

## Woohoo!

Kudos to everyone involved for a wonderful Evergreen State Fair! While it's still fresh in your mind, take some time to reflect on what you learned, what you want to change next time, and what you want to be sure to include next year!

Additional thanks to those who helped staff the Extension booth at Fair: Judi, Heather, and Charlie!

## New Stuff:

### Dates for Your 2024-2025 4-H Calendar!

- October 1<sup>st</sup>: Time to re-enroll! 4-H Online opens for the new 4-H year. All youth participants and adult volunteers must enroll annually.
- October 5<sup>th</sup> (Saturday): Explore 4-H Open House 2:30 – 4:00 at the fairgrounds (Monroe). Recruitment opportunity for clubs! All programs represented! Virtual option at 10:00 a.m.
- October 13<sup>th</sup> (Sunday) 4-H Volunteer Recognition dessert potluck! 6 p.m. in the 4-H Building at the fairgrounds (Monroe) Pins, Plaques, and Appreciation! Please **RSVP ASAP with suspected # of volunteer years** to [snoco.4h@wsu.edu](mailto:snoco.4h@wsu.edu) . Thank you!
- October 15<sup>th</sup> (Tuesday): Deadline to turn in record books to Extension office for county-level judging
- Nov. 22-24: Teen Summit! At Camp Casey on Whidbey Island
- December 14<sup>th</sup> (Saturday): Youth Leadership Conference in Everett
- January 31, 2025: Last day to re-enroll (returning youth) before the late fee!
- Feb. 15-17, 2025: Know Your Government conference in Olympia, plus local learning sessions in advance
- Feb. 22-23, 2025: Train Show fundraiser for 4-H Council (countywide benefit)
- June 23-26, 2025: 4-H Teen Conference at WSU Pullman

### Voting

Civic engagement is one of the mission mandates of 4-H! Are you registered to vote? In Washington, you can register online, by mail, or in person up 'til 8 days before an election. You can even register on the day OF the election in person! If you are at least 18 years old, prepare by [getting registered](#), if you aren't already!

### Explore 4-H Open House

The annual open house is a great opportunity to invite new families to find out more about 4-H. Saturday, October 5<sup>th</sup>, 2:30 – 4:00 p.m. at the fairgrounds. (Virtual option also available 10 – 11:30 a.m.)

Each 4-H program needs representation, and clubs are also welcome to recruit new members! Let us know if you would like a table for your club! Helpers are also needed to set up and break-down tables, chairs, and sandwich boards. Please contact [Beth.wangen@wsu.edu](mailto:Beth.wangen@wsu.edu) or text/call 425-320-9971 if you can help! Thanks!

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