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Dates to Remember

September 6-14	Clay County Fair
September 8	Record Books due (4:30 pm) EO
September 8	New Leader Training (5:00 pm) EO
September 21	Teen Council meeting (4:00 pm) LC
September 24	4-H Youth Committee (6:00 pm) EO
September 24-29	AK-SAR-BEN
October 5-11	National 4-H week
October 6-7	Fourth grade 4-H visits
October 9	New member 4-H open house (5:00 pm) LC
October 11	4-H Fire Up (4:00 pm) FG
October 15	Intermediate Council forms due to EO
October 19	Executive Teen Council meeting (4:00 pm) LC
November 2	4-H Fall Awards Banquet (5:00 pm)
November 27-28	Happy Thanksgiving! EO closed
November 27-29	Chicago awards Trip

EO=Extension Office LC=Learning Center FG=Fairgrounds

Dear 4-H members, families, and leaders,

It's September, and back to school time again. Now is the time to get those record books done and turned in to your club leaders. Also, your club leader has received re-enrollment papers for returning members and leaders, please get those filled out and returned as soon as you can, so we can keep your family on the mailing list, and send you any project area information we have about workshops, competitions, etc.

National 4-H week is next month. Remember to use this time to promote 4-H in your community. Your club can paint windows in your town, make posters, and wear 4-H shirts to school; however YOU want to promote 4-H to your friends.

Countywide, we have a 4-H Fire-Up planned for October 11 at the fairgrounds, so make sure to bring any friends that may be interested in checking out what 4-H is all about. More details about the 4-H Fire-Up will be coming soon....

Alison Roe

County Youth Coordinator



Attention 7-9 Grade 4-Her's!

Cerro Gordo County 4-H is now offering a chance for 4-Her's currently in grades 7, 8, and 9 to serve on the NEW Intermediate County Council. The Intermediate Council will meet 4 times during the 4-H year, are eligible to attend an area (overnight) Intermediate retreat, and develop activities for Intermediate 4-Her's in our county.

Intermediate Council is a great, FUN way to learn about leadership, citizenship, and communication, and get a COOL free T-Shirt! Watch for more info in the mail.

A Note from Gary Hall

4-H is alive and eager to thrive in Cerro Gordo County! This is a great time of year to promote 4-H to your friends and family as we gear up for a new 4-H year. Take some time to think about 4-H and how it can improve, then let me know your thoughts. You can send me an email, call, or write with your comments and suggestions. I am eager to hear how we can make our 4-H program the very best.

Gary Hall, County Extension Education
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Open House for Katy Elson

The North Iowa Fairgrounds will be holding an open house for fair manager Katy Elson, who is retiring after 21 years at the Fairgrounds. Katy's open house will be held on Saturday, September 29, from 3-6 pm, at the 4-H Learning Center.

4-H License Plates

It's finally here! The Iowa 4-H license plate, (well, as long as 500 plates are pre-ordered)! If you would like to pre-order a 4-H license plate head to www.iowa4hfoundation.org License plates cost between \$35-60 dollars. For more information call (515) 294-1607.

Shooting Sports

We will be offering another Shooting Sports Workshop in October, date TBA, for all 4-Her's who are interested. Watch the mail for more information.

**REMEMBER TO CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE
FOR ANY INFO YOU MAY NEED**

www.extension.iastate.edu/cerrogordo
click "kids and teens/4H"



Iowa State Fair Building Exhibit Results

Tiffany Bucknell	Clothing	Blue
Danielle Butler	Clothing	Blue
Danielle Butler	Photography	Blue
Danielle Butler	Consumer & Management	Blue
Debbie Dyre	Personal Development	Blue
Dustin Dyre	Photography	Blue
Marc Fullerton	Science, Mechanics & Engineering	Blue
Ashley Groh	Home Improvement	Red
Randy Groh	Food & Nutrition	Blue
Olivia Hanna-Marken	Food & Nutrition	Blue
Eric Hansen	Personal Development	Blue
Anna Heiny	Photography	Red
Josh Hitzhusen	Visual Art	Blue
Torin Ingham	Food & Nutrition	Red
Amanda Jergenson	Ag & Natural Resources	Red
Luke Josten	Personal Development	Blue
Morgan Lawson	Photography	Blue
Rebecca Nelson	Food & Nutrition	Red
Laura Pedelty	Photography	Blue
Amy Rosenbaum	Clothing	Blue
Amy Rosenbaum	Personal Development	Blue
Clayton Sampson	Ag & Natural Resources	Blue
Colin Sido	Communication - Posters	Merit
Colin Sido	Home Improvement	Blue
Jenna and Tim Smith	Historical/Family Heritage	Cert.
Kylea Thomas	Food & Nutrition	Blue
Dylan Vavrik	Science, Mechanics & Engineering	Blue
Hannah Vavrik	Science, Mechanics & Engineering	Blue
Alyson Vorland	Clothing	Blue
Alyson Vorland	Photography	Blue
Brian Zieman	Science, Mechanics & Engineering	Blue
Michael Zieman	Science, Mechanics & Engineering	Blue

Iowa State Fair Communication Results

Colin Sido	Presentation	Creative Landscaping Bricks Merit
Holly Hejlik	Share the Fun	Heaven Heartache and the Power of Love Participation
Jenna Smith, Tim Smith	Working Exhibit	Recycled Birdfeeders Recognition
Lincoln Peppy Pals	Share the Fun	Kitchen Surprize Participation
Mason City Challengers	Share the Fun	Are you smarter than a 4-Her? Participation

Iowa State Fair Breeding Swine Results

Allison O'Connor	Commercial Gilts	Blue
Jason O'Connor	Commercial Gilts	Red

Iowa State Fair Derby Swine Results

Jacob Baker	Crossbred Derby Barrows - Light weight	Blue
Rebecca Baker	Crossbred Derby Barrows - Light weight	Red
Luke Josten	Crossbred Derby Gilts - Light weight	Blue
Michael Josten	Crossbred Derby Gilts - Medium weight	Blue
Allison O'Connor	Crossbred Derby Barrows - Light weight	Blue
Jason O'Connor	Crossbred Derby Gilts - Medium weight	Blue

Iowa State Fair Market Swine Results

Jacob Baker	Med. Wt. Market Gilts	Blue
Jacob Baker	Med. Wt. Market Gilts	Blue
Rebecca Baker	Lt. Wt. Market Gilts	Blue
Rebecca Baker	Lt. Wt. Market Barrows	Blue
Rebecca Baker	Lt. Wt. Market Gilts	Blue
Luke Josten	Lt. Wt. Market Gilts	Blue
Michael Josten	Lt. Wt. Market Barrows	Blue
Allison O'Connor	Heavy Wt. Market Barrows	Blue
Jason O'Connor	Lt. Wt. Market Barrows	Blue

Iowa State Fair Showmanship Results

Jacob Baker	Swine Showmanship Gr. 7-8	Red
Rebecca Baker	Swine Showmanship Gr. 7-8	Blue
Michael Josten	Swine Showmanship Gr. 9-12	Blue
Allison O'Connor	Swine Showmanship Gr. 5-6	Blue
Jason O'Connor	Swine Showmanship Gr. 9-12	Blue

Iowa State Fair Rabbit Results

Samantha Rose	Senior Doe	Blue
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Iowa State Fair Breeding Beef Results

Courtney Younge	Foundation Simmental	Blue
Courtney Younge	Angus Heifers	Purple

Iowa State Fair Horse Results

Alissa Buck	Pole Bending - Exhibitor grade 10-12	Blue
Alissa Buck	Barrel Racing - Exhibitor grade 10-12	Purple
Katie Cash	Reining - Exhibitor grade 5-8	White
Katie Cash	Trail - Exhibitor grade 7-9	Blue
Katie Cash	Light Horse Showmanship - Exhibitor grade 8	Blue
Katie Cash	Western Horsemanship - Exhibitor grade 8	Purple
Rhondi Easley	Pole Bending - Exhibitor grade 10-12	Blue
Rhondi Easley	Barrel Racing - Exhibitor grade 10-12	Purple
Derek Heitland	Western Pleasure - Exhibitor grade 7 WESTERN PLEASURE CHAMPION-JR	Purple
Derek Heitland	Reining - Exhibitor grade 5-8	White
Derek Heitland	Barrel Racing - Exhibitor grade 7-9	Blue
Deven Heitland	Western Pleasure - Exhibitor grade 5	Purple
Deven Heitland	Pole Bending - Exhibitor grade 5-6	Red
Deven Heitland	Barrel Racing - Exhibitor grade 5-6	Red
Taryn Riedeiger	Barrel Racing - Exhibitor grade 7-9	Purple
Taryn Riedeiger	Pole Bending - Exhibitor grade 7-9	White

