



G-L-W Website!

That is right!!! Garfield, Loup & Wheeler Counties have a new website that is more user friendly! We at the Extension Office ask that you visit the new website as there is a lot of useful information that has been put up and will continue to be put up! The URL is <http://glw.unl.edu/home>.

Information available includes:

- ** 4-H Enrollment Forms
- ** G-L-W Activities
- ** Fliers for Upcoming Events
- ** Upcoming Events Calendar (right side of the screen)
- ** Links (left side of the screen)
- ** 4-H Newsletters

The Extension Office is also open to suggestions on what to add to the website. We would be willing to do our best at making this site where you would visit for your information needs.

4-H Manuals

4-H manuals have been given to club leaders for distribution. If you have not received your 4-H manuals for the year please contact your club leader or the Extension Office (308)346-4200. Due to the Universities budget cuts some manuals have been backordered and may not be immediately available so check with the Extension Office periodically if you are missing a manual requested!

E-mail

The Extension Office has been utilizing e-mail as a means of promoting upcoming events, such as shows, workshops and clinics, that are going on all over the state. Those who filled out the enrollment form and provided an e-mail address has been put on a 4-H ListServe that we utilize. If you are interested in receiving such notifications and have not provided an e-mail address please let the Extension Office know and we will get you added to the listserve. If you are on the listserve and would like to be removed also notify the Extension Office.



Loup County Horse Show

This year Loup County will be hosting their own 4-H horse show due to increased enrollment in the horse project. The date set for the 4-H Horse Show will be Wednesday, August 5, 2009 @ 9 a.m. @ the new arena north of Taylor. If you would like more information please contact the Extension Office (308) 346-4200. We are looking for helpers for running the show. If you are interested please contact Steve at the Extension Office (308)346-4200.

Animal ID's

Livestock ID's are due **JUNE 15, 2009**. This includes Breeding Beef, Feeder Calf, Bucket Calf, Dairy, Market Sheep, Breeding Sheep, Market Goats, Breeding Goats, Dairy Goats, Market Swine, Breeding Swine, and Rabbits. The forms can be filled out and printed off of the following website: <http://4h.unl.edu/programs/anisci/affidavits.htm> or can be picked up from the Extension Office.

“Tough Enough to Be GREEN”

4-H Truck Raffle

Garfield, Loup & Wheeler Counties are each hosting the 4-H Truck at each of their County Fairs. This truck is part of a raffle put on by the Nebraska 4-H Foundation. The truck is a 2010 Ford F-150 extended cab and is red. The winner of the truck will be drawn at the Nebraska State Fair. If you are interested in purchasing a ticket for the raffle they are available at the Extension Office and will be sold during each County Fair. The cost per ticket is \$10.





4-H Horse Show & Judging Guide!!!!

VERY IMPORTANT!!!! This year there is a NEW 4-H Horse Show & Judging Guide available. There have been changes made to the previous guide and it is highly suggested that you obtain a new guide for the upcoming 4-H year. The Extension Office does have guides available!

4-H Horse Armbands

The Extension Office has “velcro” 4-H horse armbands available for purchase! The cost is \$3.75 plus tax. These work very well for all youth but are especially hand for the younger youth as they are easily adjusted!

4-H T-shirts

GLW 4-H T-shirts will be available again for showing in livestock shows in all three counties. The cost per shirt is \$8.50. These t-shirts can be worn for the G-L-W District Livestock Show, the G-L-W Dog Show, each counties Livestock Show, and each counties Cat and Pet Show.

Garfield County Quilt Prizes

The Sandhill’s Quilting Company (Kathaleen Mead & Paige Measner) are giving a sewing machine to the top quilter and cutting board, rotary cutter, square, and quilt book to the runner-up in 4-H at the Garfield County Fair. If you see them please thank them for their generous donations!!!!



State-wide Animal Shows/Sales/Seminars

(Fliers are available at the Extension Office!!!)

Livestock

5th Annual Lively Livestock 4-H Club Goat, Sheep & Swine Show

May 31, 2009 @ 8:30 a.m.

York County Fairgrounds, York, NE

Contact Mike Rystrom (402) 764-6761 or Ron Nickel (402) 732-6738 for more information.

Beef Fitting Demonstration

June 2, 2009 @ 5 p.m.

Meyer's Farm, Wolbach, NE

Contact Scott Brady (308) 745-1518 form more information.

4-H Beef Production Seminar

June 18, 2009 @ 6:30 p.m.

Valley County Fairgrounds, Ord, NE

Contact Scott Brady (308) 745-1518 form more information.

Buffalo County 4-H Sheep Progress Show

June 19, 2009 @ 3 p.m.

Buffalo County Fairgrounds, Kearney, NE

Contact Brian Bosshamer (308) 236-1235 for more information.

Phelps/Gosper Beef and Sheep 4-H Progress Show

May 30, 2009 @ 8:30 a.m.

Phelps County Fairgrounds, Holdrege, NE

Contact Tyler Williams (308) 995-4222 for more information.

Gold Standard Livestock Judging Camp

June 2-4, 2009, @ 1 p.m.

Nebraska college of Technical Agriculture, Curtis, NE

Contact Ryan Stainbrook (308) 367-5286 for more information.



Garfield, Loup and Wheeler Counties

NE Maine-Anjou Association Junior Show

June 11, 2009 @ 9 a.m.

NE Ranch Expo, Bassett, NE

Contact Jolene Grunhaupt (402) 425-3285 or Karen Bowlin (402) 823-4337 for more information.

Central IV Sheep, Goat, Hog Progress Show

June 12, 2009 @ 4 p.m.

Sherman County Fairgrounds, Loup City, NE

Contact Scott Brady (308) 745-1518 form more information.

Southern Plains Progress Show

June 13, 2009 @ 8:30 a.m.

Thayer County Fairgrounds, Deshler, NE

Contact Thayer County Extension (402) 768-7212 for more information.

5th Annual It's All That Livestock Show

June 13, 2009 @ 9 a.m.

Lincoln County Fairgrounds, North Platte, NE

Contact Tom Hansen (308) 963-4460, Russ Gerlach (308) 963-2219, Lyle Koester (308) 963-4440 or Brett Wood (308) 362-9008 for more information.

Dodge County 4-H Family Livestock Judging Contest

June 17, 2009 @ 6:30 p.m.

Dodge County Fairgrounds, Scribner, NE

Contact the University of Nebraska Extension in Dodge County (402) 727-2775 for more information.

4-H/FFA Stanton Progress Show

June 21, 2009 @ 7 a.m.

Stanton County Fairgrounds, Stanton, NE

Contact UNL in Stanton County (402) 439-2231 for more information.

Wheeler County Beef Progress Show

June 27, 2009 @ 7 a.m.

Wheeler County Fairgrounds, Bartlett, NE

Contact Jean Niemeyer (308) 653-3162 for more information.

Richardson County Beef, Sheep & Meat Goat Progress Show

June 27, 2009 @ 8 a.m. – Beef; 12:00 p.m. – Meat Goat & Sheep

Richardson County Fairgrounds, Humboldt, NE

Contact UNL in Richardson County (402) 245-4324 for more information.



60th Annual Norfolk Beef Expo!

September 13, 2009 @ 8:30 a.m.

Northeast Community College Ag. Complex, Norfolk, NE

Affidavit is available at the G-L-W Extension Office!

4-H Dairy Cattle Judging Clinic

June 12, 2009 @ 1 p.m.

York County Fairgrounds, York, NE

Contact Tracy Behnken (402) 727-2775 #14 for more information.

Horse

Five Star Open Show Circuit

May 30, June 27 & July 18, 2009 @ 9 a.m.

Five Star Stables, Bennington, NE

Contact Sarah Jo (402) 690-1969 for more information.

Ann Crawford Alexander Memorial Open Horse Show

May 31, 2009 @ 7:30 a.m.

Dawson County Fairgrounds

Contact M.J. Hart (308) 784-3556 for more information.

Working Ranch Horse Clinic

June 1, 2009 *Limit of 20 riders! First come first serve!*

Ag Park, Columbus, NE

Contact Tanya Crawford (402) 563-4901 for more information.

Bit & Spur 4-H Horse Show

June 6, 2009 @ 8 a.m.

McCook Fairgrounds

Contact (308) 345-6168 for more information.

Lancaster County 4-H Horse VIPS

June 6, 2009 @ 8 a.m.

Lancaster Event Center Pavilion 3, Lincoln, NE

Contact: N/A

15th Annual Jane's Hairy Horse Show & Annual Horse Swap Meet

June 6, 2009 @ 9 a.m.

Madison County Fairgrounds, Madison, NE

Contact De Irish (402) 379-4561 or (402) 371-7515 for more information.



Lucky Spurs 4-H Club Pre-District Open Horse Show

June 6, 2009 @ 10 a.m.
4-H Horse Arena, Oakland, NE
Contact: N/A

Blue River 4-H Club Open Horse Show

June 7, 2009 @ 9 a.m.
Arbor State Park Arena, Wymore, NE
Contact Anthony & Jeannie Thomas (402) 645-3566 or Steve & Shelley Whitwer (402) 520-0197 for more information.

2009 4-H Horse Camp

June 11-13, 2009 @ 9 a.m. *Pre-registration required by June 2, 2009!*
Fort Robinson State Park
Contact UNL Extension in Dawes County (308) 432-3373 for more information.

Burwell Open Horse Show

July 20, 2009
Garfield County Fairgrounds, Burwell, NE
Contact Dale Svoboda (308) 346-4781 for more information.

Cheyenne County Invitational 4-H Horse Show

June 21, 2009 @ 8:30 a.m. *Pre-registration required by June 14, 2009!!!*
Cheyenne County Fairgrounds, Sidney, NE
Contact Temple Miller (308) 250-3404 for more information.

Boots & Saddles 4-H Club Horse Show

June 27, 2009 @ 7:30 a.m.
Keith County Fairgrounds
Contact Chris McKnight at doublemilliron@charter.net for more information.

Chase County Classic Open Horse Show

June 28, 2009 @ 7:30 a.m.
Chase County Fairgrounds, Imperial, NE
Contact: N/A

Little Blue Country Kids Open Horse Show

July 11, 2009 @ 9 a.m.
Carleton Arena, Carleton, NE
Contact Gina Hudson (402) 469-3157, Sarah Miller (402) 356-4101 or Neal Voss (402) 768-8183 for more information.



Hamilton County 4-H Open Horse Show

August 1, 2009 @ 8 a.m.
Fairgrounds, Aurora, NE
Contact Barb Cox (402) 694-6174 for more information.

Shooting Sports

17th Annual Holt County 4-H Invitational

June 27, 2009 @ 8 a.m.
Holt County Fairgrounds, Chambers, NE
Contact Scott & Sue Moore (402) 394-5437 for more information

Dog

Educational & Competitive Dog Event

October 24 & 25, 2009
Adams County Fairgrounds, Hastings, NE
Contact Ron Seymour at rseymour1@unl.edu for more information.

2009 North Central Region 4-H Council

The 2009 North Central Region 4-H Council meeting will be held October 1-4, 2009 in Lincoln, NE. If you are interested in attending please contact the Extension Office as there are three **\$100 scholarships available** to those who attend!

Conference Horse Shows

Contact the Extension Office for Liability Waiver and Rules and Regulations!!!!!!



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The 4-H Youth Development program abides with the nondiscrimination policies of the University of Nebraska–Lincoln and the United States Department of Agriculture.