State Council Update

What’s happening with the State Council?

Our first meeting of the year was a success! We recapped 2017 Teen Conference and Congress and started preparations for this year’s events, including the theme of Teen Conference and Congress (to be announced in the next issue). The regional reps also worked out county assignments, made goals for the upcoming year, and practiced their public speaking skills.

Dates to Remember...

August: Registration is open on 4-HOnline for ALL state events so be sure and register!
Aug 10-20: State Fair
Aug 26: State Livestock Judging Contest
Aug 26-27: State Trap and Archery Shoot
Sept 9: Horse Demonstration and Public Speaking Contest
Sept 16-17: State Shoot
Sept 23-24: Western Heritage and Cowboy Shooting Contest
Sept 30: State Public Speaking Contest

National Recognition Forms DUE:
Different Days per County

Promoting the Clover!

This year Missouri 4-H wants to enhance their social media by spotlighting Missouri 4-H’ers, Clubs, Counties, and Events state wide. If you are interested in being spotlighted on Missouri 4-H and Northeast 4-H social media please send an email to ashlynp1999@hotmail.com that includes your name, club, county, and a brief description of your 4-H involvement! Also, if you have 4-H pictures from a club or county event, please send them so we can show off our amazing youth as much as possible. Along with showing off our talented Missouri 4-H members we hope to gain more followers on our social media pages in order to spread the word about 4-H further and increase attendance at state events, so we would love for you to give Missouri 4-H and Northeast MO 4-H a follow on Facebook and Instagram. Lastly, our biggest goal this year is to have 400 delegates at State Congress in order to pack Jesse Hall! #packjesse is the hashtag we want to start using and promoting in hopes of filling all those seats. We hope that you will join us in promoting 4-H in all the ways that we can!

Fun Facts

- 1 out of every 7 Americans is a former 4-H’er!
- Farming and ranching families make up only 2% of the U.S. population!
- A catfish has approximately 20,000 taste buds!
- Just like snowflakes, no two cows have the exact same pattern of spots!
Meet Your Reps!
An introduction to your Regional and State representatives from the Northeast Region!

Jacob Vaughn
Regional Representative
County: Boone
Club: Sturgeon Goal Seekers
Years on Council: 1
Favorite 4-H Project: Dairy Goats
Fun Fact: I love mimicking accents.
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Heather Snow
Regional Representative
County: Boone
Club: Rock Bridge
Years on Council: 1
Favorite 4-H Project: Sewing & Livestock
Fun Fact: I have lived in 3 different states!
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Ashlyn Peterson
Regional Representative
County: Monroe
Club: Hartford Go-Getters
Years on Council: 2
Favorite 4-H Project: Foods
Fun Fact: I have never broken a bone!
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Holly Hatfield
Missouri State 4-H Foundation Trustee
County: Adair
Club: Fairview Friends – 11 years
Years on Council: 3
Favorite 4-H Project: Sewing
Fun Fact: Ice cream is my favorite food group!
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Taylor Thiessen
Regional Representative
County: Boone
Club: Hallsville Go-Getters
Years on Council: 1
Favorite 4-H Project: Archery
Fun Fact: I love serving others and my community!
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Reed Niemeyer
Missouri 4-H Council Treasurer
County: Pike
Club: Hartford Go-Getters
Years on Council: 3
Favorite 4-H Project: Bacon
Fun Fact: My shoe size is 15!
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