



4-H Tuesday News



Features

Washington State 4-H Equine Contest Registrations

WA State 4-H Equine Contest Registrations Registration is open (in [4-H Online](#)) for the Washington State 4-H Equine Contests:

State Equine Presentations Contest: March 22, 2025 (Registration closes March 1)

State Hippology Contest: May 3, 2025 (Registration closes April 1)

State Horse Bowl Contest: May 4, 2025 (Registration closes April 1)

The Equine Presentation Contest continues to be hosted virtually via Zoom. The Hippology and Horse Bowl Contests will be held at the Grant County Fairgrounds in Moses Lake, WA.

Additional contest details will be shared with coaches and participants upon registration. In the meantime, here are the important highlights:

NEW THIS YEAR: Contest registrations are hosted in [4-H Online](#), requiring each 4-H member participant to sign in to 4-H Online and register themselves for the contest(s) in which they have qualified.

Each Coach must also log in to 4-H Online to register themselves and provide information about their team.

for the 5th member of a Horse Bowl Team.)

Contestants may be selected by any procedure their county deems appropriate (e.g., a qualifying county event, application process, etc.).

Coaches are responsible for working with their county to ensure compliance with all WSU 4-H Policies and Procedures, including WSU EP-14, for chaperone, travel, and overnight considerations that may be necessary to participate.

All contest rules and study sources can be found on the [Washington State 4-H Horse webpage](#) under the Contest Resources, Dates, and Entry Information tab.

If you have any questions about contests or 4-H Online registration, please contact Kim Baker, WA State 4-H Equine Coordinator: kim.baker@wsu.edu or 425-520-3908.

2025 UI/WSU Youth Livestock Field Days Registration Open Now!

University of Idaho and Washington State University Youth Livestock Field Days provide research-based information to 4-H and FFA members regarding the production, showing and marketing of youth livestock projects that meet or exceed livestock industry standards and consumer expectations.

Cost to attend is \$10 per person, for all youth and adults. Lunch is provided. Registrations can be submitted at https://bit.ly/clearwater_events . Space is limited, don't wait!

Event Dates and Registration Deadlines:

Horse: March 8, registrations due March 1

Advanced Field Day: March 15, registrations due March 8

Swine: March 22, registrations due March 15

WSU Lincoln/Adams County Hosting Livestock Nutrition & Health Workshop: February 1st

Youth members will participate in eight rotating learning stations presented by students of the WSU College of Veterinary Medicine, as well as participate in group discussions. Lunch will be provided. The event takes place at the Lincoln County Fair and Event Center, in Davenport. Registrations are due by January 24th. Scan the QR code in the flyer linked below, or visit <https://extension.wsu.edu/lincoln-adams/lincoln-county-extension-livestock-nutrition-health-workshop/>

Flyer (PDF)

4-H Livestock Clinic 2025 in Spokane: February 1st

Join a full day of hands on learning for market livestock youth, beginners to advanced! Come learn and grow from the pasture to the show ring! Open to 4-H and FFA!

Workshops run 9 am to 3 pm at the Spokane County Extension Office. Cost is \$20 each lunch provided for youth attendees; adult lunch \$5. Register at <https://forms.gle/Z22gf1wyRJYE3hi28> by January 27th.

Questions? Contact Kate: kmccloskey@spokanecounty.org or 509-477-2165.

4-H Livestock Super Saturday 
Beginner & Advanced Classes
SWINE CATTLE SHEEP GOATS
<https://forms.gle/hwEkddIHbPu4hUMe8>
WHO: All 4-H & FFA welcome
WHEN: Saturday Feb. 1st 2025 9am-3pm
WHERE: WSU Spokane County Extension Office
HOW MUCH: \$20.00 lunch provided
DUE Monday Jan. 27th



Extension programs and employment are available to all without discrimination. Evidence of noncompliance may be reported through your local Extension office. Reasonable accommodations will be made for persons with disabilities and special needs who participate in 4-H events and programs. Contact Kate McCloskey at the Spokane 4-H Extension Office at 222 N. Haven, Spokane, (509) 477-2165, kate.mccloskey@spokanecounty.org at least two weeks prior to the event.

Washington Swine Information Day: February 7th

The Washington Swine Information Day will be held on February 7, 2025, from 9:00 AM until 4:30 PM at the Pillar Rock Grill (Moses Lake Golf & Country Club) in Moses Lake, Washington. Swine producers of all sizes; 4-H/FFA youth producers; agency representatives; agriculture educators; and fair/show representatives are invited to participate. The event has been organized and sponsored by Washington Pork Producers, National Pork Board Checkoff, and Washington State University Extension.

Washington Swine Information Day features an array of presentations that have been organized to meet the diverse and unique needs of Pacific Northwest swine producers. The theme for the day is “Managing for Healthy Productive Pigs to Produce High Quality Pork”.

Registration for the day’s event is \$25 per person and includes seminar, handouts, lunch and break refreshments. An all-day youth registration, \$15, is also available to 4-H and FFA members. Individuals may also attend just the afternoon session for \$10. There is a \$15 per person late charge for registrations postmarked after January 28, 2025. Please pre-register so we can ensure adequate accommodation and meals. A complete seminar agenda and registration brochure is available at <https://extension.wsu.edu/animalag/event/swine->

[information-day/](#) or by contacting Sarah M. Smith, WSU Extension Regional Specialist at smithsm@wsu.edu or (509) 754-2011, Ext 4363. To register with a credit card, go to www.BrownPaperTickets.com and enter event number 6516311. Additional funding for this event was made available by Pork Checkoff funding.

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