1st Melissa Clay, Rio Rancheros
2nd Mark Abeloe, Huasna Valley
3rd Jessica Prian, Cambria

ENGLISH EQUITATION - JUNIOR:

1st Joanna Hopkins, Huasna Valley
2nd Lindsey Iunker, Edna
3rd Kaitlin Sally, Huasna Valley

ENGLISH EQUITATION - PONY:

1st Addie Fears, Estero/Morro Bay

ENGLISH EQUITATION - WALK/TROT:

1st Morgan Dewar, Huasna Valley
2nd Sierra Phillips, Edna
3rd Amika Osumi, Adobe Nipomo

ENGLISH PLEASURE - SENIOR:

1st Mark Abeloe, Huasna Valley
2nd Melissa Clay, Rio Rancheros
3rd Jessica Prian, Cambria

ENGLISH PLEASURE - JUNIOR:

1st Sheridan Trost, Huasna Valley
2nd Joanna Hopkins, Huasna Valley

3rd Jacob Devine, Huasna Valley

ENGLISH PLEASURE - PONY:

1st Addie Fears, Estero/Morro Bay

ENGLISH PLEASURE - WALK/TROT:

1st Morgan Dewar, Huasna Valley
2nd Sierra Phillips, Edna
3rd Amika Osumi, Adobe Nipomo

DRESSAGE SUITABILITY - OPEN:

1st Sheridan Trost, Huasna Valley
2nd Kaitlin Sally, Huasna Valley
3rd Mark Abeloe, Huasna Valley



Melissa Clay rides smoothly on her horse.

REINING - OPEN:

1st Jessica Prian, Cambria
2nd Addie Fears, Estero/Morro Bay
3rd Addie Fears, Estero/Morro Bay

WESTERN EQUITATION - SENIOR:

1st Melissa Clay, Rio Rancheros
2nd Jessica Prian, Cambria

WESTERN EQUITATION - JUNIOR:

1st Heather Shawcross, Templeton
2nd Addie Fears, Estero/Morro Bay
3rd Lindsey Iunker, Edna

WESTERN EQUITATION - PONY:

1st Addie Fears, Estero/Morro Bay

FIELD DAY 2003 RESULTS

Judges Award
Erin Miller, Cerro Alto
People's Choice
Erin Miller, Cerro Alto
Overall Best of Show
Elise Greske, Bishop's Peak

ARTS & CRAFTS

CLASS:
Beginner
Kaylee Walker, Valley o/t Bears
Junior
Julie Mace, Bishop's Peak
Senior
Lisa Roden, Parkfield
Best of Show
Julie Mace, Bishop's Peak



Melissa Duenas and her dog Max keep cool while waiting for their class to start.

LEATHERCRAFT

CLASS:
Beginner
Cody Van Boxtel, Parkfield
Junior
Andrew Easterbrook, Parkfield

Best of Show
Andrew Easterbrook, Parkfield

RABBITS

CLASS:
Novice
Matt Barrera, Santa Lucia
Stephanie Sandeffer, Cerro Alto
Amika Osumi, Adobe Nipomo
Sarah Hausman, Edna

Junior

Claire Edmonds, Cerro Alto
Shawn Hester, Cerro Alto
Joseph Schow, Cambria
Missy Perozzi, Templeton

Intermediate

Amber Norfleet, Cerro Alto
Emily Lamouria, Cerro Alto
Christine Woodman, Cerro Alto
Kimberly Edmonds, Cerro Alto
Maria Saucedo, El Camino

Senior

Natasha Meyers-Cherry,
Cerro Alto
Kelly McGillicuddy, Templeton
Jeniece Cooper, Cerro Alto

Best of Show

Amber Norfleet, Cerro Alto
Poster Contest
Sonia Slavinski, Chaparral

COOKIE JAR

CLASS:
Primary Participants
William Preston, Cerro Alto
Matthew Kendrick, Cambria
Heather Ann McDonnell, Cambria
Tim Paulson, Cerro Alto
Charlotte Potter, Cambria
Hunter Scroggins, Cerro Alto
Sophie Flemion, Cambria

Junior – Most Creative

Christian Alessi, Cerro Alto
(class winner)
Erin McDonnell, Edna
Michelle Burns, Valley o/t Bears

Junior – Prettiest

Emily Paulson, Cerro Alto
(class winner)
Michaelyn McDonnell, Edna

Junior – Most Recycled

Amanda Walters, Pleasant Valley
(class winner)

Danielle Walters, Pleasant Valley

Junior – Most Patriotic

Lauren Victor, Estero/Morro Bay
(class winner)
Sarah Hausman, Edna
Amanda Soucek, El Camino
Intermediate – Funniest
Stephanie Sandeffer, Cerro Alto
(class winner)

Best of Show

Lauren Victor, Estero/Morro Bay



It looks like a pensive moment for Leah O'Reilly.

BEEF

CLASS:

Novice

Ashley Judge, Edna
Libby Wirth, Templeton
Louise Harris, Templeton
Sam Duval, Edna
Lane Carminati, Rio Rancheros
Alexis Leage, Edna
Sierra Phillips, Edna
Taylor Toole, Templeton

Junior

Hailey Jackson, Parkfield
Hanna Hutchings, Templeton
Ryan Bedel, Templeton
Corbin, O'Reilly, Edna
Hope Slason, El Paso de Robles
Tyler Johnson, Edna
Cory Hubbard, Templeton

Senior

Lauren Carmichael, Rio
Rancheros
Sherra Hebrard, El Paso de
Robles
Chris Leffler, El Paso de Robles
Gena Phillips, Edna
Zack Saylor, Edna
Jessica Prian, Cambria
James Jackson, Parkfield
Emily Hutchings, Templeton

Best of Show

Ashley Judge, Edna (1st)
Hailey Jackson, Parkfield (2nd)

FIELD DAY 2003 RESULTS

DAIRY GOAT

CLASS:

Novice Showmanship

Julia Small, Adobe Nipomo

Junior Showmanship

Katie Tierney, Cerro Alto

Senior Showmanship

Emily Palmer, Edna

Kids & Milkers

Serena Kunic, Pleasant Valley
(tied)

Seth Kunic, Pleasant Valley (tied)

Goatkeeper's Field Test

Emily Lamouria, Cerro Alto

Best of Show (Herdsman)

Serena Kunic, Pleasant Valley

Best Showman

Emily Palmer, Edna

DOG SHOW

CLASS:

Showmanship – 1st Year

Kayla Gardener, Nipomo

Showmanship – Junior

Joel Riede, Canyon Country

Showmanship – Intermediate

Tanya Carter, Nipomo

Showmanship – Senior

Rachel Ourieff, Nipomo

Obedience – Sub-Novice Junior

Brittany Kasson, Nipomo

Obedience – Sub-Novice

Intermediate

Bridget Whiting, Canyon Country

Obedience – Sub-Novice Senior

Kelly McGillicuddy, Templeton

Obedience – Novice

Joel Riede, Canyon Country

Best Showman

Tanya Carter, Nipomo

Best Obedience

Joel Riede, Canyon Country

MEAT GOAT

CLASS:

Novice

Bryce Cherry, Cerro Alto

Junior

Emily Lamouria, Cerro Alto (1st)

Bryce Cherry, Cerro Alto (2nd)

Alyssa Russel, El Paso de Robles

Kaitlin Rookus, El Paso de Robles

Andi Russel, El Paso de Robles

Ellie McWhirter, El Paso de

Robles

Senior

Emily Lamouria, Cerro Alto (1st)

Bryce Cherry, Cerro Alto (2nd)

Lindsay McDonald, Pozo

Best of Show

Emily Lamouria, Cerro Alto



Brenna Cherry leads her dairy goat around the ring.

SHEEP

CLASS:

Novice

Kelsey Mather, Templeton (1st)

Kayley Hook, El Paso De Robles
(2nd)

Lane Carminati, Rio Rancheros

Bryce Evans, Rio Rancheros

Christina Mideiros, Cerro Alto

Ashley Murphy, Cambria

Gavin Cracknell, Rio Rancheros

Kristy Graham, Templeton

Junior

Jaqueline Serpa, El Paso De
Robles (1st)

Sierra Callaway, El Paso De
Robles (2nd)

Shanna Crawford, Rio Rancheros

Oni Ludwig, Cerro Alto

Hayden Clement, El Paso de
Robles

Erin Miller, Cerro Alto

Veronica Gabriel, Shandon

Breanna Moore, Santa Lucia

Senior

Tiffany Painter, Santa Lucia (1st)

Kayla Salazar, Bishop's Peak
(2nd)

Jaqueline Serpa, El Paso de
Robles

Sierra Callaway, El Paso De
Robles

Eva Johnson, Cambria

Nicole Rowland, Cambria

Sarah Gage, Chaparral

Kourtney Milbury, Santa Lucia

Best of Show

Tiffany Painter, Santa Lucia

PETS & SMALL ANIMALS

CLASS:

Poster

William Preston, Cerro Alto

Picture

Seth Wilkinson, Cerro Alto

State Presentation Day

There were 243 youth participants providing 212 presentations on May 24th at UC Davis. Listed below are winners from San Luis Obispo County 4-H.

Junior Category:

Medal

Amika Osumi, Adobe Nipomo

Kacee Ingram, Cerro Alto

Shawn Hester, Cerro Alto

Gold

Clarke Andros, Pozo

Joseph Schow, Cambria

Shelby Walter, Rio Rancheros

Intermediate Category:

Medal

Cortney Tierney, Cerro Alto

Keiko Osumi, Adobe Nipomo

Wes Reid, Edna

Gold

Natori Coleman, Valley o/t Bears

Blue

Kassondra Quaglino, El Camino

HORSE FIELD DAY

(Continued from page 5)

WESTERN EQUITATION -

WALK/TROT:

1st Sierra Phillips, Edna
2nd Morgan Dewar, Huasna Valley
3rd Amika Osumi, Adobe Nipomo

WESTERN PLEASURE - SENIOR:

1st Melissa Clay, Rio Rancheros
2nd Jessica Prian, Cambria

WESTERN PLEASURE - JUNIOR:

1st Addie Fears, Estero Morro Bay
2nd Sheridan Trost, Huasna Valley
3rd Heather Shawcross, Templeton

WESTERN PLEASURE - PONY:

1st Addie Fears, Estero/Morro Bay

WESTERN PLEASURE - WALK/TROT:

1st Morgan Dewar, Huasna Valley
2nd Amika Osumi, Adobe Nipomo
3rd Sierra Phillips, Edna

WESTERN HORSEMANSHIP - SENIOR:

1st Melissa Clay, Rio Rancheros

WESTERN HORSEMANSHIP - JUNIOR:

1st Addie Fears, Estero Morro Bay
2nd Heather Shawcross, Templeton
3rd Lindsey Junker, Edna

WESTERN HORSEMANSHIP - PONY:

1st Addie Fears, Estero/Morro Bay

WESTERN HORSEMANSHIP -

WLK/TRT:

1st Morgan Dewar, Huasna Valley
2nd Sierra Phillips, Edna
3rd Amika Osumi, Adobe Nipomo

TRAIL - SENIOR:

1st Melissa Clay, Rio Rancheros

TRAIL - JUNIOR:

1st Addie Fears, Estero Morro Bay
2nd Joanna Hopkins, Huasna Valley
3rd Heather Shawcross, Templeton

TRAIL - PONY:

1st Addie Fears, Estero/Morro Bay

TRAIL - WALK/TROT:

1st Sierra Phillips, Edna
2nd Morgan Dewar, Huasna Valley
3rd Amika Osumi, Adobe Nipomo

SINGLE STAKE - Race SENIOR:

1st Jessica Prian, Cambria
2nd Brandon Emerson, Valley/Bears

3rd Melissa Clay, Rio Rancheros

SINGLE STAKE RACE - JUNIOR:

1st Aalia Fields-Staley, Valley/Bears
2nd Heather Shawcross, Templeton

SINGLE STAKE RACE - PONY:

1st Candice Takhvar, Edna
2nd Amanda Alford, Valley/Bears
3rd Rachel Boddekker, Valley/Bears

POLE BENDING II - SENIOR:

1st Melissa Clay, Rio Rancheros
2nd Brandon Emerson, Valley/Bears
3rd Jessica Prian, Cambria

POLE BENDING II - JUNIOR:

1st Aalia Fields-Staley, Valley/Bears
2nd Heather Shawcross, Templeton

POLE BENDING II - PONY:

1st Candice Takhvar, Edna

CALIFORNIA SPEED BARRELS - SR:

1st Jessica Prian, Cambria
2nd Brandon Emerson, Valley/Bears
3rd Melissa Clay, Rio Rancheros

CALIFORNIA SPEED BARRELS - JR:

1st Aalia Fields-Staley, Valley/Bears
2nd Heather Shawcross, Templeton

CALIFORNIA SPEED BARRELS - PONY:

1st Amanda Alford, Valley/Bears
2nd Aalia Fields-Staley, Valley/Bears
3rd Heather Shawcross, Templeton

CLOVERLEAF BARRELS - SENIOR:

1st Jessica Prian, Cambria
2nd Melissa Clay, Rio Rancheros
3rd Brandon Emerson, Valley/Bears

CLOVERLEAF BARRELS - JUNIOR:

1st Aalia Fields-Staley, Valley/Bears
2nd Heather Shawcross, Templeton

CLOVERLEAF BARRELS - PONY:

1st Candice Takhvar, Edna
2nd Amanda Alford, Valley/Bears

BIRANGLE STAKE RACE - SENIOR:

1st Brandon Emerson, Valley/Bears
2nd Melissa Clay, Rio Rancheros
3rd John Staley, Valley/Bears

BIRANGLE STAKE RACE - JUNIOR:

1st Aalia Fields-Staley, Valley/Bears
2nd Heather Shawcross, Templeton

BIRANGLE STAKE RACE - PONY:

1st Aalia Fields-Staley, Valley/Bears
2nd Heather Shawcross, Templeton

QUADRANGLE STAKE RACE -

SENIOR:

1st Melissa Clay, Rio Rancheros
2nd Brandon Emerson, Valley/Bears
3rd John Staley, Valley o/t Bears

QUADRANGLE STAKE RACE -

JUNIOR:

1st Aalia Fields-Staley, Valley o/t Bears
2nd Heather Shawcross, Templeton

QUADRANGLE STAKE RACE - PONY:

1st Aalia Fields-Staley, Valley o/t Bears
2nd Heather Shawcross, Templeton

HIGH POINT AWARD WINNERS:

SENIOR English
Champion - Mark Abeloe
Reserve - Melissa Clay
JUNIOR English
Champion - Kaitlin Sally
Reserve - Sheridan Trost
PONY English
Champion - Addie Fears
WALK/TROT English
Champion - Morgan Dewar
Reserve - Sierra Phillips
SENIOR Western
Champion - Melissa Clay
Reserve - Jessica Prian
JUNIOR Western
Champion - Addie Fears
Reserve - Heather Shawcross
PONY Western
Champion - Addie Fears
WALK/TROT Western
Champion - Morgan Dewar
Reserve - Sierra Phillips
SENIOR Gymkhana
Champion - Melissa Clay
Reserve - Brandon Emerson
JUNIOR Gymkhana
Champion - Aalia Fields-Staley
Reserve - Heather Shawcross
PONY Gymkhana
Champion - Candice Takhvar
Reserve - Amanda Alford

OVERALL HIGH POINT OF THE DAY:

Champion - Melissa Clay
Reserve - Heather Shawcross

Great job to all participants, and thank you to all those parents, leaders and members who lent a helping hand ~ you made the show a success! Thank you!

COMMUNITY SERVICE RECOGNITION AWARDS

Do you know an adult, youth member or family that is active in Community Service? Do you often wish that this person(s) could be recognized for being actively involved in Community Service? Now is your chance to have that deserving person(s) be put in the spotlight. The Community Service Program Development Committee is accepting nominations for the San Luis Obispo County 4-H Community Service Recognition Award.

The categories for this award are:

- 1) Adult
- 2) Youth Member
- 3) Family

It is a simple two step process, all you need to do is write a cover sheet with your name, phone number, club and your nominee's name, phone number and club. Then, write a letter that does not include your name or your nominee's name, explaining why you feel that your nominee has gone the extra mile in Community Service. These letters will be presented anonymously to a panel of independent judges, who will decide the winner for each category. The awards will be presented at Achievement Night on October 25, 2003.

Nominations for the 2002-2003 program year have been extended to July 15, 2003.

Nominations are due (or postmarked by) July 15th in the 4-H Office, 2156 Sierra Way, Suite C, San Luis Obispo, CA 93401.

If you have questions please contact Community Service Key Leader, Karen Ludwig at 461-1977.



The President's Community Service Spotlight

Estero/Morro Bay members Adelyn Fears and Hayley Borchard received Gold Awards and Brooke Borchard received a Silver award for their community service efforts.

A few of the activities that these members participated in are: pet care bags for the elderly, St. Judes Ranch Card project, assisted in making Thanksgiving dinner for Morro Bay Seniors, sang for the Morro Bay Seniors, Beach Clean up, food drive for Salvation Army, worked with the Rotary to prepare bags for Organ Donation Awareness, delivered stuffed toys to children with the Morro Bay Police Department.

One person can make a difference in a big way. The abundance of kindness, you have shown to your community will carry on indefinitely.



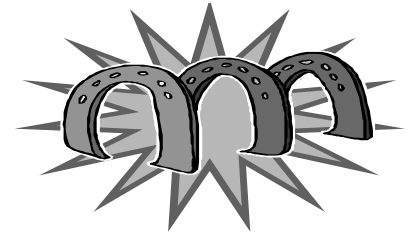
RECORD BOOKS!

Reminder that Record Books are to be judged at the club level and the Community Club Leader selects those Record Books that will be judged at the county level. Contact your Community Club Leader to find out when your Record Books are due for club level judging. Call the 4-H Office at 781-5943 if you need additional Record Book forms.

4-H Membership Fees Update!

The California 4-H Youth Development Program fees for Program Year 2003-2004 will be: \$6.00 for members and \$3.50 for adult volunteers. There will no longer be a supplemental fee for members or adult volunteers in Horse projects. This fee schedule becomes effective as of 07/01/03.

California 4-H Horse Classic



The California State 4-H Horse Advisory Council is sponsoring the Seventh Annual California 4-H Horse Classic. The event will be held August 14th through 17th at the Murieta Equine Complex. *Entries are due July 15, 2003.*

Show Events. Pre-qualification is necessary for all show events: Gymkhana, English, and Western.

Educational Events. No qualification is necessary for participation in the educational events. Winners for the senior educational events will qualify to be part of the California Delegation at the National Western 4-H Horse Classic in Denver, Colorado, in January 2004. Horse stabling for the event is available at a charge and there is a cost of \$15.00 for each of the show and educational events. Please visit the website at www.cal4horse.com for more detailed information regarding qualifications, entry forms, and event specific information or call Regina Matthews at (619) 669-4904.

Is Your Goal to be an All Star?

The All Star rank is the highest rank which a member may attain; it provides an opportunity for older members to receive recognition for outstanding service. The All Stars serve as ambassadors for the county 4-H program; they represent 4-H at county, regional and state activities; they coordinate certain county-wide activities; and they serve as a positive role model for youth and adults. To be eligible for the All Star rank, a member must:

- ★ Be 14 years of age or older by January 1 of the current year, but not 19 prior to January 1.
- ★ Completed three or more years of 4-H work as of July 1 of the current year.
- ★ Have attained the Gold Star rank by May 15 of the current year.
- ★ Demonstrate leadership abilities, citizenship concern and maturity of judgement.

Each candidate for the All Star rank will be required to submit an All Star application and participate in an interview. All Star applications may be obtained from the 4-H Office, you can call 781-5943 and request information to be mailed to you.

**Applications are DUE
in the 4-H Office before or on
August 15, 2003.**

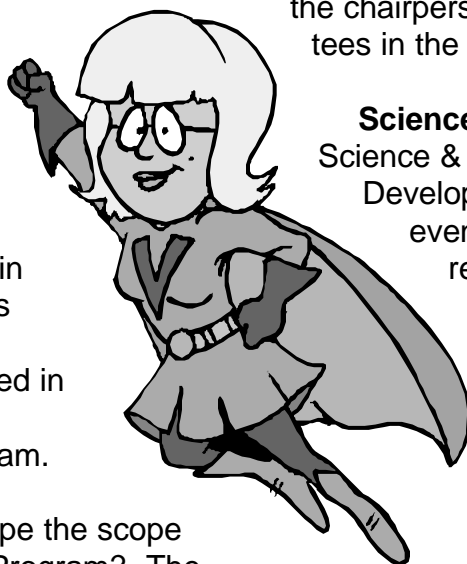
MANAGEMENT BOARD & PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT BOARD

A VOLUNTEER CHALLENGE!

The 4-H Management Board, the policy and decision making body of the 4-H Program, is currently recruiting for the following volunteer position:

Visibility Director - responsible for providing leadership to and managing the visibility and public relations efforts of the 4-H Youth Development Program in San Luis Obispo County. This position starts July 1, 2003. Applicants should be interested in assisting in the ongoing development of the 4-H Program.

Would you like to help shape the scope of the SLO County 4-H Program? The 4-H Program Development Board meets four times a year and currently has two volunteer positions available as 4-H Key Leaders:



Home Economics - responsible for the function of the Home Economics Program Development Committee and for working with the chairpersons of event/activity committees in the Home Economics area.

Science and Technology - works with Science & Technology Program Development Committee and event/activity chairpersons, and is responsible for program development and delivery in the area of science and technology.

If you are interested in any of the above positions or have any questions about any of these positions, call the 4-H Office at 781-5943. The positions are open until filled.

Game Corner

The 4th of July, Independence Day! What a great day to spend with our friends and family. Study the picture to the right for 30 seconds. Now, cover the picture with your hand and answer these questions.

1. How many faces are in the picture?
2. How many fireworks displays do you see?
3. What is wrapped around the family?
4. Is the family sitting on grass or sand?



Answers on the last page under Events Calendar

Cooperative Extension
University of California
4-H Youth Development Program
2156 Sierra Way, Suite C
San Luis Obispo, CA 93401

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Permit No. G-00268

Official Business
Penalty for Private Use, \$300

Calendar of Events

2003

JULY

6-12 Santa Barbara County Fair, Santa Maria
Fairplex

11 DUE in the 4-H Office
Re-Enrollment Rosters
Club Waiting Lists
Club General Meeting Update
Outreach Effort Forms

12-19 Citizenship Washington Focus, "Heritage
Trail II"

12-23 Citizenship Washington Focus, "A Global
Journey"

15 DUE: 4-H Horse Classic entry forms, see
www.cal4horse.com for more info

19 Sectional 4-H Judging, Ventura UCCE
Office

23-8/3 Mid-State Fair, Paso Robles

6-8 4-H Technology Conference, UC Davis

8-10 4-H State Leadership Conference, UC
Davis

14-17 State 4-H Horse Classic, Rancho Murieta,
Sacramento

15 Due: All Star Applications, 4-H Office

15-9/1 California State Fair, Sacramento

18 4-H Day at the California State Fair

20 County Record Book Judges Training,
UCCE Auditorium

23 State 4-H Project Competition Judging,
UC Davis

29 DUE: (in the 4-H Office by 5:00 p.m.)
Record Books
Secretary Books
Treasurer Books
Reporters Books

AUGUST

6-8 Youth Leadership Summit, UC Davis

SEPTEMBER

6 County Record Book Judging

Game Corner Answers: 1. three faces; 2. two; 3. a blanket; 4. grass