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Siskiyou County Dog Field Day-

Hosted by Yreka 4-H

A Dog Field Day will be held in Yreka, on May 19, 2012, at the Siskiyou Golden Fairgrounds. The event will be open to ALL 4-H members. (Enrollment in a dog project is not required.) This event is intended to encourage participation in 4-H dog projects, teach dog knowledge, and to have a fun day to enjoy our family pets! It is important to start the ball rolling for any members that want to plan what their dog will wear in the "costume class" or work on the "tricks" they want to perfect for the May Field Day. We are planning on the following classes; written test, presentations, obedience, rally, showmanship, agility, tricks, and a costume class. Four age groups, Primary, Junior, Intermediate, and Senior will be offered. All entries will receive ribbons, the Clover Buds/Primary will not be judged. Many nice awards and prizes will be given! Entry Deadline is May 1, 2012.



Personal Development Form (Hints)

Helpful suggestions of events and activities that should be added to your 4-H record book on a monthly basis.

<u>Event/Skill/Award</u>	<u>Number on PDR</u>
Soccer, Track, Baseball, Softball, Dance	8
"How to Get to Auction the Right Way"	3
Siskiyou Swine Spectacular	2
Youth Arts Festival/Fashion Revue	2
Attended Youth Arts Festival	3
Gave Bio-Security Presentation	6
Earned Bio-Security Proficiency Medal	7

Butte Valley 4-H Countywide Open Field Day

The Butte Valley 4-H Horse Project is sponsoring a field day in June at the Butte Valley Community Park in Dorris. They will be offering plenty of horse events and livestock showmanship for steers, heifers, meat/dairy goats and swine. They will have demonstration booths set up. The day is open to all levels of riders and ages so bring your parents and friends! We encourage all participants to bring project boards. We will offer awards 1st-6th place. A concession will also be available. More information will be available in future 4-H Ways.

State 4-H Field Day-Photography Contest

Information is now available for the 2012 CA 4-H Photography Contest. The contest will be held during the 2012 CA 4-H State Field Day at UC Davis. Please share this information throughout your counties and clubs! Pre-registration is required to participate. Members do not have to be in the photography project to participate. Registration opens on February 1, and will close May 4. For more details and to access the online registration form, visit <http://www.ca4h.org/Programs/Events/SFD/Photo/>

One of the most FAQ's every year is about mailing in entries. We do not accept mailed in photographs. Other leaders or 4-H members are welcome to bring the photographs up to State Field Day for the member participating. That person will be responsible for picking up the photographs at the end of the day. If you have any questions, contact John Trammell at techdude4h@gmail.com

State Updates

- **Golden Clover Awards**

Deadline: May 31, 2012

The Golden Clover Awards recognize the outstanding achievements of members, volunteers, program staff, and groups within the 4-H Youth Development Program. Individuals and groups may apply or be nominated in multiple categories. Golden Clover recipients will be awarded a \$500 cash award, a medallion, and a lapel pin. For award categories and application details, please visit:

<http://www.ca4h.org/Resources/Members/GoldenClover/>.

- **State Fashion Revue**

registration is open for youth who qualify to represent their counties. SFR is May 26, 2012 as part of State Field Day at UC Davis. Registration is by survey at <http://ucanr.org/sfr2012> until May 12. SFR categories and age divisions may be different from those in your county, so be sure to read the SFR rules carefully. If you also qualify for State Presentation Day, note that on your SFR entry. SFR check-in is 7:30-8:30 AM in Olson Hall, with judging and activities throughout the morning. Activities include Pattern Exchange (bring 5 and take 5), Make it take it crafts, judging classes, Million Pillowcase project and Quilts for Wounded Warriors (service projects). Everyone is invited to watch the fashion show at 2:00 PM at Wellman Hall. Complete information is at <http://www.ca4h.org/Programs/Events/SFD/SFR/>.

- **State 4-H Field Day – Registration deadlines**

- 4-H Photography Contest: May 4, 2012
- State 4-H Film Festival: Videos must be postmarked May 4, 2012
- State 4-H Fashion Revue: May 12, 2012
- Exhibits and displays applications: May 15, 2012
- State 4-H Presentation Day (presenters): May 21, 2012
- State 4-H Presentation Day (judges and room hosts): May 21, 2012
- 4-H Interview Contest: pre-registration is recommended (limited same day registration is available)
- Logo Design contest: no pre-registration necessary

For detailed event information, please visit:

www.ca4h.org/Programs/Events/SFD/. All registration is available online. For questions, please contact Carolyn Abrams at cmabrams@ucdavis.edu or 530-752-5644.

- **Come Join the Revolution of Responsibility!**

2013 marks the centennial for 4-H in California and the 4-H YDP will celebrate by giving back to their communities with youth-designed, youth-led projects where participants learn leadership by actually leading, collaboration by forming relationships with other groups and agencies, and citizenship skills by actively seeking opportunities to make a difference in their communities. The Revolution of Responsibility will celebrate the power of youth taking action and will consolidate all the various funding programs that are provided by the State 4-H Office. Chartered 4-H clubs/units can apply for funding (up to \$1,000) to support service-learning projects related to either club or project activities. An on-line application is available at: <http://ucanr.org/join/>. Deadline has been extended through July 15th. For more information, check out the website at: <http://www.ca4h.org/Support/RofR/>

- **UC Davis Veterinary Medicine Future Day
May 13, 2012, UC Davis School of Veterinary Medicine**
Register at

<https://sites.google.com/site/ucdavisvso/future-day/registration>
The Veterinary Student Outreach Club at the UC Davis School of Veterinary Medicine would like to invite high school students to our annual Future Day. The purpose of this event is to promote higher education, demonstrate career possibilities, and expose students to science specific to veterinary medicine. If there are any questions, please contact Kristina Netherwood at netherwood@ucdavis.edu.

Siskiyou County
Revolution of Responsibility Projects

JOIN | THE REVOLUTION OF RESPONSIBILITY

Siskiyou County Hi 4-H needs your help to win the Revolution of Responsibility Video Contest. To see the Hi 4-H video please visit:

https://apps.facebook.com/contestsapps/showentry/2012-Video-Contest/10328?v=3%26fbpage_id%3D63489887485

To vote for the video please select "Love it". You must be a facebook user to vote. Thank you for your help.

It's not too late for **your club** to Join the Revolution of Responsibility by looking at the needs in your community and designing a service learning project. The University of California 4-H Youth Development Program is dedicated to fostering an environment where youth and adults work together as equal partners to gain new skills and create positive community change. 4-H groups can apply for up to \$1,000 to identify, plan, and carry out a service-learning project in their community. Projects will be focused on the three key content areas that form the core of all 4-H programs, Science, Healthy Living, and Citizenship.

Review date deadlines: **May 15 & July 15, 2012**. To apply, go to: [Revolution of Responsibility - UC 4-H Youth Development Program](#).

Gazelle 4-H club is partnering with their community church to build an ADA compliant entrance and to complete landscaping in front of the community building once the building phase is completed. To educate themselves about the requirements of ADA accessibility requirements they will review California law and they will complete hands on workshops that immerse the youth into the culture of disabilities.

Yreka 4-H club has partnered with the Rescue Ranch to help provide 6 new dog houses and to seal or paint existing structures as well as the new dog houses. The group will gain a better understanding of what it takes to re-home a dog once it has been abandoned, abused, neglected or given up for adoption by previous owners.



You Changed Your Community. Now Share Your 4-H Story with the World.

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JOIN  THE
REVOLUTION
OF RESPONSIBILITY

VIDEO CONTEST

GRAND PRIZE: \$5,000
FOR YOUR COUNTY 4-H PROGRAM!

SUBMIT NOW THROUGH APRIL 30

Submit a video, up to 2 minutes long, showing your 4-H story of responsibility and tell the world how you impacted your community!
Winner announced May 4.

Submit. Watch. Vote.

Siskiyou County 4-H Dog Field Day

Hosted by Yreka 4-H

Saturday, May 19, 2012

9:00am start time

Siskiyou Golden Fairgrounds
Yreka, California



The 4-H Dog Field Day is open to all enrolled 4-H members. You do not need to be a member of a dog project.

Name of Handler _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Age as of 1/1/12 _____

4H Club _____ In what county is your 4-H club located? _____

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Dog's Name _____ Breed _____ Age _____

Rabies Cert. Number _____ Date _____ DHL/Parvo Date _____

Entry Fee \$5.00 per dog, use separate form for each dog entered.
Make checks or money orders to Yreka 4-H. **Entry deadline is May 1, 2012.**
For more information, deeshannon07@gmail.com

Age as of January 1, 2012

Primary(5-8) Junior(9-10) Intermediate(11-13) Senior(14-19)

Check classes you are entering.

Written Test: ___ Primary ___ Junior ___ Intermediate ___ Senior

Presentation: ___ Primary ___ Junior ___ Intermediate ___ Senior

Showmanship: ___ Primary ___ Junior ___ Intermediate ___ Senior

Obedience: ___ Primary ___ Junior ___ Intermediate ___ Senior

Rally*: ___ Primary ___ Junior ___ Intermediate ___ Senior

Tricks: ___ Primary ___ Junior ___ Intermediate ___ Senior

Costume: ___ Primary ___ Junior ___ Intermediate ___ Senior

I herby declare that the dog I have entered in this competition has been vaccinated for Rabies, Distemper, Leptosporosis, Hepatitis, Corona Virus, Para-Influenza, Bordetellas, Parvo Virus, or any other communicable disease. By signing this entry form you agree to all rules and entry requirements:

Participant Signature _____

Parent or Guardian Signature _____

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Saturday, May 19, 2012

8:00am start time
 Siskiyou Golden Fairgrounds
 Yreka, California



Siskiyou County 4-H Dog Field Day Rules

1. Only participating dogs are allowed at the Dog Field Day.
2. All dogs must have required vaccinations.
3. No dog in season will be allowed to show and must be removed from the fairgrounds immediately.
4. All dogs are to be on leash or crated at all times, loose dogs can be disqualified.
5. Any dog determined to have a contagious, communicable or infectious disease or condition, in the judgment of the show committee or judge, cannot be shown. The dog must be removed from the show grounds.
6. Any abuse of dogs on the grounds, or in the show ring, will result in disqualification. Any dog that is overly aggressive or potentially dangerous to people or other dogs will be disqualified, and must be removed from the grounds. Judgment may be made by either judge or show committee.
7. Each exhibitor may enter one dog in showmanship. Multiple dogs may be entered in Obedience, Rally, and Tricks.
8. Properly fitting collars and a six foot leash are required for obedience (no chain leads).
9. Primary members are not judged, they will receive a prize for each class entered.
10. High point award will be given in Junior, Intermediate, and Senior divisions; points from all seven classes will go towards high point. If handler shows multiple dogs, points from only one dog will count towards high point.
11. Ribbons 1st thru 6th, or participation. Participation ribbons and/or participation prizes only for primary members.
12. Cleaning up after your own dog is required, we want to leave our beautiful fairgrounds as we found it.



Explanation of Classes

Written Test will cover Breeds, Parts of the Dog, Parasites, Vaccinations, and Diseases. Each level will be age appropriate. All material that will be used in the tests will be available in March. Request test material from the Siskiyou County 4-H Office (530) 842-2711. Primary class is not judged.

Presentations, because of time and the facility, (computer presentations are not available) we are offering three categories:

1. **Demonstration-** it teaches a skill by "show how" method (i.e. teaching a trick, grooming techniques, proper care of dog dishes and food, placing a collar on a dog and fitting it correctly).
2. **Illustrated Talk,** it teaches a concept or skill using posters, pictures, models, or other visual aids to enhance the presentation. An essay will be available.
3. **Interpretive Reading-Speakers** may read any published written work that is age appropriate and acceptable for use in a public school classroom. (i.e. articles from a dog magazine, children's story about a dog, poetry written about dogs, excerpts from novels that stand alone).

Primary class can give presentations but will not be judged.

*Information about the mechanics of presenting can be found in 4-H Presentation Manual

Showmanship: Judged on the handler not the dog. Primary class is not judged.

Obedience: Primary will perform sit and heel only, class is not judged. Junior, Intermediate, and Senior classes will perform: heel, sit, down, stay, and come.

Rally: All age groups will use a novice rally course, unless instructed differently by the judge. For any dogs and handlers that have had extensive rally training, please add a note to entry form. Primary class is not judged.

*Rally is a sport in which the dog and handler complete a course that has been designed by the rally judge. The judge tells the handler to begin, and the dog and handler proceed at their own pace through a course of designated stations (10-20, depending on the level). Each of these stations has a sign providing instructions regarding the next skill that is to be performed. Scoring is not as rigorous as traditional obedience.

The team of dog and handler moves continuously at a brisk, but normal, pace with the dog under control at the handler's left side. There should be a sense of teamwork between the dog and handler both during the numbered exercises and between the exercise signs; however, perfect "heel position" is not required. Any faults in traditional obedience that would be evaluated and scored as a one-point deduction or more should be scored the same in Rally, unless otherwise mentioned in the Rally Regulations. After the judge's "Forward" order, the team is on its own to complete the entire sequence of numbered signs correctly.

Unlimited communication from the handler to the dog is to be encouraged and not penalized. Unless otherwise specified in these Regulations, handlers are permitted to talk, praise, encourage, clap their hands, pat their legs, or use any verbal means of encouragement. Multiple commands and/or signals using one or both arms and hands are allowed; the handler's arms need not be maintained in any particular position at any time. The handler may not touch the dog or make physical corrections. At any time during the performance, loud or harsh commands or intimidating signals will be penalized.

Tricks: Number of tricks or a time limit for performing tricks to be determined by judge. Primary class is not judged.

Costume: Dog to be in costume, not handler. Primary class is not judged.

Other Information:

Food Booth:

Yreka 4H will have a concession stand at the field day, selling coffee and pastries in the morning, nachos and hot dogs for lunch, along with cold drinks.

Camping and Lodging:

The Waiata Trailer Haven (530-842-4500) is a RV park that is walking distance to the fairgrounds. Yreka RV Park (530-841-0100) is a few miles from fairgrounds. Dog friendly motels: Motel 6 (530-842-4111), Best Western (530-842-4355), Baymont (530-841-1300), Budget Inn (530-842-6835), Comfort Inn (530-842-1612)

The Siskiyou Golden Fairgrounds offers tent camping sites for \$12.00 per night and RV sites (with water and electricity) for \$17.00 per night. Showers are available in restrooms. Enter fairgrounds at south entrance, off of Fairlane, watch for signs. If you choose to camp at the fairgrounds please list which night you will be staying and enclose payment with entry fee.

Tent Camping _____ May 18th _____ May 19th _____
 RV Space _____ May 18th _____ May 19th _____

Field Day T-Shirts: YREKA 4-H DOG FIELD DAY T-shirts are \$10.00 each. 100% cotton, green with black writing.

Select Size or Sizes you would like to order. Money must be included with entry form.
 ___ youth small ___ youth med ___ youth large ___ adult small ___ adult med ___ adult large ___ adult x-large



1 Survived
 or
 Siskiyou County 4-H Dog
 Field Day
 May 29, 2012
 Yreka, California

Make checks or money orders to Yreka 4-H

Mail to: Dee Shannon
 2604 Scala Lane
 Montague, CA 96064

Dog entry \$ _____
 Camp site \$ _____
 RV site \$ _____
 T-shirt \$ _____
 Total \$ _____

4-H Camp at Shasta Camp

This is the Ninth year for the Siskiyou County 4-H Program to offer a camp for 4-H members. Camp activities are built around fun teambuilding and leadership activities. Don't miss out on three days of fun!!

Campers: All 4-H members are eligible to attend. However, primary member participation requires a club chaperone. Campers are to arrive on Friday June 22nd and be picked up on Sunday, June 24th. Campers may arrive between 4 pm and 7 pm on Friday and must be picked up between 12:00 noon and 1 pm on Sunday.

Cost: Camp fee is \$60.00 per camper. No applications accepted after **Thursday, June 7th**. The fee covers the cost of meals, snacks, and camp facilities. All 4-H'ers that apply will be sent more information and instructions in June. If you have any questions please call the 4-H Office at 842-2711. Space is limited in the dorm. Some campers may be staying in tents.

Mandatory Equipment: All campers are required to provide their own bedding.

Name _____ Boy _____ Girl _____ Age _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Telephone # (HOME) _____ (WORK) _____

4-H Club _____ School Grade in September _____

Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Names _____

In case of emergency if unable to contact parent:

Name _____ Relationship _____

Telephone # _____

Camp T-shirt is \$8.00 extra. If you would like a T-shirt please circle the size you would like and include \$8.00 in the cost of the camp fees.

T-shirt size (circle one) Adult Sizes: Small Medium Large Xlarge XXlarge (2.00extra)
Youth Sizes: YSmall YMedium YLarge

This registration form, one medical consent form (request from 4-H office), and fees are due to the 4-H office, 1655 South Main Street, Yreka, CA 96097 by 5:00 PM, June 7, 2012. No late payments will be accepted.

Camp Fee \$60.00

Amount enclosed \$ _____ Check # _____ or Cash _____

Please be sure to **add \$8.00** to camp fee if you are ordering a **T-shirt**.

Our signatures indicate that we have read and understand the Code of Conduct, and the consequences of any violations.

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Date _____

Camper Signature

Date _____

4-H Camp Code of Conduct

This Code of Conduct has been established to create a positive educational experience for all campers and adult staff. In order to provide the best camp program possible, it is necessary that all participants are aware of and agree to abide by the rules and the consequences for not abiding by these rules. Rules are as follows:

1. All meals and snacks are provided; if you bring snacks they will be kept in the kitchen and made available to all campers.
2. No running in camp unless during an organized activity.
3. You must wear closed-toe shoes. It is OK to wear sandals to and from showers; no bare feet at any time.
4. Sleeping areas must be kept neat and free of litter.
5. Campers are not to leave campgrounds. Camp boundaries will be posted and exceptions will be on a case by case examination of the need.
6. Campers must be in their beds by 11pm.
7. All prescription and over the counter drugs must be given to the camp medical staff upon arrival at camp.
8. Do not touch other campers' belongings; this means no raiding or trashing of bunks.
9. Disrespectful, abusive language will not be a part of camp (no profanity, racial slurs, or putdowns).
10. Do not damage or deface camp facilities or property. No writing or carving on the buildings, tables, benches or trees.
11. Label all personal items with name; 4-H is not responsible for lost items.
12. Rudeness, lack of courtesy, cheating and disrespect for authority will not be tolerated.
13. Threatening physical abuse is not an acceptable behavior.
14. Be on time and ready to participate. All campers must attend all camp activities and meals unless, special permission is given by camp director.
15. If ill, report to the camp medical staff.
16. Be a positive team member of your group.

The following items and activities are not allowed at camp. Campers and adult staff having or doing such will be sent home immediately, at their own expense.

17. Possession of alcoholic beverages, knives, firearms, fireworks, illegal drugs, matches, candles and/or tobacco.
18. Gambling or betting with money, excessive displays of affection, fighting, threatening physical abuse, stealing, tampering with emergency equipment and being under the influence of drugs or alcohol are not acceptable behaviors.
19. Campers may NOT be out of their bunks without the permission of an adult, 30 minutes after lights out.

CONSEQUENCES: The following actions will be taken if a camper or staff member does not abide by the rules.

- Step 1: First infraction-Discuss the inappropriate behavior with a staff member and clarify the rule.
- Step 2: Second infraction-Discuss the inappropriate behavior with camp director and camper will be given a task for up to 30 minutes related to the infraction.
- Step 3: Third infraction or infraction of **rules 17-19**-Camp director or 4-H staff will request parent to pick up camper to be taken home at camper's expense and camp fee will not be refunded. Adult staff members will be requested to leave camp immediately.

Additional consequences may be barring the individual from future 4-H activities, assessing the cost of damages and repairs in the event of destruction of property, releasing the individual to the nearest law enforcement agency, and/or termination of 4-H membership. Parents will be notified of any further action taken.

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4-H WAY

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