



# Blaine County 4-H News

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Dear 4-H Members, Leaders and Parents,

Congratulations on another successful fair. It is refreshing to watch the way everyone comes together to help each other out during the Fair. We especially want to commend those who pitched in and helped during the cleanup after the animals were released on Sunday. The pride that we take in our image really shines as it is obvious that as a group we try to ensure that the areas of the fairgrounds that we use are left in better shape than when we arrived on Thursday. A big thanks goes out to the Brown family and Torgerson's Equipment for the use and operation of the Bobcat to clean the heavy stuff at the steer barn and breeding cattle exhibit area. We would also like to recognize those who pitched in and made sure that the pens and stalls of the 4-H members who were involved in the Rodeo were taken care of, a true application of "I pledge my hands.... The 4-H attitude really showed in Blaine County during this Fair.

Congratulations to Blaine County 4-H Alumni Abby Johnson for receiving the Blaine County 4-H Foundation Scholarship.

Record books are due to the Extension Office by August 29th at 5:00 p.m. It helps the office out greatly if clubs turn in their books together. If anyone needs any record book pages or help on record books, please contact the office.

The next 4-H council meeting will be August 25, 2008 at 7:00 p.m. at the Triple E Meeting Room. If you have any agenda items, please let the office know by August 22nd.

The Big Flat 4-H Club has laid down a challenge to each of the other clubs: They will purchase two new white tables for the Chuckwagon if the rest of the clubs will do the same. We would like to announce at the August Council meeting the clubs who have stepped up to this challenge.

Enjoy the rest of your summer!

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## Thank you

Thank you to everyone who helped out in any way at the fair. The Extension Office greatly appreciates all of your help.

4-H members: Please send thank you notes to your buyers, barn superintendents, trophy sponsors, Farm Credit Service for premium donation, Alisha Unruh for taking the buyer's photos and anyone else who helped you be successful at the fair.

## Record Books Due August 29th

Record books are due to the Extension Office by 5:00 p.m. on August 29th. If you need more pages or have any questions, please call the Extension Office. To complete the 4-H year and receive your premium money, record books must be completed.

## Premium Money

The premium money for your ribbons will be given to the organizational leaders. Premium points are \$.15 each this year. You will receive your premium money after you turn in your record books. If you have any questions, please contact the Extension Office.

## 4-H Clovers

The 2009 4-H Clovers have arrived. We will be sending them out to all the organizational leaders. If you want an early copy, please stop by the Extension Office. Be sure to check out the new Outdoor Adventures and Robotics projects.

## 4-H Building Projects

Francis Pitsch Memorial Trophy: Kayla Sather (Quilt)  
Judges Choice: (donated by Sweet Medical Center)  
Plant, Animal and Leisure Science: Gavin Maloney  
Natural Science: Connor McCalmont  
Mechanical Science: Kelsie Hanson  
Leadership: Kelsie Hanson  
4-H Clothing: Tracey Reed  
4-H Foods: Shelby Moxley  
Grand Horticulture: Lucas Reed  
Reserve Horticulture: Erika Anderson  
Grand Crop Science: Kaylan Johnson  
Top Overall Range Trophy: Tavin Schnieder  
Top Overall Weeds Trophy: Erika Anderson

Grand Entomology: Tory Hawley  
Reserve Entomology: Kyler Johnson  
Grand Woodworking Level 1: Skylar Powell  
Reserve Woodworking Level 1: Riley Green  
Grand Woodworking Level 2: Kelsie Hanson  
Grand Leatherwork: Tyrel Obrecht  
Grand Electricity: Kaylan Johnson  
Reserve Electricity: Eric Billmayer  
Grand Small Engines: Erika Anderson  
Reserve Small Engines: Ian McIntosh  
Grand Shooting Sports: Paige Moxley  
Reserve Shooting Sports: Ian McIntosh  
Grand Archery: Erika Anderson  
Reserve Archery: Adrianna Standiford  
Jamieson Shooting Sports Trophy: Tristan Billmayer  
Grand Veterinary Science: Lyndsay Hutton  
Grand Leadership: Kelsie Hanson  
Reserve Leadership: Shandel Fouts  
Reserve Exploring 4-H: Ella Billmayer  
Reserve Exploring 4-H: Anne Reed  
Grand Adventures in 4-H: Ian McIntosh  
Grand Self Determined: Garrett Maloney  
Grand 4-H Club Secretary Book: Kelsie Hanson  
Reserve 4-H Club Secretary Book: Kayla Sather  
Grand Wildlife: Connor McCalmont  
Reserve Wildlife: Reece Hutton  
Grand Family Adventures: Hayley Riphenburg  
Reserve Family Adventures: Lucas Reed  
Grand Home Environment: Makayla Hofeldt  
Reserve Home Environment: Cortney Gunderson  
Grand Cowboy Poetry: Riley Green  
Reserve Cowboy Poetry: Tasha Green

Grand Sewing Level 1: Skylar Powell  
Reserve Sewing Level 1: Lacie Snider  
Grand Sewing Level 2: Jasmine Powell  
Reserve Sewing Level 2: Madisen McIntosh  
Grand Sewing Level 3: Tracey Reed

Needlework Finalists: Kleinjan Needlework Award (will be announced at Achievement Night)  
Kayla Hanson Paige Moxley  
Madisen McIntosh Kayla Sather  
Naomi Terry Jasmine Powell  
Sydney Obrecht Tracey Reed

Grand Embroidery: Jasmine Powell  
Grand Quilting: Kayla Sather  
Reserve Quilting: Madisen McIntosh  
Quilt Guild Award: Naomi Terry  
Grand Photography 1: Hallie Conlan  
Reserve Photography 1: Janelle Downs  
Judge's Choice Photography: Hallie Conlan  
Grand Beginning Foods: Kade Friede  
Reserve Beginning Foods: Kyler Johnson

Grand Six Easy Bites: Hayley Riphenburg  
Reserve Six Easy Bites: Wade Schneider  
Grand Tasty Tidbits: Lucas Reed  
Reserve Tasty Tidbits: Brittany Pelesky-Mitchell  
Grand You're the Chef: Jasmine Powell  
Reserve You're the Chef: Kaylan Johnson  
Grand Quick Meals: Kelsie Hanson  
Reserve Quick Meals: Becky Schroeder  
Grand Foods of the Pacific Northwest 1: Shani Johnson  
Grand Foods with International Flavor: Tasha Green  
Grand Exploring our Food Heritage: Jill Mord  
Grand Teen's Entertain: Tasha Green  
Reserve Teen's Entertain: Talya Johnson  
Grand Let's Bake Bread: Krista Johnson  
Reserve Let's Bake Bread: Shelby Moxley  
Grand Foods Independent Study: Shelby Moxley  
Reserve Foods Independent Study: Jasmine Powell

### **Animal Judging Results**

Grand Overall Senior Showman: Kelsie Hanson  
Reserve Overall Senior Showman: Clinton Hansen  
Grand Overall Junior Showman: Robby Buck  
Reserve Overall Junior Showman: Merle Young

Grand Market Lamb: Emilee Unruh  
Reserve Market Lamb: Scott Schmitt  
Grand Senior Market Lamb Showman: Sydney Conlan  
Reserve Senior Market Lamb Showman: Mary Reed  
Grand Junior Market Lamb Showman: Emilee Unruh  
Reserve Junior Market Lamb Showman: Scott Schmitt  
Grand Sheep Breeding: Skylar Powell

Grand Senior Horse Showman: Clinton Hansen  
Reserve Senior Horse Showman: Lane Schmitt  
Grand Junior Horse Showman: Hannah Weber  
Reserve Junior Horse Showman: Scott Schmitt  
Grand Horsemanship 1: Tyler Ortner  
Reserve Horsemanship 1: Naomi Terry  
Grand Horsemanship 2: Shania Maloney  
Reserve Horsemanship 2: Bailee McCalmont  
Grand Horsemanship 3: Connor McCalmont  
Reserve Horsemanship 3: Lyndsay Hutton  
Grand Horsemanship 4: Laurel White  
Reserve Horsemanship 4: Clinton Hansen  
Grand Horsemanship 5: Alana Smith  
Grand Horsemanship 6: Meghan Ortner  
Grand Horsemanship 7: Savannah Smith  
Grand Yearling: Clinton Hansen  
Reserve Yearling: Alana Smith  
Grand C2M 2 Year Old Level 2: Meghan Ortner  
Reserve C2M 2 Year Old Level 2: Scott Schmitt  
Grand C2M English 2 Year Old: Scott Schmitt  
Grand Green Horse 1: Madison Malsam  
Grand Green Horse 2: Lane Schmitt  
Bill Helgeson Memorial Award: Scott Schmitt

Grand Ranch Horse Level 1: Laramie Pursley  
Grand Ranch Horse Level 2: Scott Schmitt  
Grand Ranch Horse Level 4: Lane Schmitt  
Grand Driving: Grant Tilleman  
Grand Horseless Horse: Hayley Riphenburg  
Reserve Horse Showing: Naomi Terry  
Grand Beginning Solo: Madison McCann  
Reserve Beginning Solo: Hannah Weber  
Grand Intermediate Solo: Alana Smith  
Grand Intermediate Solo: Laurel White  
Grand English Level 2: Madison McCann  
Grand English Level 3: Scott Schmitt

Grand Market Beef: Tyrel Obrecht  
Reserve Market Beef: Lane Schmitt  
Grand Senior Market Beef Showman: Tom Mohar  
Reserve Senior Market Beef Showman: Shandel Fouts  
Grand Junior Market Beef Showman: Robby Buck  
Reserve Junior Market Beef Showman: Merle Young

Grand Champion Overall Angus Breeding: Scott Schmitt  
Grand Cow/Calf Pair: Hallie Conlan  
Reserve Cow/Calf Pair: Scott Schmitt  
Grand Heifer: Scott Schmitt  
Reserve Heifer: Casey Young  
Grand Sr. Beef Breeding Showman: Hallie Conlan  
Reserve Sr. Beef Breeding Showman: Lane Schmitt  
Grand Jr. Beef Breeding Showman: Merle Young  
Reserve Jr. Beef Breeding Showman: Scott Schmitt

Grand Market Swine: Merle Young  
Reserve Market Swine: Kayla Hanson  
Grand Sr. Market Swine Showman: Kelsie Hanson  
Reserve Sr. Market Swine Showman: Kayla Hanson  
Grand Jr. Swine Showman: Robby Buck  
Reserve Jr. Swine Showman: Ashton Niederegger

Grand Senior Dog Showman: Kayla Hanson  
Grand Overall Dog Showman: Savannah Smith  
Grand Junior Dog Showman: Alana Smith  
Reserve Junior Dog Showman: Paige Raty  
Grand Sub Novice: Alana Smith  
Reserve Sub Novice: Paige Raty  
Grand Novice: Savannah Smith

Grand Sr. Goat Showman: Tasha Green  
Reserve Sr. Goat Showman: Riley Green  
Grand Jr. Goat Showman: Kayceen Pursley  
Reserve Jr. Goat Showman: Jory Pursley  
Grand Breeding Goat: Jory Pursley  
Grand Market Goat: Riley Green  
Reserve Market Goat: Tasha Green

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Grand Senior Pocket Pet Showman: Dusty Mohar  
Grand Junior Pocket Pet Showman: Kayceen Pursley  
Reserve Pocket Pet Showman: Cortney Gunderson

Grand Champion Cat: Kailey Kleinjan  
Reserve Champion Cat: Megan Widmer  
Grand Senior Cat Showman: Chris Schuldt  
Reserve Senior Cat Showman: Meagan Raty  
Grand Junior Cat Showman: Kailey Kleinjan  
Reserve Junior Cat Showman: Megan Widmer

Grand Champion Poultry Exhibit: Jory Pursley  
Reserve Champion Poultry Exhibit: Jory Pursley

Grand Champion Rabbit: Jasmine Powell  
Grand Junior Rabbit Showman: Madison McCann  
Reserve Junior Rabbit Showman: Talia Johnson

### **Carcass Results**

The Carcass results are on the attached sheets.  
The winners this year are:

Grand Beef Carcass ~ Lyndsay Hutton  
Reserve Beef Carcass ~ Robby Buck  
Grand Swine Carcass ~ Shandel Fouts  
Reserve Swine Carcass ~ Naomi Terry  
Grand Lamb Carcass ~ Christopher Weber  
Reserve Lamb Carcass ~ Tracey Reed  
We will award the trophies at Achievement Night. Congratulations to all of you!

### **Lost and Found**

If you are missing any items from Project Day, Camp or Fair, please let the Extension Office know. We also have several projects that were left in the 4-H Building after the fair. Call the Extension Office if these things belong to you. Big Flat 4-H is also missing their orange and black broom from the sheep barn, please return this broom if you have it.

### **Horse Trail Ride**

The Horse Committee has selected September 7th as the date for the 2008 trail ride. More details about the trail ride will be sent to all the horse project members. Please mark Sunday, September 7th starting at 10:30 at Mark Davies. There will be a potluck after the ride. We will send out postcards telling you what to bring. If you have any questions, please call the Extension Office.

## **Montana 4-H Leadership Forum**

The 2008 Montana 4-H Leadership Forum will be held in Great Falls on September 26-27th. Watch your upcoming newsletters for more information on schedules and workshop titles. We would love to see all of our 4-H leaders attend the forum. It is an amazing experience all 4-H leaders will enjoy.

### **4-H Shooting Sports**

Baker, Montana will be the site of the next State 4-H Shooting Sports Training on September 5th and 6th. All disciplines will be offered which includes 4-H Cowboy Action Shooting, Rifle, Pistol, Shotgun, Archery, Muzzle Loading, Hunting and Coordinator. The cost of registration is \$50 for adults and \$25 for teen leaders (who may assist an adult leader). Lunch on Saturday is included in the registration, but participants will be responsible for their own lodging arrangements. If you are interested in attending, please contact the Extension Office. Registration forms are due August 29th.

### **Blaine County Fair Livestock Sale Checks**

First Bank of Montana brought the Extension Office all the checks they had on Thursday July 24th. We have mailed checks to Kade Friede, Lyndsay Hutton, Reece Hutton, Gavin Maloney, Madison Malsam, Cole McCann, Angel Miller, Garrison Mitchell, Nicky Modic, Meagan Raty, Mikenda Seymour, Zach Snider, Megan Widmer, Kevin Young, and Merle Young. Please watch your mail for your checks.



Congratulations!!!  
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