

Happy Friday 4-H Families,

Please see the announcements below for events happening in the next week. Communications can be found on the [4-H Newsletter & Updates](#) page on the El Paso County, CSU Extension Website. Scroll down and find them by date.

## Topics Covered this Week:

- 12/18 4-H Mini Horse Clinic
- 12/20 Enrollment Due for *ALL returning* Members & Volunteers
- 12/23-12/24 & 12/31 Extension Office Hours
- 1/2 Horse Project Safety & Levels Test
- 1/3 Registration Closes – Cloverbud Training
- 1/8 4-H Saturdays

## Announcements/Reminders

### 4-HOnline Enrollment for Returning Members & Volunteers

- Please remember the due date for enrollment in 4-HOnline is fast approaching! A late fee will be applied to any returning member enrolling *after* December 20<sup>th</sup>. [See Newsletter Pg. 3](#) for additional info.

### Newsletter and Fast Fridays Transition to 4-H Online

- In the coming months, we will be transitioning e-mail communications through 4-H Online Broadcasts. Please make sure you have selected “subscribe to emails” in 4-H Online. There is also an option where you can opt-in for text messages when communications are sent. Please let us know if you have questions about the transition.
- *This will be the last “4-H Fast Friday” of the 2021 Year. Look for the 4-H newsletter to be released on January 4<sup>th</sup> in 2022!*

### December 18: 4-H Mini Horse Clinic

- **What:** Project meeting sessions
  - Showmanship, obstacles, and jumping will be covered
- **When:** Saturday, December 18
  - 10 AM
- **Where:** Hope Thru Hooves Arena
  - 25550 Hillside Rd, Pueblo 81006
- [See Newsletter Pg. 12](#) for additional info or contact [Randi Hudson by email](#)

### December 20: 4-HOnline Enrollment DUE!

- **What:** all 4-H members and 4-H Volunteers must re-enroll in 4-HOnline by December 20<sup>th</sup> to maintain standing in the program and avoid a late fee
- [See Newsletter Pg. 3](#) for additional info

### December 23-24 & 31: Christmas & New Year Holidays

- We hope your homes and hearts are filled with gratitude as we celebrate the Christmas and New Year holidays. We are extremely grateful for our entire 4-H community and wish you all health, peace, and bountiful blessings this season and into the New Year!
- The Extension Office will be closed on December 23<sup>rd</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup> and December 31<sup>st</sup>

## January 2: 4-H Horse Project Meeting

- **What:** Project meeting offering safety and levels testing for horses and mini horses
- **When:** Sunday, January 2
  - 9 AM
- **Where:** Latigo
- [Register HERE](#)
- [See Newsletter Pg. 11](#) for additional info

## January 3: Registration Closes

- **For Whom:** Any 4-H Volunteer wanting to lead the Cloverbuds project for club or county programming
- **What:** Registration for upcoming training closes
- **When:** Monday, January 3
- [Register HERE](#)
- [See Newsletter Pg. 5](#) for additional info

## January 8: 4-H Saturdays –Project Meetings

- **What:** Project meeting sessions
  - **Current Sessions:** *Heritage Arts/Fiber*
  - Come join us for our second lesson, where we'll continue learning about the wet felting techniques that are used to make hats, bags, rugs, and more!
- **When:** Saturday, January 8
  - Session 1
    - 9 AM
  - Session 2
    - 10:30 AM
- **Where:** EPC Extension Office – 17 N. Spruce, enter in south parking lot door
- [See Newsletter Pg. 9](#) for additional info

Have a wonderful weekend, happy holidays and a peaceful New Year,

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