

Friday, February 11, 2022

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:

- 2/12 Final SQA
- 2/12 Beef Tag-In
- 2/13 Pet Pig Project Meeting
- 2/13 Dog Project Meeting
- 2/15 Horse Project Meeting
- 2/15 Survey Deadline for Concession Fundraising at Beef Blow N Go
- 2/24 Poultry Production Webinar Series – Poultry 101

Announcements/Reminders

February 12: FINAL SQA for 21-22

- **What:** SQA is a requirement for all 4-H members enrolled in shooting sports projects. SQA is needed to participate in county or state competitions.
 - **Project fee of \$20** (if not already paid) can be paid at SQA. This fee covers costs such as targets, backers, etc.
 - **Email [Charity](#)** with any questions
- **When:** Saturday, February 12, 10am
- **Where:** EPC Extension Office – 17 N. Spruce, enter in south parking lot door

February 12: Beef Tag-In

- **What:** Beef Tag-In
 - **Bring animal with halter on.**
 - Have calves **brand inspected prior** to coming to tag-in
 - Bring **brand inspection papers**
 - **State Fair Nominations taken** (\$3 per animal)
 - **Retinal scans** (\$3 per animal)
 - First 6 ear tags free, \$1 per tag over 6
 - **Cash only**, fees due before animal is tagged in
 - **All animals must be castrated and dehorned before the day of tag-in.**
- **When:** Saturday, February 12
 - **Required Signup for Time Slot:** Please be on time or early!
- **Where:** Owens Livestock Arena at El Paso County Fair Grounds

February 13: Pet Pig Project Meeting

- **What:** Project meeting for Pet Pig
 - **Current Topic:** Hoof Trimming
 - **Project Leader:** [Amy Kindell](#)
- **When:** Sunday, February 13, 4pm
- **Where:** Fountain Creek Park

February 13: Dog Project Meeting

- **What:** Project meeting for Dog
- **When:** Sunday, February 13, 1pm
- **Where:** Zoom -
<https://zoom.us/j/99136270066?pwd=LzdhbEEyVUhzdWM4cWlxcGNneVoxQT09>

February 15: Horse Project Meeting – Show Ring Etiquette

- **What:** Horse project meeting with Maggie Kenoyer, Megan Kenoyer, and Lisa Anderson, covering the proper way to safely navigate an arena and show smarter.
 - **Please register** for the event [here](#).
- **When:** Tuesday, February 15, 7pm
- **Where:** Kit Carson Riding Club – 6775 Cowpoke Rd., Black Forest, CO, 80908

February 15: Survey Deadline for Concession Stand Fundraising

- **What:** Inviting 4-H Clubs and FFA Chapters to operate a concession stand at the Livestock Advisory Committee Beef Blow N Go Show.
 - **Please fill out the Google survey** [here](#) if you are interested in this opportunity.
- **When:** Beef Blow N Go Show is on April 2
 - **Survey deadline is February 15**

February 13: Poultry Production Webinar Series

- **What:** CSU Extension Poultry Production Webinar Series
 - **Poultry 101** – Intro to Poultry Ownership
 - **Registration link** – <https://tinyurl.com/2p8d8f5a>
- **When:** Thursday, February 24, 7pm
- **Where:** Zoom information sent out the Friday before

Have a wonderful weekend!

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