



May 21, 2020

Google Calendar



Douglas County 4-H Community,

Thank you for your continued patience as we work to ensure the safety and sustainability of our 4-H community and programs.

Suspension of all face to face 4-H and Extension programming will remain until further notice. Douglas County Extension will continue to work on transforming May and June events, programs, activities, and workshops to a virtual format.

Starting on May 16th, 2020, an exception MAY be made for critical activities that are not able to be completed virtually. These in-person activities must comply with all federal, state, and local regulations, as well as public health guidance. These activities must also adhere to CSU and State 4-H policies in support of public health and safety. Proper documentation must be completed and submitted to the office for the approval process.

This is the official position of Colorado State University. As volunteers, staff, and members of the CSU community, we must follow this direction.

We know that our state and local health officials have been very thoughtful in the development of guidance for our community and these guidance plans are evolving and contingent on the occurrence of COVID-19.

The health of our youth, families, and community remains the most important consideration. We know you understand this, and we appreciate your patience as we navigate these circumstances.

As always, as we we continue to receive more information and guidelines from CSU, we will pass the information on to you.



4-H'er of the Week

Collin from the Clover Clan

Favorite part of 4-H:

Collin loves 4-H because he learns important life skills through the learning by doing process! He enjoys learning to connect with nature, how to shoot/hunt, how to grow crops, and how to raise livestock. He learned discipline and responsibility through 4-H as well.

Thank you Collin for being a magnificent 4-H member!

Learn more about becoming 4-H'er of the Week

Enter Here



May 15- June 15
State Digital Photo Contest

May 25
Memorial Day (office closed)

May 27
Youth Council Applications Due

May 31 MQA Deadline

June 1 Youth Council



Elections for New Youth Council Officers

Want to join the Youth Council Officer Team?

Check out the requirements to

become a Douglas County
Youth Council Officer.
Applications due to the office by
May 27.

Youth Council Officer Requirements

Password for Douglas County 4-H Youth Videos



RHVD2 Update

4-H Members, Families,
Volunteers, and Community
Members involved in the 4-H
Rabbit Project: Please follow the
link below from the Colorado
Department of Agriculture
regarding the mandatory
reporting of Rabbit Hemorrhagic
Disease occurrences to the State
Veterinarian.







Mileage for record Books

We are back in the office if you want to purchase your record book covers or your poster boards here. We only take Join Jefferson County 4-H for a virtual Horse Judging contest on Sunday, May 31! Registration is due on Sunday, May 24, and full details are available <u>here.</u> We look forward to cash or check for these items as they are fundraisers for the Youth council and Leader's council.

having your team join us! Email tiff.n.mead@gmail.com with questions.

Town Hall Meetings



For more Douglas County reopening information be sure to tune into the weekly town hall virtual meetings.

> Join Townhall Meeting Here



OPEN FAIR AWARD SPONSORSHIPS

There are still awards that have not yet been sponsored for the 2020 Fair.

If you would like to sponsor an award, please contact Michelle Bartlett for more information. mbartlett@douglas.co.us or 720-733-6941

Educational Resources



Check out our page of fun Educational Resources!

From STEM to Livestock to Sewing to Natural Resources, this page is full of everything you need to stay occupied and having fun at home.

Send us pictures of what you have tried

Educational Resources



Colorado State 4-H digital Photo Contest

Opens: May 15, 2020 Ends: June 15, 2020

Direct link to submit to the FairEntry system: Enter Here.
4-H members can submit online using their current family email and password.

Required: <u>photo release</u> <u>digital photo instructions</u>

Page 26 in the State Contest
Requirements has all the details for the contest



Thank You Cards

During these challenging times we want to use our 4-H power to spread positivism!

We will be sending virtual thank you cards and cards of encouragement to hospital workers, first responders, nursing home patients, grocery store employees or any other workers on behalf of Douglas County 4-H!

Upload card or picture of card Here

Boredom Busters



How do engineers determine how much weight a bridge can hold? Do they drive trucks over it with increasing weight until the bridge collapses?

Do you think you could build a model of a bridge and convert that to an actual size bridge?

Visit our website

Livestock Skillathon Challenge

Registration: May 29

Virtual Challenge: June 1-5



Skillathon Flyer

Boulder County 4-H Virtual Horse Show



Boulder Horse Show Flyer

Registration for the 2019-2020 year has closed for 4-H. However, Cloverbuds, 5-7 year olds, may still register.

General Project E-Records

CSU 4-H Exhibit Requirement

DC 4-H Youth Videos

Animal E-Records

Show Ring Code of Ethics

Animal Care and Housing Form

4-H OFFICE STAFF

Kirsten Cowan - 4-H Livestock Agent
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Sylvia Worcester- Office Administrative Assistant
Kyle Christensen - CSU Extension Director





Extension programs are available to all without

discrimination.