Pennington County 4-H Friday
April 19, 2019

Good Afternoon Pennington County 4-H Members and Leaders!

THANK YOU VOLUNTEERS!!

April 15-19 marked National Volunteer week. We have over 80 fantastic volunteers who work with our 4-H Clubs, Members, and Events. Volunteers truly are the heart of 4-H! Without them we would not have the large program that we have. Each year our volunteers work with 4-H members to teach them about Shooting Sports, Visual Arts, Gardening, Horses, Rodeo, and much more. Thank you for the time you dedicate to our 4-H members to “Make the Best Better!”

Western Youth In Action Day - May 4th

- Entries are due next Thursday April 25th.
- Adult Volunteers needed - sign up at https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080E4AA9AF22A7FA7-western1

Black Hills Shooters

A quick recap of the schedule:
- April 22nd - Practice 6pm - 8pm
- April 26-28 - State Shoot
- April 29th - NO PRACTICE - Recover from State Shoot
- May 6th - End Of Season Fun Shoot 6pm -8pm

State Shoot April 26-28

State Shoot registration is now closed. No more changes or edits will be allowed. If you missed it you can show up to the state shoot and get on a waiting list but there is no guarantee you will be able to shoot. State Shoot tips have been emailed out and are on the sd4hss facebook page. Please read these tips, especially if you are going for the first time. All guns must be in a case all the way up to your shoot line. Bows are strongly encouraged to have a case. Be sure that you have paid your $5 dues, re-enrolled online at 4-HOnline.com (if you are a returning member), and paid your match fees of $25 per discipline prior to state shoot.

Earth Day Event Volunteers April 27

Please consider helping out at the Earth Day event happening at our Walter Taylor 4-H Building. Details are in the April newsletter.

Volunteers are needed to bring small animals. See the Sign Up Genius for types of animals needed: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080E4AA9AF22A7FA7-earth

We also need volunteers to be at the Pennington County 4-H Booth promoting 4-H. Bring some of your projects and talk to visitors about what you made, did, and learned. Sign up for a time slot at the link above.

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Camp
- Bob Marshall, Lake Poinsett, and Teen Camp Registration ends April 30th. Many spots are left! Sign up at the following link: https://extension.sdstate.edu/south-dakota-4-h/camps-conferences
- Chaperone’s are needed! Must be a Registered 4-H Volunteer. Cost is Free!. Sign up at the link above.

JOANN CLOVERS FOR KIDS
JOANN Fabric Store will be collecting donations for 4-H. Consider working with the local Rapid City store to advertise what 4-H is about and help them sell clovers!! Now through April 30th!

Rodeo
All 4-Hers who wish to participate in a 4-H rodeo at any level must fill out the Rodeo Finals Packet and get it sent to Kim Larson in Pierre by May 1st. You also must fill out the Insurance Form and turn that into the local Pennington County 4-H office by May 1st. Make sure you have paid your $5 dues and re-enrolled online at 4-Honline.com (if you are a returning member) prior to May 1st.

Trail Grooming Opportunity
An opportunity to do some community service! Help a local Black Hills Horse Club clean some horse trails in the hills. Contact Jayne Bilka f605-381-6561 for more information.