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# Season's Greetings



## IMPORTANT DATES

December 22 Storytime STEM

December 24 Office Closed at 12:00pm

> December 25 Office Closed

December 31 Returning Member Registration Deadline (with no late fee added)

> January 1 Office Closed

January 4 Youth & Leaders Council

January 11 4-H 101 - Highlands Ranch area

> January 16 STEM 1st Flight

January 19 Mandatory Horse Leader Meeting (Zoom)

> January 20 4-H 101 - Castle Rock area

January 23 (Tentatively) Buckle Series Horse Show STEM 1st Flight

> January 28 4-H 101 - Parker area



## Youth Council Virtual Fundraiser

## More info here!



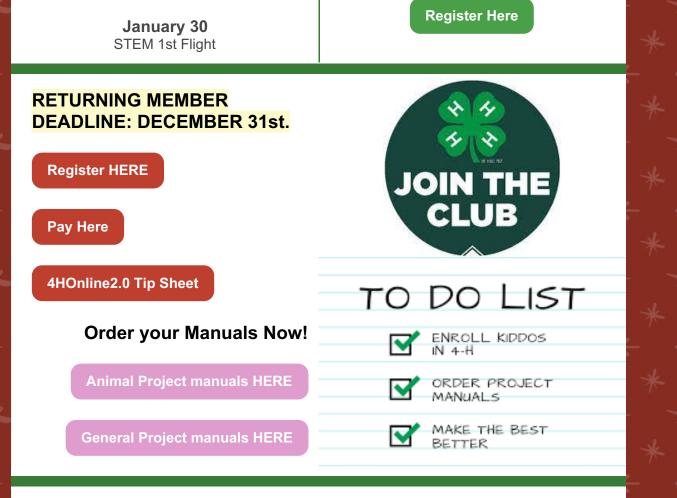
Highlands Ranch: January II, 2021 · 5-7pm Castle Rock: January 20, 2021 · 6-8pm Parker: January 28, 2021 · 5-7pm

Join us for our 4-H 101 Series!

An informational, live Q&A session designed for interested or new families. Learn about the 4-H program and all the different opportunities available with current staff, members, & volunteers.

**Email:** madelyn.granos@colostate.edu for volunteering or more info!

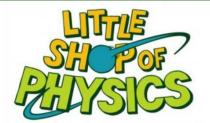
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We are looking for a **Temporary 4-H Youth Development Office Assistant** Our website > Contact Us > Employment Opportunities tab <u>More info & Job Description HERE</u>

### Application Deadline December 22



Tune in every **Friday at 11:00AM** with CSU for a series of experiments! Different topics each week, and we'll even show you how you can try these yourself.

Join Live Experiments Here!

## **4-H Resources**

Check out our updated website! Click on the corresponding link for 2020-2021 info on your projects!

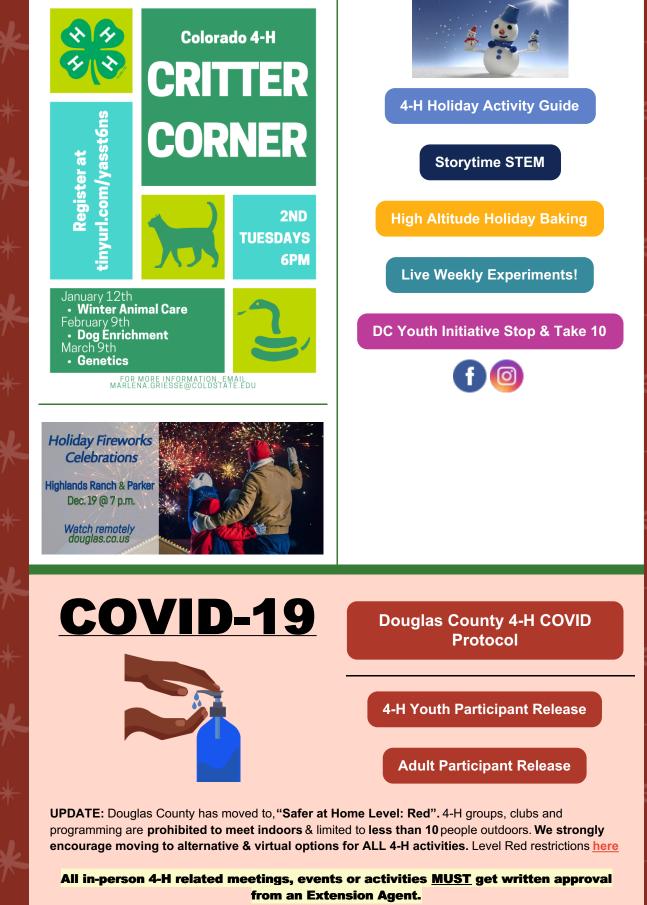
Project Information HERE

Leader Trainings!

4-H Financial Assistance

General Projects Grants

## **More Opportunities**



Nicole – Nicole.Speeding@Colostate.edu Kirsten – Kirsten.Cowan@Colostate.edu

Registration is required on 4HOnline before attending any 4-H Programming. <u>Participants that are not 4-H members or registered leaders</u> must fill out the above COVID Release Forms and send to Sylvia at sylvia.worcester@colostate.edu.

# **Project Areas**

## **Companion Animal**



RABBIT & CAVY EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNTIES!

## **Educational Resources**

Looking for more information about rabbits and cavies? Check out <u>this</u> <u>awesome facebook group</u> by the DC Rabbitears! Tips, tricks, virtual showmanship clinics, barn tours, education, & so much more!

Link to Facebook Group

## **General Projects**



Beekeeping is now offered in Douglas County!

If you are interested in joining this project, please reach out to Nicole Speeding & she will direct you to the right leader.

Are you interested in creating a clothing item that is special and unique? Check out **Artistic Clothing**!



More Info Here

Do you love decorating cakes as much as you love eating them? Check out **Cake Decorating**!



More Info Here

## Horse & Livestock



**Equine Resources:** 

Arizona 4-H: "Ag at Home": Horse TONIGHT! 12/17/20 Register Here

Printed Resources -Basic Horse Care Tips -Horse Body Condition Scoring -Tips on Preparing your horse for Winter Source I -Tips on Preparing your horse for Winter Source II



#### Livestock Resources:

#### Show-Rite Stock Show Classroom

- Animal Selection
- Getting them off to the right start

#### Ag at Home 4-H: Animal Projects

Webinar series focused on health, nutrition, well being, disease prevention of 4-H animals & more.

#### Additional Resources!

**Remember** - No one company, training method, or animal care method is right for every person and animal. Take everything with a grain of salt and build your toolbox of knowledge. That way you can pick and choose what will work best for you and your current animal!

## **Shooting Sports**

- 1. 2020 State 4-H Shooting Sports Championships pins and award ribbons will be mailed to County offices tentatively before December 25th.
- 2. The Colorado State 4-H Shooting Sports Championships Rule Book is currently being updated. The updated rule book will be posted to the State 4-H website when it becomes available tentatively in mid to late January.
- 2021 State 4-H Shooting Sports Leader Training Tentative Schedule: <u>https://douglas.extension.colostate.edu/4-h/programs-2/shooting-sports/</u> (All workshops are tentative and may be cancelled or adjusted to meet current Colorado State Government, CSU and or County COVID-19 restrictions & requirements. Additional trainings may be added tentatively, should circumstances allow.)
- 4. Colorado 4-H Hunting /Outdoor Skills & Colorado 4-H Western Heritage state events are tentatively being considered for Spring of 2021. More information will be shared when it becomes available sometime after January 1, 202



## **ATTENTION ALL SHOOTING SPORTS & ORG LEADERS!**

New Risk Management Plan for all of Colorado 4-H Shooting Sports! Follow the link for more info and email Nicole with any questions! <u>Click here to fill out this information</u>

## **4-H OFFICE STAFF**

Kirsten Cowan - 4-H Livestock Agent Nicole Speeding - 4-H Youth Development Agent Madelyn Granos - 4-H Program Associate Sylvia Worcester- Office Administrative Assistant Kyle Christensen - CSU Extension Director

Extension programs are available to all without discrimination.

