

CONVERSE COUNTY 4-H

NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER



IMPORTANT DATES

- **Nov. 1:** Wreath Orders Due
- **Nov. 10:** Veterans Day - Office Closed
- **Nov. 23-24:** Office Closed

A NOTE FROM THE EDUCATOR

Happy November!

We are one month into the 2023-2024 4-H Year and 4-H activities are slowly starting up! Don't forget all members and volunteers need to re-enroll through ZSuite in order to participate in 4-H activities. Please be sure to double-check all contact information (phone, address, email, etc.) for accuracy as you are re-enrolling.

Please be patient with our project and club volunteers as they work on getting enrolled and getting things started for the new 4-H year! As a reminder, not all projects have volunteer leaders. We will send out a list of project leaders in the next couple of months. If you are interested in becoming a volunteer leader please get in touch with me, we'd love to have you!

There are a few office closures and times that I'm out of the office this month, please check the calendar for those dates.

I hope you all have a great month!

Kellyanne





NOVEMBER 2023



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
29	30	31	1 Wreath Orders Due	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10 Veterans Day Office Closed	11
12	13	14 Kellynne out of office	15	16 Glenrock Cloverbuds 4:30pm	17	18
19	20	21 Douglas Cloverbuds 4:30pm	22	23 Happy Thanksgiving Office Closed	24 Office Closed	25
26	27 Kellynne out of office	28	29	30	1	2

- All dates are subject to change





DECEMBER 2023



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
26	27	28	29	30	1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
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CLUBS



Dry Creek Willing Workers

No Update



Future Stars

No Update



LaBonte Sagebrush

No Update



Magic Chefs

No Update



Sand Creek

Club members finalized their goals for the new 4-H year. In November, club members will invite community members interested in 4-H to their meeting for Sundaes on Sunday with Sand Creek 4-H. An election committee was formed to work on club officer nominations, which will be announced at the November meeting.



Walker Creek

The club will have new leaders taking over soon, please be patient with them as they work to get the enrollment process done and meetings started!



Wild Bunch

No Update



PROJECTS



CLOVERBUDS

Glenrock: November 16th, 4:30 P.M.

Douglas: November 21st, 4:30 P.M.



Snakes of Wyoming

with Matt Rasmussen

Saturday, 11/4 at 2 p.m.

Extension Office

Learn about snake species in Wyoming!

Please RSVP by 4:30 p.m. on 11/2.

Note: There will be non-dangerous live snakes present



PROJECTS

Dairy Goat

Visit Double Triangle Goats on Facebook for a chance to win a doeling of your choosing!



Double Triangle Goats

October 12 at 8:07 PM · 🌐



Attention Wyoming dairy goat 4H kids!

I have some extra Doelings this year.

If you message me your name and your 4H area, your name will go into a drawing for a free doeling that you can pick out yourself.

Drawing will be Sunday November 5th.

We support our 4H kids!

Feel free to share the post.



PROJECTS

HAVE YOU EVER WANTED TO
DECORATE COOKIES LIKE IN THE
HOLIDAY MOVIES

CHRISTMAS COOKIES



Join Mary on November 17th at the
Extension office from 4:00 to 5:30 to
learn buttercream decorating.
Call Jamie at 358-2417 to register. Space
is limited to 10 youth.

ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS



Friend of 4-H

Todd McIntyre

Distinguished Alumni

Kenzie Mares

Extra Mile

Jen Goodwin

Top Secretary's Book

Dry Creek Willing Workers-
Hannah Reed

Top Treasurer's Book

Magic Chefs-
Kimber Waldock

Top 10 Junior Record Books (Alphabetical)

McKartee Darr, Brynnley
Gibbs, Remi McPhetres,
Matthew Reed, Laura
Stoltenberg, Brianna
Wilde, Landon Wolff, and
Avey Wooldridge

Overall Record Book:

Laura Stoltenberg

Top 10 Int. Record Books (Alphabetical)

Haylee Gibbs, Kylie Gibbs,
Austin Grant, Cooper
Grant, Daniel Grant, Jess
Grant, Merrilee Michael,
James Reed, Gus
Stoltenberg, and Sophie
White

Overall Record Book:

Jess Grant

Top 10 Senior Record Books (Alphabetical)

Miley Booth, Megann
Farley, Anna Grant, Cora
Grant, Kayla Grant,
Preston Loyd, Jaden
Meyer, Jay Meyer,
Benjamin Reed, and
Hannah Reed

Overall Record Book:

Cora Grant

Wyoming 4-H Honors Club Inductees

Kayla Grant, Preston Loyd, and Benjamin Reed



ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS



Milestone Leaders

1st Year- Clarice Hartung, Erica Marshik, Laura Taylor, Pete Taylor, and Kenny Wolfley

5 Year- Tanya Reed

10 Year- Monte Reed

20 Year- Rene Nauta

25 Year- Rena Valentine

35 Year- Margaret Grant

Nine Year Members

Garrett Norine, Brianna Hansel, Preston Loyd, Hannah Reed, and Laney Gates

Ten Year Members

Brennan White, Savanna Moffatt, Anna Grant, Kayleen Harris, Madison Sorg, Kailey Porter, and Zoey Booth

Outstanding Leaders

Kenny Wolfley
Becky Harris
Margaret Farley

Eleven Year Member

Tyne Loyd

Hard Luck Award

Josie Mares

Outstanding Junior Member

Laura Stoltenberg

Outstanding Intermediate Member

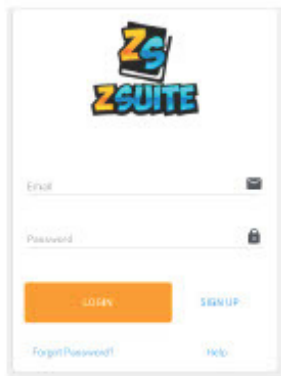
Sophie White

Outstanding Senior Member

Anna Grant

PLEASE PICK UP YOUR AWARDS AT THE
EXTENSION OFFICE!





ZSuite 4-H Enrollment



New Family Profile

If you've never signed in to ZSuite before, follow these steps:

1. Go to <https://4h.zsuite.org/>
2. As a Family creating a new Profile, select **SIGN UP**
 - a. Fill in all of the fields, select **LET'S GO!**

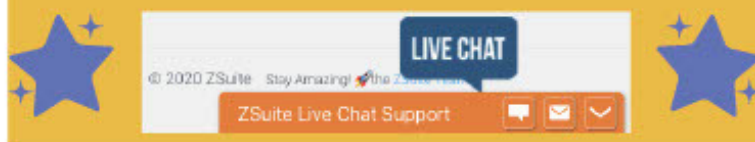
Adding 4-H Members

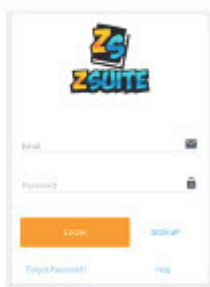
You are now on the **Dashboard** tab

1. Select **+ Household Member**
2. Fill out 4-H Member's info, select **Continue**
3. Fill out PERSONAL INFO, select **Next**
4. Fill out all six drop down **WAIVERS**, then select **Next**
5. Dropdown to your **CLUB**, select **Add Club**
select **Add Project**
6. Select **Add to Cart** and then you can either **+Add Enrollment** or **Submit**. Must be submitted to be complete.

Once submitted, your Enrollment will change from **Pending Approval to **Active** when the Extension Office receives payment!**

If you need assistance, don't hesitate to select the ZSuite LIVE CHAT!





ZSuite 4-H Enrollment



Existing Family Profile

Enrollment must be done **ANNUALLY** to stay *active* in 4-H!

Go to <https://4h.zsuite.org/>

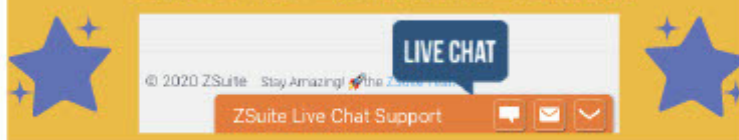
1. Use the same email & password you used to sign up, select **LOGIN**
2. Choose the **PRIMARY ACCOUNT** to enroll 4-H Members
3. You will see a list of the household members & their current enrollment status.
 - a. **Red = INACTIVE 4-H Member**
 - b. **Green = ACTIVE 4-H Member**
4. Select the 4-H Member's Name you wish to update, select **ENROLL MEMBER NOW**
5. **IF YOU DO NOT SEE A NAME LISTED**, You will need to ADD A HOUSEHOLD MEMBER

Animal Project Information is NOT required at this time.

6. Fill out 4-H Member's info, select **Continue**
Fill out PERSONAL INFO, select **Next**
Fill out all six drop down WAIVERS, then select **Next**
Dropdown to your CLUB, select **Add Club**
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ZSuite 4-H Enrollment



New Leader Profile

Enrollment must be done **ANNUALLY** to be an **Active** 4-H Leader!

1. Go to <https://4h.zsuite.org/>

2. To create a new Profile, select **SIGN UP**

a. Fill in all of the fields, select **LET'S GO!**

If you've signed in before,



LOGIN



Select **PRIMARY ACCOUNT**

Volunteer Enrollment

You are now on the **Dashboard** tab

1 Select the Volunteer's Name

2 More content will drop down, select **Enroll Volunteer Now**

3 Select **Complete Volunteer Enrollment**

4 Fill out all the of the **Personal Info**

a. When filling out *Volunteer Roles/Opportunities*, select all that may apply.

5 Complete all Waivers

6 Dropdown to your CLUB,

select **Add Club**

a. Select **Add Project** if needed

7 Select **Add to Cart** and **Continue**

Once submitted, your Enrollment will change from **Pending Approval** to **Active** when you have completed:

- Background Screening

- Look for the State 4-H Office email

- New Volunteer Orientation

- Visit <https://extension.catalog.instructure.com/> to create a login, then go to <https://uwyo3.instructure.com/login/canvas> to complete the course.

- MVR (Motor Vehicle Records) *optional - only needed if you plan to transport 4-H members

- Visit https://www.wyoming4h.org/4hsublette/?page_id=2097 to complete


- "Supervisor/Sponsor" - Johnathan Despain - jdespain@uwyo.edu

- "Additional Email Addresses to Notify" - karen.allison@uwyo.edu

If you need assistance, don't hesitate to select the ZSuite LIVE CHAT!



The screenshot shows the ZSuite 4-H Enrollment process for Johnny Cash. The top section shows the user's profile with a red circle around the name "Johnny Cash" and a red arrow pointing to the "ENROLL VOLUNTEER NOW" button. Below this, the "Vetted Volunteer Enrollment" section is shown with a red circle around the "COMPLETE VOLUNTEER ENROLLMENT" button. The "Enrollment in 4-H for Johnny Cash 2020 - 2021" section shows three tabs: "PERSONAL INFO", "WAIVERS", and "CLUBS", all circled in red. The "PERSONAL INFO" tab is active, showing "Volunteer Roles/Opportunities" with a list of roles: "Project Volunteer" (checked), "Club Leader", "Chaperone for overnight or out-of-county events", "Coach of a competitive 4-H team or event", and "Short-term, activity, or specific event role". A red arrow points to the "Project Volunteer" checkbox, and a green speech bubble says "Select all that may apply!". The "CLUBS" tab is also shown, with a red circle around the "Add Club" button. A dropdown menu for "Barnyard Bunch (Big Piney Sheep, Swine, & Goat Club)" is shown with a red circle around the "Add Club" button. The bottom section shows the user's profile with a red circle around the name "Johnny Cash" and a red arrow pointing to the "ADD TO CART" button.



**YEAR
TWO!**

Wyoming

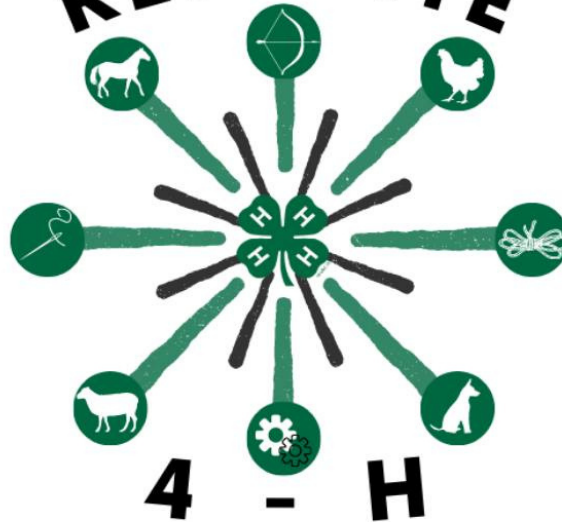
FOOD, FUN & 4-H

- Cook together and gather around the family dinner table,
- Learn to prepare home-cooked meals & try new foods.
- FUN family time.
- Receive a FREE kitchen utensil kit/family related to that month's recipes November - May.
- Self-guided at home.
- Open to any currently enrolled 4-H member...make it a project!

TO FIND OUT MORE:
CONTACT US @ (307) 334-3534 OR [KELLIE@UWYO.EDU](mailto:kellie@uwyo.edu)
FREE TO PARTICPATE; GROCERIES NOT INCLUDED



REIGNITE



4-H Volunteers
Leaders
Parents
Educators

NOVEMBER 3-5

Cheyenne, WY

*Register
today at*

bit.ly/reignite4-h

WORKSHOP TOPICS INCLUDE:

- Finding You Spark
- Special Needs 4-H Members
- Geology Engagement
- Ropecraft
- Wyoming's Community Resources: Utilization and Partnerships
- Wyoming's Tech Future: Practically and Successfully Teaching Robotics
- Beyond Community Service: How to help youth make an impact in their community and themselves
- Outdoor Skills- Wyoming and National Shooting Sports Opportunity
- Decorating New Paths with Stained Glass
- Leathercraft Mentors
- Archery, Rifle & Pistol Wyoming State Certifications
- Stop the Bleed
- Fabric and Fashion Mastery Workshop
- New Volunteer Training
- 4-H Club Fun: Games and Activities Workshop
- Using Curriculum to Enhance Project and Club Meetings
- Cloverbuds - Learn Something, Make Something, Eat Something
- Club Orgnaization Round Table



Hear from high impact speakers, and get hands-on workshop.

Explore Washington D.C. sites.

Opportunities for Career exploration.

Build connections with teens from across the country.

IGNITE BY 4-H



- Youth 15 - 18 years old.
- Cost estimated at \$2000 per person.
- Scholarships will be available.

**MARCH
13-17,
2024**

APPLICATIONS

Apply at
https://wyoming4h.formstack.com/forms/ignite_4_h

Application open beginning of October and will close on January 8th, 2024



**HAVE MORE
QUESTIONS...**

If there are additional questions, please visit the Opportunities section on the state 4-H website or talk with your 4-H educator.



April 19 - 24, 2024
Arlington, Virginia

Who can Attend

- Youth 15 - 18 years old
- Cost estimated at \$2500 per person, scholarship will be given.

Applications

- Apply at the following link by January 15th, 2024, Applications will open Mid - October 2023.
- https://wyoming4h.formstack.com/forms/educator_form_congress

About Conference

- Do you want to have a role in making change?
- Youth present ideas to high-ranking Government Officials.
- Youth will see D.C., meet with our Congressman and Senators.
- Meet other 4-H youth like yourself from all over the United States.

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GROWING-WY INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

The overall goal of Growing Beginning Farmers and Ranchers in Wyoming is to provide education, mentoring, and technical assistance to offer beginning farmers and ranchers the knowledge, skills, and tools needed to make informed decisions for their operations, and enhance their sustainability.

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS:

- 18+ years of age ●
- Fewer than 10 years of agricultural ownership ●
- Submit weekly summaries including photos/videos ●
- Attend at least one educational event ●

YEAR TWO CHANGES

- ✓ 12 weeks to 10 weeks
- ✓ \$4,800 to \$5,000
- ✓ Used Moodle as communication & assignment tracking system
- ✓ Used zoom and online training modules to orient hosts and interns selected for 2023
- ✓ Coordinator - work cell phone
- ✓ Followed a screening protocol using anonymous host and intern profiles to better inform pairing for 2023 summer internships

2022-2023 STATISTICS

- 19 awarded internships ●
- 5 returning hosts awarded internships for 2023, numerous returning host applications. ●
- Participating interns came from seven states, including Wyoming ●
- 5 accepted interns have veteran status. ●



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Converse County 4-H Website

<https://www.wyoming4h.org/converse4h/>



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<https://www.facebook.com/Converse4H>

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