

Butte County 4-H Cloverleaf Newsletter



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September 2021 Edition Staff Notes

North Sacramento Valley Regional Supervisor



Rita Palmer joined the Butte County 4-H staff in June as the new North Sacramento Valley Regional Supervisor. She brings 10 years of 4-H program management experience as well as 10 years of 4-H membership and volunteerism to the position. Her primary role is to support 4-H staff in Butte, Glenn, Nevada, and Placer counties in the areas of professional development and growth, to provide guidance regarding program development and delivery, and to ensure policy compliance.

Rita is a resident of Butte County. She enjoys spending time exploring the Northstate with her husband and daughter. She is also looking forward to

the arrival of a son in December. Welcome, Rita!

Staff Update

Butte County CES (Program Representative) Ryan Cleland's work appointment changed effective July 1. This change was made due to current staff funding available. Ryan now oversees Butte County 4-H in a 50% capacity, and Sutter-Yuba 4-H in a 50% capacity.

During a 'regular' week Ryan is stationed in Oroville on Mondays and Wednesdays, Yuba City on Tuesdays and Thursdays, and Fridays are at either location as needed - however they are most often in Oroville. This schedule is not concrete and changes depending on evening and weekend meetings and events.

Due to this change, leaders, parents, volunteers, and members are asked to first direct questions or needs to 4-H Secretary Linda Darby at ladarby@ucanr.edu or (530) 538-7201. If they need to be escalated to Ryan, they will be.

Annual Calendar

The 2021-2022 Annual 4-H Calendar is nearly complete. It can be viewed [here](#) and on the [County website here](#).

We highly recommend folks save or print this calendar for their own records, and look for updates as future dates are finalized.

County Ambassador Coach

Our County Ambassador Team is in need of an Adult Volunteer Coach (formerly called Advisor) or else our team will not be able to take place.

For more information about the County Ambassador Program, please [refer to this guide](#).

If you are interested in filling this role, please contact Linda Darby at ladarby@ucanr.edu or (530) 538-7201.

4hOnline 2.0 & Enrollment

This year 4hOnline was sunsetted and we are now using the website [4hOnline 2.0 for enrollment](#). It serves the same function but has a facelift. There is also hope that in the future this website will be able to accept enrollment fees and house the volunteer training videos. However, for now, they will have to be paid and completed in the same manner as in the past.

Below is a simple [Enrollment Guide](#) that should have everything needed to enroll on one page, and can answer most FAQ's. Answers to further questions can be found on our [brand new enrollment website!](#) If you still have questions about enrollment please don't hesitate to reach out to Linda at ladarby@ucanr.edu or (530) 538-7201.

Butte County 4-H | How to Guide: New and Returning Youth and Volunteers



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New Youth

- Find the right club for you by contacting our office 530-538-2701
- Create a "Family" in [4hOnline](#) or join a "Family" that already exists if you are a younger sibling/family member
- Sign-up for the projects you want to take part in this year
- Pay \$65 enrollment fee to your Community Club Enrollment Manager or [pay online here](#)

Returning Youth

- Login to the "Family" in [4hOnline](#) of which you were previously a part
- Teens who will be camp counselors are asked to put THEIR contact info in [4hOnline](#)
- Sign-up for your projects for the year
- Update any information that has changed and re-enroll
- Pay \$65 enrollment fee to your Community Club Leader or [pay online here](#)

New Volunteers

- Create a "Family" in [4hOnline](#) or join a "Family" that already exists if your family already has a profile
- Take [eXtension](#) training modules required by California 4-H (Approx. 3 hours, only will do 1st year)
- Get fingerprinted using [this LiveScan form](#)
- Pay \$35 enrollment fee to your Community Club Leader or [pay online here](#)

Returning Volunteers

- Login to the "Family" in [4hOnline](#) of which you were previously a part
- Update any information that has changed and re-enroll
- Take [eXtension](#) training modules required by California 4-H (Approx. 20 mins for returning volunteers, **must do annually**)
- Pay \$35 enrollment fee to your Community Club Leader or [pay online here](#)

Pro Tips

- Contact information in 4hOnline is how the office knows how to contact you, so please make sure it's accurate!
- Volunteers should indicate if they are a project leader in 4hOnline. This is how we give Silver Dollar and Butte County Fairs the list of who gets passes for the week!
- Returning Volunteers are covered by UC Insurance the next Program Year through Dec. 31st. After Jan. 1, you no longer are protected by UC unless you re-enroll.

COVID-19 Safety Protocols

Butte County 4-H Covid guidelines were reviewed at this year's Annual CCL Meeting, and all Club Leaders will share them with membership and leaders via email or at their first meetings.

The current guidelines can be found [here on the State website](#).

Record Books

It is Record Book Season! Books for County Judging are due to the County Office on Friday September 24th by 4:30pm.

Resources can be found on the [County website here](#).

There is no date set for County Record Book judging at this time.

Awards Night

There are corrections to two categories listed in this section last month. Missing.

Hunter and Wyatt Adams, and Gentry and Tannyn Sherrod also received County Winner for their participation in the County Record Book Competition.

Skylar, Kristin, and Buck Smith were also part of the team who received the honorable Golden Clover Award.

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Annual Recognition



2020-2021 Meritorious Service Awards

Business

BidCal, Inc.

Individual

Shelley Livingston

2020-2021 County Ambassador

Hayley Christopher

2019-2020 Golden Clover Recipients

Adult Volunteers

Wayne Hill
Kathy Mowdy
Joanne Matthews
Corrine Butler

Members

Doni Hill
Alyssa Seegert
Aiden Lang
Halley Matthews
Opal Matthews
Rosie Matthews
Brandon Vang
Charles Seegert
Ali Khan

Parents

Isabel Flores-Seegert
Sou Vang
Maureen Hornyak
Ian Hornyak
Marilyn Mowdy
Eldon Butler
Renee Davis

Adam Khan
Bailey Butler
Danica Butler
Will Butler
Rayme Davis
Jesse Englund
Riley Smith
Carson Smith
Catalina Reynosa

2020-2021 County Record Book Winners

Virginia Agurkis
Chelsea Alderson
Amy Armstrong
Breanna Armstrong
Luciana Bianchi
Jack Carriere
Mikayla Collins
Victoria Collins
Lawson Cooper

Emery Doornbos
Audrey Doornbos
Lilia Hurtado
Natalia Hurtado
Isabela Hurtado
Josie Landon
Macey Layfield
Madison Layfield
Michael Layfield

Kylee Leete
Kaitlin Leete
Alivia Lewis
Rylan Martinez
Logan Moreno
Isabelle Moreno
Mark Owen
Piper Owen
Emma Pilakowski

Aliana Santillan
Emma Schneider
Holly Schneider
Joseph Schohr
Baylee Taylor
Ryley Vanella
Bethany Wallen
Ella Young
Tyler Young
Katie Young

4-H Husbandry Workshop



4-H Zoom Workshop: Husbandry Series

Hone your husbandry skills and attend one of our workshops on raising your own feathered friends. Join us and register today!

Register for a workshop here:

<https://ucanr.edu/survey/survey.cfm?surveynumber=35342>



Intro to Poultry: Breeds and Housing
October 21, 2021 · 6:00pm – 7:00pm

Buying vs Incubating + Hatching your own
December 11, 2021 · 10:00am – 11:00am

Nutrition
February 17, 2022 · 6:00pm – 7:00pm

Disease, Predators, and Prevention
April 9, 2022 · 10:00am – 11:00am



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Council Meeting

The September Council Meeting is scheduled for Thursday 9/23 at 7:00pm. We are still struggling to find a location.

If you know of one please contact Linda at ladarby@ucanr.edu or (530) 538-7201.

If we cannot secure a location soon, September's meeting will need to

take place via Zoom.

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