Thank You for a FANTASTIC FAIR!
We appreciate everything you have done to help make this year’s fair a success! All of your hard-work certainly does not go unnoticed! Buena Vista County 4-H has much to be proud of!
- BV County Extension Staff

COUNTY-WIDE DATES TO REMEMBER

- August 1: Iowa State Fair Entries due to Extension Office
- August 2 & 3: Painting Through the Ages, 9am-3pm @ Extension Office
- August 10-20: Iowa State Fair
- August 14: CYC Meeting @ Noon
- August 14: Fairboard Meeting @ 6:30pm (Everyone welcome—will discuss dates for the 2018 Fair)
- September 1-4: 4-H Enrollment Begins—please update your information at iowa.4honline.com
- September 9-17: Clay County Fair
- October 1: Award Applications and Record Books DUE to Club Leaders
- October 1-7: National 4-H Week
- October 4: 4-H Fundraiser/Find Out Night @ Pizza Ranch
- October 7: STEM & the Arts Festival @ Buena Vista University

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Thank you from Stephanie Alanis, Nichol Kleespies, and Brea Baumhover!
2017 Buena Vista County Fair 4-H Results

CLOTHING EVENTS

$15 Challenge
Paige Roberts—Top Intermediate and Clay County Fair Selection
Breyer Anderson—Top Junior and Clay County Fair Selection
Hannah Colerick—Top Junior and Clay County Fair Selection
Destiny Brown—Reserve Junior
April Meyer—Reserve Junior

Fashion Revue
April Meyer—Top Fashion Revue and Clay County Fair Selection

Clothing Selection
Shelby Lynch—Top Junior and Clay County Fair Selection
April Meyer—Top Junior
Lexi Roberts—Reserve Junior and Clay County Fair Selection
Carli Grau—Top Senior and Iowa State Fair Selection

COMMUNICATIONS

Pride of Iowa
Graham Small—Top Pride of Iowa
Beth Greenfield—Reserve Pride of Iowa

Extemporaneous Speaking
Kendall Snyder—Top Senior and Iowa State Fair Selection
Ashlee Sammons—Top Senior and Iowa State Fair Selection
Michelle Anderson—Top Intermediate
Paige Roberts—Top Intermediate

Educational Presentation
Lexi Roberts—Top Intermediate and Iowa State Fair Selection

STATE FAIR STATIC ENTRY PROJECTS:

Horticulture: Abbie Watts
Clayton Ehlers

Animal Science: Alyssa Feeley

Photography: Carli Grau (x2)
Hannah Colerick
Elizabeth Hill
Sierra Hill

Visual Arts: Michelle Anderson
Carli Grau
Eva Kohl
Gabby Staedtler
Allison Watts

Clothing & Fashion: Carli Grau

Food & Nutrition: Kendall Snyder (x2)
Lucy Gunkelman

Health: Sydney Stanton

Home Improvement: Bailey Heuton
Morgan Heuton
Ashlee Sammons
Kendall Snyder

Sewing & Needle Arts: Caden Meyer (x2)
Kendall Snyder

Citizenship: Kendall Snyder

Communication: Morgan Heuton

Mechanics: Thomas Demers
Beth Greenfield
Ryan Greenfield
Tanner Snyder
Clayton Ehlers

Congratulations to all of our 4-Her’s on their Clothing Events, Communications, and Static Entries this year! Go and support our county 4-Her’s listed above at the Clay County and Iowa State Fair! We wish you all the best as you compete and represent our county!
CLOTHING EVENTS

COMMUNICATIONS

STATIC JUDGING DAY
# Livestock Results

### Beef Show
- **Champion**: Kendall Snyder
- **Reserve**: Eva Kohl & Kyle Kohl

### Sheep Show
- **Feeder Pen of 3**: Carter Boettcher
- **Rate of Gain Pen**: Ben Peters & Cole Franzmeier
- **Special Sheep**: Izzy Sievers
- **Special Pen of 2**: Jacie Staedter
- **Jr Showmanship**: Carli Grau
- **Int Showmanship**: Karly Boettcher
- **Sr Showmanship**: Lily Peterson

### Dog Show
- **Sub Novice A**: Gracelin Dahlhauser
- **Sub Novice B**: Emily Launderville
- **Grad Novice A**: Alyssa Feeley
- **Grand Overall**: Alyssa Feeley
- **Showmanship**: Roman Napierala

### Swine Show
- **Market Pen of 8**: Sam Peters
- **Market Pen of 3**: Ashley Hinkeldey
- **Ind Market Hog**: Grace Jesse
- **Breeding gilt**: Drew Hinners
- **Jr Showmanship**: Annaliise Bloom
- **Int Showmanship**: Abbie Watts
- **Sr Showmanship**: Drew Hinners
- **Special Swine**: Kendall Snyder

### Goat Show
- **Bottle/Bucket Goat**: Leah Bean
- **Dairy Goat**: Leah Bean
- **Overall Breeding**: Abby Bean
- **Overall Meat**: Abby Bean
- **Miniature Goat**: Kendal Snyder
- **Jr Showmanship**: Clare Peters
- **Int Showmanship**: Chandler Robbins
- **Sr Showmanship**: Abby Bean

### Poultry Show
- **Overall Bantam**: Abby Bean
- **Overall Crossbred**: Abby Watts
- **Overall Standard**: Dalton Lullmann
- **Overall Waterfowl**: Abby Watts
- **Best of Show**: Abby Bean
- **Jr Showmanship**: Ty Bodholdt
- **Int Showmanship**: Paige Roberts
- **Sr Showmanship**: Dalton Lullmann
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**OVERALL SMALL ANIMAL SHOWMANSHIP:** Abby Bean

**OVERALL LARGE ANIMAL SHOWMANSHIP:** Drew Hinners
The Buena Vista County 4-H Program would like to thank all those individuals, businesses, and families who had a part in helping to make the 2017 Special Sheep and Special Swine project areas a success. Without generous 4-H supporters, opportunities such as these would not be possible, and many youth would miss the chance to learn valuable skills that are gained through the special livestock projects.

Buena Vista County 4-H’ers who participated in the special sheep and/or special swine project areas, please take a moment to express your gratitude toward the individuals who make these opportunities possible by writing and sending them a thank-you using the following addresses.

**Special Sheep**
- Rusty & Karen Corderman
  2344 650th Street
  Newell, IA 50568

**Special Swine**
- Doug White
  6380 170th Avenue
  Newell, IA 50568
- Maschoff’s
  Attn: Josh Flint
  7475 State Route #127
  Carlyle, IL 62231
- Matt McCarthy
  2215 560th Street
  Newell, IA 50568

The Buena Vista County 4-H Program would first like to thank the Soil and Water Conservation District for their continued support of 4-H in Buena Vista County! We would also like to thank all the 4-H Clubs and families who took time throughout the busy week of fair to paint the beautiful barn quilts. Additionally, we sincerely appreciate our fantastic auctioneer Mason Troendle for donating his time and talents the days of the auctions! Last, we would like to thank all those who purchased a barn quilt to support the 4-H Endowment Fund in Buena Vista County!
Check out how much fun we had at the 4-H Summer Camps! Stay tuned as we are planning ahead for more workshops during winter break! Let us know your ideas on what you would like to do!

**Biogenetics at the Fair!** – Youth learned about DNA, cells, and DNA extraction. To learn about DNA, kids worked to find Strawberry DNA and worked with Gummy Bear families.

**Crime & Spy** — Youth learned how to dust for fingerprints, find mystery powders, and measure footprints. With all their learnings, they solved the BV Extension Office Crime! Turns out our own staff, Stephanie and Brea were guilty! Thank you Victor for figuring you this case!

**Race It, Fling It, Fly It** — Youth learned how to design, build, and blast off rockets, cars, and airplanes. They also learned about Newton’s Law of Motion, force, and gravity.

**Painting through the Ages** — Youth learned about art in different time periods. They created Cave Art, Contour drawings, and abstract paintings.
The Buena Vista County 4-H Program would like to thank all of our livestock premium and trophy sponsors from the 2017 Buena Vista County Fair. We thank them for giving us a way to reward the Buena Vista County 4-H’ers for the hard work and investment they have put into their livestock projects over the past year. We thank them all for their continued support of the 4-H program in Buena Vista County!

**Diamond Clover Sponsors**
- Alta Implement
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- Vetter Equipment

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- Goes Insurance Services
- Lester Building Systems, Tom Witt
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- North Lake Truck Repair
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- Snyder Auto Body
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- Citizen’s 1st National Bank
- Farm Bureau
- Hubbard Feeds Inc.
- Reding Gravel & Excavating

**Product Sponsors**
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- Gretchen Miller
- Jim & Jolene Hultgren
- Maschhoffs, Inc.
- Nelson’s Premix & Vet Supply
- Storm Lake Pilot Tribune
- Storm Lake Radio
- Storm Lake Times

Also, a BIG Thank You to the Sac County Fairboard for letting us use their Rabbit cages this year!

**BAGS TOURNAMENT**

Congratulations to **Kent and Carson Lullmann** for being our **First Annual Corn Hole Bags Tournament Champions**! They each received an item of their choice from the 4-H Store! The tournament will continue to be held on the Sunday afternoon of fair while 4-H’ers and their families are waiting for clean-up! Thank you to the County Youth Council for launching this new idea! Keep this in mind and start practicing for next year, so you can participate too!
Record Books

Why are they important?
Record Books are used to teach 4-H’ers how to keep track of their records of exhibits, which is an important life skill. Recordkeeping is an ongoing process, but each year is submitted for a county award. Youth learn:

1. To learn how to set goals, how to make plans for action, and how to decide how well you did (evaluation).
2. To learn the skills of record keeping and organization to use now and in the future.
3. To learn to communicate and summarize.
4. To learn responsibility by completing a task.

Record books are a great keepsake to reflect on your 4-H experience as well as a useful tool when applying for scholarships and awards. Go to www.extension.iastate.edu/buenavista to download and fill out the forms; record book sheet, yearly summary, project records, and animal worksheets. If you need help with your record book, contact your leader or the Extension Office. There are past 4-H’ers Record Books in office if you need guidance starting or working on yours! For help completing your record book, you can call 732-5056 to set up an appointment.

ALL RECORD BOOKS ARE DUE OCTOBER 1 TO YOUR CLUB LEADER

Club Leaders: Please review Record Books and submit to the Extension Office by October 15

County Awards

There is much to be proud of here in the Buena Vista County 4-H Program. Please take some time after fair to review what you are proud of— a project, your club leadership, your community involvement. Complete an award application to be recognized for your accomplishments!

Updated applications are enclosed in the motivator and available online at www.extension.iastate.edu/buenavista/4h and will be due on October 1. If you would like assistance completing your award application, please contact your club leader or make an appointment at the Buena Vista County Extension Office by calling 712.732.5056.
COMING SOON: CLOVER KID DATES FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR!

Clover Kids at the Fair with Cy!
Celebrating 100 Years with
Buena Vista Co Extension

Thank you to
Colton Lullmann for
being this year’s Clover Kid Judge!
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possibilities

Imagine a world of 4-H where you are side by side with adults, making an impact on our world. Step it up and get involved today.