

Washakie County 4-H Happenings

4-H Families

Believe it or not, it's already December—and winter has officially arrived! With the holiday season quickly approaching, now is a great time to think about the ways you can make a positive impact in our community. Don't underestimate the good you can accomplish simply by being involved in your clubs. I encourage each of you to step up and lend a helping hand right here in Washakie County.

Read on to discover all the exciting 4-H happenings taking place this month! And remember—the sooner you get re-enrolled, the better. This will be your final newsletter until your re-enrollment is complete.

Be sure to check out the 4-H Calendar online for important dates and upcoming events.

Stay safe, stay healthy and Happy Holidays!



H•AD
HE•ART
H•ANDS
HE•ALTH

Have a great month, Amber

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www.wyoming4h.org/washakie4h/

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December 2025



Washakie County 4-H Happenings

Calendar of Events

2025-2026

4-H Calendar of events
can be found at:

wyoming4h.org/washakie4h/upcoming-4-h-functions/

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@WashakieCounty4H

Scan with your phone camera:



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We still have a little produce left from the Worland Community Garden!

Stop by today and help yourself!

WE STILL HAVE POTATOES AND TOMATOES AT THE EXTENSION OFFICE THAT WERE GROWN IN THE COMMUNITY GARDEN



Potatoes



Tomatoes

STOP BY 1200 CULBERTSON AVENUE, SUITE G TO GET SOME OF EACH!



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Christmas Parade of Lights

Come be a part of the Christmas Parade of Lights and join the Hometown Holidays float that T&E volunteers their equipment and time to allow the kids to have a float in the parade!

Thank you T&E!



4-H IS HAVING A FLOAT IN THE CHRISTMAS PARADE OF LIGHTS AND 4-HER'S ARE INVITED TO RIDE ALONG

**DECEMBER 6TH MEET AT 5:30PM
ON 20TH ST (NEAR KIWANIS PARK)**



THEME: HOMETOWN HOLIDAYS



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Washakie County 4-H Happenings

Volunteer Training

Save the Date!

Join in to learn about empowering volunteers and how to feel confident leading youth in 4-H! This is a wonderful opportunity for all volunteers!

December 9th at 6 PM via Zoom



Wyoming **4H**

VOLUNTEER TRAINING

Save The Date

Join us to learn about Empowering Volunteers and how to feel confident leading youth 4-H members

MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

- Leadership & Confidence
- Volunteer Story
- Connect with other volunteers
- Engaging Activities and Conversations

DECEMBER 9TH, @ 6PM

ZOOM LINK REGISTRATION QR CODE:



* Please reach out to Tiera Bevilacqua if you have any questions *

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Middle School Cultural Experience

We are super excited to offer this cultural experience for our middle school youth!

See more information and fill out the application by December 15

<https://forms.gle/3UQJjnrwauX35mS49>



COURAGE TO EXPLORE *Across Cultures*

EMBARK ON AN EXCITING ADVENTURE OF DISCOVERY AS WE TRAVEL NEAR TO LEARN THINGS FROM AFAR

HANDS-ON ACTIVITIES HELPING US LEARN ACROSS CULTURES AND AGRICULTURAL TRADITIONS – FROM FARMING AND FOOD SYSTEMS TO SUSTAINABILITY AND INNOVATION. TOGETHER, WE’LL CELEBRATE GLOBAL CONNECTIONS

POSSIBLE ADVENTURE DESTINATIONS: WYOMING STATE CAPITAL, DENVER MINT, FRENCH BAKERY CLASS, CSU SPUR, FARM TO TABLE DAIRY TOUR, CULTURAL FOOD EXPERIENCES AND MORE!

MARCH 18 – 21, 2026

DENVER, CO

\$200 (INCLUDES TRANSPORTATION, HOTEL, MEALS, TOUR ADMISSIONS) OPEN TO WASHAKIE COUNTY MIDDLE SCHOOL AGED YOUTH (GRADES 6 – 8)

SCAN ME

SCAN FOR APPLICATION AND MORE INFORMATION DUE DECEMBER 15

Washakie County 4-H logo



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Cloverbuds

Join us for our Visual Arts project of making a Christmas Ornament!

December 16th at
West Side School at
4 PM!



**JOIN US FOR OUR VISUAL ARTS PROJECT
OF MAKING A CHRISTMAS ORNAMENT!**

December 16, 2025
4PM

Westside School (810 S 6th St)

Join us as we create an ornament and explore self-expression and creativity! Any youth ages 5 - 7!



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Cooking to Share

Join us as we learn our way around the kitchen while also giving to a family in need.

Register by
December 16th

<https://forms.gle/Jy5RjttCfLQscb357>

JOIN US
COOKING TO SHARE

December 18, 2025
4 PM - 5:30 PM

Come learn your way around the kitchen while making a difference!

IN THIS HANDS-ON CLASS, YOUTH WILL:

- LEARN KITCHEN SAFETY AND BASIC COOKING SKILLS
- PREPARE A FULL MEAL
- DONATE THE MEAL TO A FAMILY IN NEED RIGHT HERE IN WASHAKIE COUNTY



Washakie County Extension Office

OPEN TO AGES 8 - 18
FREE TO PARTICIPATE

SIGN UP
BY DECEMBER 16



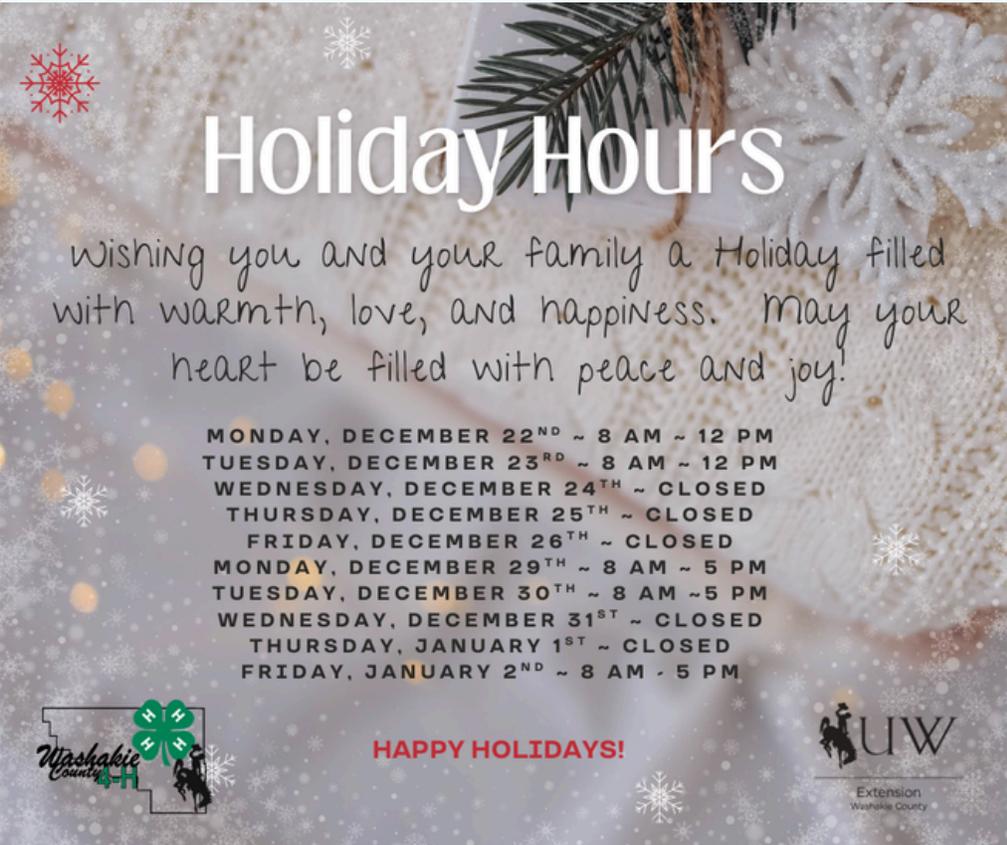
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Holiday Hours

Our office will have limited hours during the Holidays.

We hope everyone has a safe and warm holiday season filled with love, happiness, peace, and joy!



Holiday Hours

wishing you and your family a Holiday filled with warmth, love, and happiness. May your heart be filled with peace and joy!

MONDAY, DECEMBER 22ND ~ 8 AM ~ 12 PM
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 23RD ~ 8 AM ~ 12 PM
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 24TH ~ CLOSED
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 25TH ~ CLOSED
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 26TH ~ CLOSED
MONDAY, DECEMBER 29TH ~ 8 AM ~ 5 PM
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 30TH ~ 8 AM ~ 5 PM
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 31ST ~ CLOSED
THURSDAY, JANUARY 1ST ~ CLOSED
FRIDAY, JANUARY 2ND ~ 8 AM ~ 5 PM

 **HAPPY HOLIDAYS!** 

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We need your help with Meals on Wheels - a great community service project

Give us a shout if you want to help out!



The flyer features a white paper with a scalloped top edge, pinned to an orange background. On the left, a plate of food (broccoli, bread, and a brownie) is shown. On the right, a plate of fruit (kiwi, grapes, and orange) is shown. The text on the paper reads: 'We need your help with Meal on wheels delivery. 4-H is delivering meals on wheels during the holiday break and need your help on December 22, 23, 24, 29, 30 or 31 - starting at 11am (takes about 45 minutes to complete). Take one day or as many as you want - a great community service project! Give us a shout at the Extension Office if you want to help out! 347-3431'. At the bottom of the paper is the Washakie County 4-H logo.

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4-H Re-Enroll LAST Reminder!

The new 4-H year
started October 1,
2025.

Sign up before
December 31, 2025
to continue to get
4-H information!

Sign up through
ZSuite

4-H SIGN UP REMINDER

RE-ENROLL IN 4-H

Sign up for 4-H by
December 31, 2025
to keep getting 4-H information!

YOU DON'T WANT TO MISS OUT!

Sign up through ZSuite (using
the same username and
password as last year)

Scan for
more info!

Washakie County 4-H logo and QR code are also present.



Washakie County 4-H Happenings

Fabric and Fashion

Mark your calendars
for Fabric and
Fashion meetings
starting in January
2026!



Fabric and Fashion

Washakie County 4-H

- * Monday, January 19th 10 AM - 12 PM-making quilted hot pad-materials provided
- * Monday, February 2nd 10 AM - 12 PM and 1 PM - 3 PM by appointment - work on project
- * Monday, February 16th 10 AM - 2 PM T-Shirt Workshop-Sewing on a serger-Material & pattern provided
- * Monday, March 2nd 10 AM - 12 PM 1PM - 3 PM by appointment - work on project
- * Spring Break - March 16, 17, 18, 20 by appointment-finish up projects

Please RSVP! (Days and times appointment needed we will not be there unless someone has signed up)



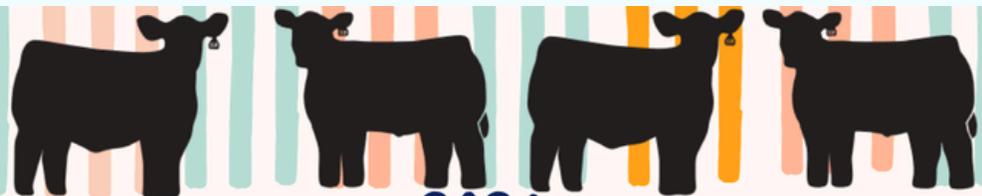
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2026 BEEF TAGGING DATES

January 26th at Worland Fairgrounds

January 29th at Ten Sleep Galloway Ranch

January 31st at Worland Fairgrounds



2026



BEEF TAGGING DATES



ANY market beef planning to attend county fair MUST be present at ONE tagging date

JAN
26

Worland Fairgrounds
4pm-5pm

JAN
29

Ten Sleep Galloway Ranch
4pm-5pm

JAN
31

Worland Fairgrounds
10am-11am

Want to participate in the Rate of Gain Contest?
Plan to weigh your steer during tagging



Washakie County 4-H Happenings

WYOMING 4-H CIVIC DAY

More information
coming soon!

Open to senior
aged 4-H
members (ages
14-18)



FIRST INAUGURAL

Wyoming 4-H CIVIC DAY

CHEYENNE, WY
FEBRUARY 2026
DETAILS TO FOLLOW

TO GET ON MAILING LIST
FOR UPDATES SCAN HERE:



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MARK YOUR CALENDARS

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Shooting Sports Training, if you are a new shooting sports leader or have reached 5 years since your last certification, plan to attend one of these training opportunities!

2026 4-H Shooting Sports Leader Certification Trainings

The Shooting Sports Training Team will be coming to a county near you! If you are a new shooting sports leader or have reached five years since your last certification, plan to attend one of these certification/training opportunities.



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Big Horn County, Basin, WY

- Dates - March 7-8, 2026
- [Registration : Big Horn County](#)

Carbon County, Saratoga, WY

- Dates - March 21-22, 2026
- [Registration : Carbon County](#)

Sweetwater County, Rock Springs, WY

- Dates - March 28-29, 2026
- [Registration: Sweetwater County](#)

Crook County, Sundance, WY

- Dates - April 11-12, 2026
- [Registration: Crook County](#)

Natrona County, Casper, WY

- Dates - April 25-26, 2026
- [Registration: Natrona County](#)

Shooting Sports Development Committee Meeting

- Date - February 21, 2026, Casper
- Hilton Garden Inn - 10 am to 3 pm
- [Directions from Douglas](#)
- [Directions from Riverton](#)

You can register using the links above or visit the Wyoming 4-H webpage at: <http://www.uwyo.edu/4-h/> then select "Volunteers" and "Additional Trainings."



Washakie County 4-H Happenings

4-H Cross Cultural Experience

Congratulations!

Be on the lookout
for fundraising!

Netherlands



Belgium



We are excited to have six youth from Washakie County traveling this next summer, in June of 2026, to Belgium and the Netherlands with the 4-H Cross-Culture Experience!

Congratulations to those selected for 2026!



Kale Kienlen
Maclea Roady
Brynlee Roady
Allie Stamatakos
Emma Glanz
Paige Lungren



Be on the lookout for some fundraisers to help these girls out!



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Wyoming Food Fun 4-H

Get Cooking with 4-H, learn, cook, taste, and share with your family while building lifelong skills in the kitchen!

WYOMING FOOD FUN 4-H



GET COOKING WITH 4-H

Learn, cook, taste, and share with your family while building lifelong skills in the kitchen.

WHAT IT'S ABOUT:

- Monthly recipes and cooking challenges
- Hands-on learning: baking, grilling, holiday treats & more
- Fun for the whole family — kids and parents cook together
- Opportunities to try new foods and explore creative twists

YOUTH SAID IT BEST:

- “I liked learning how to make eggs a new way.”
- “The banana bread became our new family favorite.”
- “I made my own grilled chicken sauce and everyone loved it!”

WHY JOIN?

- Try new recipes
- Build kitchen confidence
- Create family memories



JOIN US FOR YEAR 4!

SIGN UP AT
[HTTPS://FORMS.GLE/JCDUBZF9UVCTRYJ26](https://forms.gle/JCDUBZF9UVCTRYJ26)



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SAVE
THE
DATE

Adventure Awaits

Mark your Calendars
for the Big Horn
Basin 4-H Camp

June 8 - 10, 2026

More information
coming soon!



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SAVE
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Showcase Showdown

June 15-18, 2026,
check out the new
contests that will be
available!

Wyoming 4H

SHOWCASE SHOWDOWN

June 15 - 18, 2026

University of Wyoming, Laramie

New for 2026!

- **New Contests**
 - Horse Quiz Bowl
 - Livestock Quiz Bowl
- **Full Cloverbud Track**
 - Full schedule of cloverbud activities
- **NEW Residence Halls**
 - All participants will be housed in the brand-new University of Wyoming residence halls!
 - Nightly activities specific for those who stay in the residence halls!
- **Event T-shirt** design by the 4-H youth, Jansen Hornecker who won the 2025 Showcase Showdown design contest!



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SAVE
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2026 Washakie
County Fair
Dates

July 18 - 25,
2026



SAVE THE DATE

2026 WASHAKIE COUNTY FAIR

July 18 - 25, 2026



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Made by Me

The Extension Office is looking for more young entrepreneurs to sell their creations in our office! We will help promote them and keep track of the sales for you!



CALLING ALL
+ YOUTH
entrepreneurs!

Want a chance to sell your creations?

The Extension Office is looking for more young entrepreneurs to sell their creations in our office!
We will help promote and keep track of sales.

- All items must be created by a current 4-H member
- Items must be listed at prices less than \$50 each
- Each member may have 5 items for sale at a time
- Items must be high quality

Examples:

- Leather items
- Sewn items
- Embroidered items
- Artwork
- Jewelry
- etc.

*get
creative!*



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Request for Funds

Have a 4-H trip you want to go on and might need a little financial assistance? Be sure to check out the request for funds form! It is available to any 4-H member



DID YOU KNOW?

WASHAKIE COUNTY 4-H HAS A FORM TO REQUESTS FUNDS TO HELP WITH THOSE 4-H TRIPS AND EVENTS YOU WANT TO PARTICIPATE IN!



You just need to stop by the Extension Office or visit our website for the form, then return it before the activity/event!

<https://www.wyoming4h.org/washakie4h/4-h-council/>

