Clovers To.....

All 4-H members that participated in the Nodaway County Regional Shoot on Saturday May 2, 2015. Participants included:

**Andrew County:** Delaney Case, Shelby Chambers, Owen Davies, Zach Elgert, Grace Fields, Sam Fields, Tanna Klein, Zoe Matlack, Caden Morris, Conrad Morris, Drake Pendleton, Gage Stiles, Zach Wright, and Conner Young.

**Buchanan County:** Adriana Budine, Dylan Ellis, John Gach, James Kram, Clinton Walker, and Kaylin Walker.

**Holt County:** Bryan Nowling

Members who placed include:

**Compound Release:** Owen Davies, Andrew County, 2nd Place Junior Division, Conner Young, Andrew County, 1st Place Intermediate Division, James Kram, Buchanan County, 3rd place Intermediate Division, and Delaney Case, Andrew County, 2nd Place Senior Division.

**Compound Fingers:** Adriana Budine, Buchanan County, 1st Place Senior Division.

**.22 Rifle Open Sites, 50 Feet:** John Gach, Buchanan County, 1st Place Intermediate Division, Gage Sties, Andrew County, 2nd Place Intermediate Division, and Conrad Morris, Andrew County, 2nd Place Senior Division.

**Shotgun (Trap):** Conner Young, Andrew County, 3rd Place Intermediate Division.

Way to represent your counties! Thank you to the members, parents, volunteers, judges, and all who help to make 4-H successful in our counties!
Andrew County Fair

**Thursday June 18th**
- **8am** - Public Speaking, Basement of the First Christian Church, Savannah, MO.
- **10am-12pm** - Personal Appearance, Basement of the Andrew County Courthouse, Savannah, MO.
- **3-5pm & 5:30-7pm** - Project Judging, Basement of the Andrew County Courthouse, Savannah, MO.

Contact the Andrew County Extension office for further details.

Buchanan County Fair

**Friday July 24th**
- **6-9pm** - Project Judging, Community Center, Agency, MO.

**Saturday July 25th**
- **9-11am** - Fashion Revue, Community Center, Agency, MO.
- **1-4pm** - Working and General Demonstrations, Community Center, Agency, MO.
- **4-5pm** - Awards Ceremony, Community Center, Agency, MO.

**Sunday August 30th**
- Buchanan County Livestock Show & Sale

Contact the Buchanan County Extension office for further details.

Holt County Fair

**Sunday June 14th**
- **5pm** - Demonstrations, Fashion Revue, and Talent, TJ Hall, Oregon, MO.

**Thursday June 18th**
- **3-5pm & 5:30-7pm** - Project Judging, Basement of the Andrew County Courthouse, Savannah, MO.

Contact the Holt County Extension office for further details.
Upcoming Shooting Sports Dates and Events

State Shoot 2015 Dates:

- August 22nd– State Trap Shoot at Linn Creek
- August 22-23—Archery NFAA 300
- September 19-20—All other events

Rules and Regulations for the 2015 State Shoot can be found at:
http://4h.missouri.edu/go/projects/shootingsports/contests.htm

In order to attend the State Shoot, members must complete all required practice hours and attend at least one regional shooting sports competition.

Show Me 4-H Wares at the Missouri State Fair

The 8th Annual Show Me 4-H Wares sales booth is accepting applications starting May 1 for young entrepreneurs to sell their 4-H products and services at the Missouri State Fair on August 13, 14, 15 and 16, 2015.

Any 4-H member age 11-18, pair of 4-H members, or team of up to three 4-H members from the same club, is eligible to apply to market or sell original products or services. Upon selection, youth will sign up for a 4-hour time slot at the booth. Youth exhibitors will receive a packet of information and participate in a conference call to help them prepare for their appearance at the Show Me 4-H Wares booth.

Starting May 1, 2015, members may apply on 4-HOnline, including:

A thorough description of the product or service, A letter of recommendation from an unrelated adult about the youth and the items to be sold, A quality photo of the items to be sold, Preferred half-day timeslot, August 13-16, Approval of parent/guardian and 4-H county staff, $20 youth exhibitor registration fee, payable to University of Missouri, upon selection.

Online applications are due between May 1-July 1.

More information is available at: http://4h.missouri.edu/events/fair/showmewares.htm
Golfers will tee off for charity at the Sixth Annual 4-H Clover Classic Golf Tournament, to be held June 2, 2015 at A.L. Gustin Golf Course in Columbia.

Monsanto and Great American Insurance Company-Crop Division are presenting sponsors for this year's 4-H Clover Classic.

The shotgun-start tournament fee is $90 per player, and includes cart, green fees, lunch and beverages. With a limit of 36 teams, players and sponsors are encouraged to register early!

The deadline to register is May 22, 2015!

(After May 22, 2015 the registration fee increases to $100 per golfer.)

For questions regarding the golf tournament, contact the Missouri 4-H Foundation at augustinere@missouri.edu or 1-800-642-8041.
Project Leader Meeting Outlines
Rhonda Shafer and Kathy Bondy, regional 4-H youth specialists
Mary Jo Williams and Diana Duncan, state 4-H youth specialists

4-H Center for Youth Development

Preparation for Project Meetings

- Plan carefully. Good beginning is important and pays off with high interest.
- Make your first meeting of each club year organizational meeting for both members and parents.
- Order 4-H project literature beforehand. (4-H Literature and Merchandise Order Form LG911)
  You may not have all project materials prior to the first meeting.
- Prepare needed materials in advance of each meeting... read literature carefully.
- Study leader and/or member guides and adapt to your situation.
- Make a list of skills or practices that members must know to complete the project. Begin with basic ones and introduce advanced ones as the project progresses.
- Give each member definite responsibilities as frequently as possible. Try to fit responsibility to each member's needs.
- Use experienced members, parents, and other in the community as resources.

Project Meeting Outline

The following is a suggested outline for the remaining project meeting for the year:

Interest Getter (15 to 20 minutes)
Ideas including identification quizzes, judging contests, relay skill games, films or slides, a tour of the host member's project and guest speakers.

Skill Session (30 to 50 minutes)
The majority of time spent in most meeting should be spent doing-practicing a job or skill. Be sure to include the elements of experience, sharing, processing, generalizing and applying in your session.

Discussion (15 to 20 minutes)
Use this time for questions and answers, upcoming events, comments on presentations given and assigned, and members' reports on project problems.

Demonstrations (10 minutes)
Ask one member to give a demonstration at each meeting. (This gives 4-Hers a chance to develop and practice demonstrations that will be given at 4-H Club meetings and Achievement Day.)

Record Keeping (10 to 15 minutes)
Allow time for members to work on calendars and 4-H Project Record Y620.

Summary and Assignments (10 to 20 minutes)
Have members summarize the day's meeting. Plan for the next meeting -- where, when and what to bring.

Refreshments and Recreation
Recreation and refreshments are optional, but these activities help to keep the members' interest. Youth leader can plan and organize this portion of the meeting.
The Kodiak Kadettes met on 4/20/15 at the First Christian Church in Savannah. The annual Pig Out had a good turn out and comparable profits from last year. The Senior Prom also had a good turn out of seniors. It was a fun time. Apple Blossom parade will be 5/2. They are looking for 4-Her's to ride on the Ag Expo float. The Andrew County Shootout will be 5/30. Highway clean up is set for 3 p.m. 5/31. The club voted to donate a Walmart gift card to Hannah Baker's family. Kaitlin brought in her hedgehog, Huckleberry. She discussed how to take care of it. Ms. Carol demonstrated how to make origami newspaper pots and performed a science experiment. There were brownies and ice cream for snacks.

Respectfully Submitted,
Ella Jordan
Important Dates to Remember:

May 30 - Andrew County Regional Shoot
June 8 - 4-H Council Meeting 7pm enter south door of courthouse
June 18 - project review 8am Public Speaking
10-Noon personal appearance and demonstration’s basement of courthouse
3-5 and 5:30-7 project judging basement of courthouse, enter SW door
June 20 - parade lineup at 10:15 on Main Street between 10 & 12 Streets
Dress Revue 12 on east side of courthouse
June 23-25 - livestock judging at Andrew County Fair Grounds
June 24 - 4-H responsible for selling food all day long
June 28 - 4-H horse show
July 10 - Recognition forms due in office!!!

The Buchanan County Area Livestock Show and Sale Program Book and Pre-Registration form are now available online!

Visit extension.missouri.edu/buchanan for more information!
Calendar of Events

May

16  Sullivan County Small Animal Clinic
16  4-H Day with the Cardinals
18  Buchanan County 4-H Council Meeting, 7pm
18  Holt Demonstration and Fashion Revue Forms Due
20  Holt County Advisory Board Meeting, 6:00pm
22  Newsletter information due from clubs
30  Andrew County Shoot

June

1-4  4-H Camp Crowder, Trenton, MO
8-11
3-5  State 4-H Congress, Columbia, MO
14  Holt County Demonstration and Fashion Revue Day, TJ Hall 5pm.
15  Buchanan County 4-H Council Meeting, 7pm
18  Andrew and Holt county Achievement Day, Andrew County Courthouse.
26  Newsletter information due from clubs