

## **UW Sweetwater County Extension**

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## Community Vitality and Health Educator Bosition Open

Position Open

#### Horticulture Assistant

**Position Open** 

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## **Deadlines and Announcements**

Ownership papers for Breeding projects, as well as Dogs, Cats, Poultry and Rabbits were due June 1st!

If papers are not turned in, those animals will not be eligible to show at fair.

Born and Raised documentation was also due June 1<sup>st</sup>. Please send it to Liz Thoman at ewithers09@gmail.com

If you haven't turned them in, please get them in ASAP!

Our new 4-H
Educator,
Natasha
Holtmeyer has
started! Swing by
our office and say

hi!

**ShoWorks is now LIVE!** 

Please check the Facebook page for the link, or go to the Event's Complex website to make your entries!

Jael and Natasha are going to Mini Showcase Showdown June 5th-6<sup>th</sup>. The office will be closed starting at 2pm June 5<sup>th</sup>.

County Shoot is finishing up June 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup>!
Congratulations to all our Shooting Sports Members on completing their projects!

## State & Regional Events

More information online at: http://uwyo.edu/4-h/)

Jackpots and Clinics: There are quite a few events going on around the state, please check page 18 for details

**YQCA Trainings:** All ages welcome, sessions starting at 4pm, 5pm, and 6pm on June 24<sup>th</sup> and July 1<sup>st</sup> See Pg. 8-9 For full details.

Mini Showcase Showdown: June 6th in Afton Wyoming. Natasha and Jael will be attending this event! See Pg. 12 for the flyers. Office will be closed while we are on this trip!

**Ride and Shine Horse Show:** June 14<sup>th</sup> at Fremont County Fair Grounds See Pg. 10 for details.

Sheep and Goat Clinic: June 21-22 in Fremont County please see pg. 20 for details.

Showcase Showdown: June 17th through June 19th. Registration will be on ZSuite.

Citizenship Washington Focus: Tentatively aiming for June 19th - July 2nd

Wyoming State Shoot: July 10th through July 13th

Sheep/Wool Festival: July 11 through July 13th

Wyoming Youth Resource Education Days: June 16-19 See pg. 19 for more details.

Platte River Shootout (Foundation Fundraiser): July 18th and July 19th

Wyoming's Big Show: July 29th through August 2nd

Apache Clear Creek Shootout (Foundation Fundraiser): August 2nd

Wyoming State Fair: August 11th through August 16th

2025 Daggett Heritage PRCA Rodeo: August 29th-30th. See Pgs. 21-22



## **Happy Birthday!**



**Cooper Kruske** Makayla Gee **Toby Meats Taycie Fox Madison Bernard Haylee Counts Lois Sandbak Brinley Boodleman Finn Brasington** Caleb Heath **Camden Hughes Chasen Brasington Mackenzie Griffin Isaac Frandsen Cadence Jones Bow Brownlee Kinely Harns** 



**Briar Berg** 

# Something you'd like to add to the calendar?

Please email the office (dsmit122@uwyo.edu) with your events' time and place to get it on the calendar!



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	Hotdoggers Club Meeting, 6:30pm Mini Showcase Showdown (Natasha and Jael Gone)	County Shoot: Archery  Mini Showcase Showdown (Natasha and Jael Gone)	County Shoot: .22 Rifle/Pistol
8	9 4-H Council Meeting 6:30 PM Room 1445 WWCC	10	Shooting Sports Business Meeting 6:30 PM Room 1445 WWCC	Horse Committee 6:30 Mustang Meeting room  Hotdoggers Club Meeting, 6:30 pm	13	Cloverbud Doggie Fun Day Big Sandy Reservoir Ride and Shine Horse Show in Fremont County
15	16	WyRED in	18 Saratoga ase Showdown	Hotdoggers Club Meeting, 6:30pm (Business Meeting) in Laramie	Fremont County Goats Clinic	Fremont County Sheep Clinic
22	23	YQCA Training 4pm, 5pm, and 6pm Sessions (any age)	25	Hotdoggers Club Meeting, 6:30 pm	27	28
29	30					1/2



## Quality Assurance Sweetwater County

All trainings must be completed & certificates turned into the office by July 15th

All 4-H members who plan on selling any market animal at the 4-H Livestock
Sale during the fair are required to take Quality Assurance Classes. Quality
Assurance training is for NEW members, members switching species, or
members moving up an age division. Class topics cover areas of appropriate care
and handling of animals and how this impacts product quality.

You can choose to take an instructor led training or the online training. The level will be determined by your 4–H age and division (Jr., Intermediate, Sr.)

Youth will watch a video and complete the corresponding test. You have to complete the whole training including the pretest and post-test for it to be marked complete. Please indicate you are in Sweetwater County when you sign up.

Please send the completed certificate to Natasha at the email below.

For more information contact Natasha Holtmeyer 307-352-6775 nholtmey@uwyo.edu <u>Upcoming Instructor</u> <u>Led YQCA Dates:</u>

Any age can take any session:

June 24<sup>th</sup> @ 4pm, 5pm, and 6pm

July 1<sup>st</sup> @ 4pm, 5pm, and 6pm







#### **WHAT TO EXPECT:**

- Lessons can be done online or in-person
- Each member participating will pay a \$12 fee for the online training or a \$3 fee for an instructor-led training and payment will be made online on the YQCA website.
- A family with multiple youth members can create a household account and add each member individually OR a member 13 and older can create their own account but cannot add anyone else to it.
- Plan for an hour to complete all three sections and quizzes.
- Members must pass all three sections and quizzes with an 80% or higher in order to receive their certification.
- Once members pass and complete the lesson, you will receive a certification of completion for that level of YQCA and share it with the 4-H Office.
- YQCA website can be found here: <u>yqcaprogram.org</u> where you will find how to register.
- Intermediates can test out for \$36 but will need to retest out when they are in the senior division and seniors can test out for \$48.

## YQCA DEADLINE FOR COMPLETION IS JULY 15TH

Please check your email for updates and contact your 4-H leaders or the Extension Office with any questions.

Call: (307) 783-0570





## Ride and Shine Horse Show



Fremont County 4-H is excited to announce our upcoming Ride and Shine event—a pre-fair show experience designed to help 4-H horse members build confidence, sharpen skills, and get comfortable in the showring before the big event this summer!

📆 Date: June 14

Location: Fremont County Fairgrounds

🐚 Time: Classes start at 9 a.m., Trail classes from 11-1

Entry Fee: \$5/class or \$40 unlimited (pre-entry)

This event is focused on learning, growth, and preparation—but yes, there will be ribbons awarded and classes run just like a real show to give riders a true experience of what to expect at fair. It's the perfect opportunity to ride patterns, practice showmanship, and get valuable feedback from our judges. We've even included some classes for our Cloverbuds! This event is open to all registered 4-Hers.

Sign up here:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/IFAIpQLSfKjAXgQa 6yqHa3gNP-iCvx-QQMrjNPSBerFeeHbEpfoBxsqA/viewform

## 4-H SUMMER DAY CAMP





JULY 18, 2025 BEAR RIVER PONDS IN UINTA COUNTY

#### **ACTIVITIES:**

- Outdoor Skills
- Fishing
- Summer Snacks
- Outdoor games
- Tie Dye
- Robotics
- Water Activities
- Swing Dancing
- And More!!!



Registration opens
May 7<sup>th</sup> on ZSuite at
4h.zsuite.org
REGISTRATION SPACE LIMITED





Register on the **Events tab through** 





## AFTON, WY 6.6.25







8:30 - 4:00

**PRODUCE JUDGING** 

**COMPLETE WHEN YOU CAN** 

9:00 - 10:30

**FOOD COOK-OFF - SRS.** 

**CAKE DECORATING - JRS. & INT.** 

10:30 - 12:00

**FOOD COOK-OFF - JRS. & INT.** 

**CAKE DECORATING - SRS.** 

12:00 - 12:30

**LUNCH (PROVIDED)** 

12:30 - 2:00

**TABLE SETTING** 

12:30 - 2:00

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PREPARED PRESENTATIONS

2:00 - 4:00

LIVESTOCK SKILL-A-THON

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**AWARDS CEREMONY** 



## **EVENT DETAILS**

- June 17 19, 2025
- University of Wyoming Laramie, Wyoming
- Stay in the UW Residence Halls

### ABOUT THE EVENT

- 11 State Contests
- Explore new contests and project areas
- Top placing seniors get to attend National Trip
- Project related Workshops
- · Fun Workshops Activities
- Tour and Experience parts of UW Campus



Individual & Team Contest

## CONTEST DETAILS

- All WY 4-H Members
- Individual and Team Contest • 3 hour contest
- Up to 8 classes of produce will be
- Identification Line, Questions and/or Reasons
- Senior teams compete for scholarships to attend a National

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Individual Contest

### CONTEST DETAILS

- All WY 4-H Members
- 10 15 minute contest • Work on presenting/ public speaking
- This contest is great for a judging team; as it helps with the same skills you use for Reasons
- No prep work, no presentation or props needed. Youth will be given three topics and will choose one
- Seniors compete for eligibility at National Contest or Trip

Team Contest

## CONTEST DETAILS

- All WY 4-H Members
- Team contest consisting of 1 4 youth
- Knowledge in programming, problem solving and engineering
- Teams will compete in two competitions; Mission Challenge and Mini Sumo Robot
- Teams will also be judged on their interviews.

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Individual Contest

## CONTEST DETAILS

- All WY 4-H Members • 15 - 30 minute contest
- Work on presenting/public speaking • This can be something you presented for your 4-H Club, a project you made for a science fair, FFA Speech, or a
- topic you are interested or passionate about. Seniors compete for eligibility at National Contest or Trip

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WYOming A-H Showcase Showdown

Team Contest

## CONTEST DETAILS

- Team contest consisting of 2 4 youth • All WY 4-H Members
- 4 hour contest
- Contest will include halter/ conformation and performance
- Rules sheet has information on what each class may consist of. Make sure to be studying from the
- Senior teams compete for eligibility at National Competitions

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Team Contest

## CONTEST DETAILS

- All WY 4-H Members • Team contest consisting of 3 - 5
- 3 hour contest
- Knowledge of animal science and livestock management practices Content covers Beef, Sheep, Swine and Goats; breeds, wholesale cuts, feed & equipment identification, quality assurance along with meats,
- and wool and hay judging for seniors • Senior teams compete for eligibility

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Team Contest

## CONTEST DETAILS

- All WY 4-H Members
- Team contest consisting of 2 4 • 3 hour contest
- Knowledge in equine science and
- Station phase, evaluation phase and a team problem presentation Senior teams also complete an
- exam phase

Senior teams compete for eligibility at National Competitions

Individuals & Teams

## CONTEST DETAILS

- 1 hour 15 min contest per age division • All WY 4-H Members
- All members regardless if they are on a team will compete as individuals • Teams may consisting of 3 - 4 youth
- Use your knowledge gained in the
- 4-H Dog Projects in four parts (Quiz Bowl, breed identification, identifying parts and skill-a-thon Participants do not need to own a dog
  - or be in the 4-H Dog Project

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Individual Contest



## CONTEST DETAILS



- Individual Contest
- All WY 4-H Members
- Fun way to be artistic and creative • 1 hour 15 minute contest
- Themed contest, Participants will be informed of the theme at the start of the event
- Participants must provide ALL equipment needed except icing, cake boards and cake forms

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## CONTEST DETAILS

- All WY 4-H Members • Team contest consisting of 2-4
- 1 1.5 hour contest
- Family Traditions, Themed Contest
- Choose your own recipe and submit
- Interview Judging: Knowledge of My Plate, nutrition, food safety, serving size and cost
- · Senior teams compete for eligibility at National
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WYoming 4-H Showcas

#### **CONTEST DETAILS**

- All WY 4-H Members
- 1 2 Hour contest
- Members who have creative minds and enjoy hosting/ planning events
- · Before the event, participants need to choose a theme and purchase all items needed for one place setting.
- Provide a menu to be displayed with your place settings.
- Judging will be done for each item

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## 2025 Packpot & Clinic List

March 15 -Northeastern Colorado Stock Show- Sterling, CO (beef only

March 15 - The Shamrock Showdown- Cedar City, UT (beef only)

March 27-29- Battle of the Bookcliffs - Grand Junction, CO (beef only)

April 12- Aggie Classic & True Blue Jackpot-Tremonton, UT (beef only

April 12 - Golden Triangle Preview & Jackpot Show- Great Falls, MT (beef only)

April 26 - 27- I-80 Extravaganza- Rawlins, WY

May 2 - 4 - Black Diamond- Billings, MT

May 3 - 4 - Onyx and Gold Showdown - Torrington, WY

May 3 - 4- Rash Bash - Casper, WY

May 9 & 10 - RMSC Divas/Dudes Weekend - Richfield, UT (lambs &

goats)

May 11 - Best of the West Showdown- Rangely, CO

May 24 - Style in the Rockies - Idaho Falls, ID (beef only)

May 31 - June 1 - Powder Basin Classic- Gillette, WY

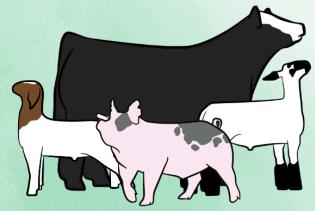
June 1 - Mofatt County Jackpot - Craig, CO

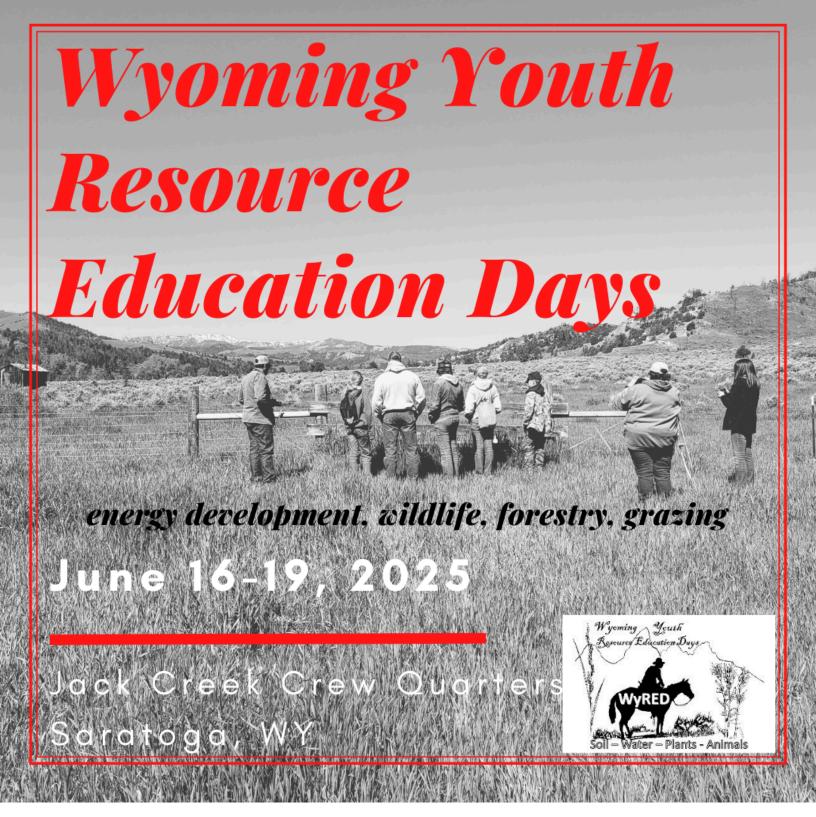
June 4 - Leggett's YGB Beef Clinic - Cheyenne, WY

June 4 - 6 - 307 Northeast Livestock Clinic - Sundance, WY

June 5 - 6 - Leggett's YGB Sheep & Goat Clinic- Cheyenne, WY

June 6 - Hot Springs Jr. Livestock Show- Thermopolis, WY





## Registration Closes June 11th

- Submit your Registration and Health form online here: https://forms.gle/xNhaEy6bQqA1koqu9
- If you'd like a paper copy of the forms, email dsmit122@uwyo.edu

## SHEP & MIT CINIC

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SHOWMANSHIP · FEEDING · DAILY CARE · SHOW DAY PREP

JUNE 21
JUNE 22
GOATS
SHEEP

## NEW LOCATION!

FREMONT COUNTY FAIR ANNEX FACILITY 875 GASSER ROAD RIVERTON WYOMING 82501



PLEASE ATTEND WITH YOUR LIVESTOCK!!

## 2025 DAGGETT HERITAGE PRCA RODEO & CELEBRATION

DAGGETT COUNTY RODEO GROUNDS - MANILA UTAH



## You are formally invited to be a part of Daggett Heritage PRCA Rodeo & Celebration!

The Daggett Heritage PRCA Rodeo Directors are hosting the 8<sup>th</sup> Annual PRCA Rodeo & Celebration Friday August 29th, and Saturday August 30th, 2025 in honor of Daggett County Families and their Legacy of Faith, Family, and Freedom to Daggett County, Southwestern Wyoming, Northwestern Colorado, and Northeastern Utah. The Daggett Heritage PRCA Rodeo & Celebration held during the Labor Day weekend is a way to introduce our western culture, values, and heritage to the many visitors of Daggett County while simultaneously highlighting and showcasing your contributions as partners, sponsors, venders and volunteers throughout the year.

Your contributions support the production of the Daggett Heritage PRCA Rodeo and Celebration. Additionally, to enhance the impact and recognition of your contributions for the event and throughout the year, a portion will go to directly support the Daggett County EMS, Daggett County Search and Rescue, Local Youth Rodeo, Local 4-H, Manila High School VOAG/FFA, Manila High School Student Volunteers, and the Maintenance/Improvement of the Daggett County Rodeo Grounds, Daggett County Food Pantry, and Daggett County Museum. Your generosity helps to continue growing Daggett County's Legacy of "Utah's Smallest County With A Whole Lot Going On."

Please see the enclosed information and agreement forms that outline the various Partner, Sponsor and Vendor opportunities. If a monetary contribution is not possible, there are other opportunities for support. We are looking for volunteers to help with the rodeo and celebration. Additionally, items for hospitality packets (800) that are given to the PRCA and WPRA Contestants, Veterans, Active Military, & Daggett County EMS, Daggett County Search & Rescue, Rodeo Sponsors, Partners, and Volunteers are needed as well.

Please notify us on or before July 1<sup>st</sup> as to your intent; we will be getting advertising out soon and want to properly recognize our Partners, Sponsors, Vendors and Volunteers.

If you have any questions or comments, please email us; <u>jack.lytle@icloud.com</u>, or contact any of the Rodeo Directors listed below.

Sincerely,

#### Daggett Heritage PRCA Rodeo & Celebration Directors:

Jack Lytle: (435) 823-8224 Matt Henry: (307) 747-8761 Marty Henry: (307) 747-8765 Curtis Harwick: (307) 350-0801

Annamarie Martin: (435) 880-8763

Blace Martin: (307) 780-6473 Dylan Martin: (435) 890-5242 Hank Gutz: (435) 880-7600 Shiloh Johnson: (307) 747-2517 Jean Dickinson: (307) 389-1711

Raymond & Roxey Pallesen: (435) 790-5614









#### Please Join us for the Rodeo & Celebration

## Buy tickets in advance online www.manilautahprcarodeo.com

Tickets also available each day of the rodeo at the Daggett County Rodeo Grounds

### Daggett Heritage PRCA Rodeo & Celebration - Manila, UT Tentative Schedule of Activities

#### **AUGUST 29TH - PATRIOT NIGHT**

#### PRCA/WPRA RODEO

7:00 PM - Daggett County Rodeo Grounds

#### **ENTERTAINMENT & DANCE**

(TIME AND LOCATION TO BE DETERMINED)

#### **AUGUST 30TH - HERITAGE DAY**

#### **BREAKFAST CONCESSIONS**

6:30 AM - Daggett County Rodeo Grounds

#### PRCA/WPRA SLACK

7:30 AM - Daggett County Rodeo Grounds

#### **DAGGETT DAZE PARADE**

10:00 AM - Manila, Utah

#### DAGGETT DAZE VENDOR FAIR

11:00 AM - Daggett County Centennial Park

#### **AUGUST 30TH - HERITAGE DAY**

#### PRCA / WPRA RODEO

5:00 PM - Daggett County Rodeo Grounds

#### **ENTERTAINMENT & DANCE**

(TIME AND LOCATION TO BE DETERMINED)

#### PARADE OF LIGHTS & FIREWORKS

Starts at Dusk - Lucerne Marina

**AUGUST 31ST - CLEANUP DAY** 

SEPTEMBER 1ST - LABOR DAY

#### PANCAKE BREAKFAST

7am - Manila Senior Citizen's Center

#### **COW COUNTRY JR. RODEO FINALS**

9:00am - Daggett County Rodeo Grounds