**Willie Bagley to be Inducted into the Missouri 4-H Hall of Fame**

Fifty-three exceptional volunteers from 40 counties will be inducted into the [Missouri 4-H Hall of Fame](#) on **Saturday, August 9 at 3:00 p.m.** at the Fred E. Davis Multipurpose Auditorium, just west of the Missouri State Fairgrounds. Livingston County’s honoree is none other than Willie Bagley, 4-H shooting sports instructor extraordinaire.

Willie Bagley has been a fixture in Livingston County 4-H for over 20 years. While he has been involved in many volunteer roles, his greatest efforts have been evident in the county shooting sports program. Willie is a certified rifle, bb, archery, muzzleloader and western heritage instructor and dedicates countless hours to positive youth development through 4-H Shooting Sports. As a result of Willie’s tireless efforts, the program has grown to average over 100 youth participants and he continues to touch lives through 4-H volunteerism with each year of service.

Please make plans to attend the ceremony if you are available as we honor Willie for his dedication and service!

**Recognition Forms—Member Reports**

**Why do them?**

- Last year, members in Livingston County received 4-H Camp ($50) and Teen Conference ($150) scholarships due to their work on Report Forms.
- A Livingston County youth earned a trip to National 4-H Congress.
- It can help you earn college scholarships.

**How to get started? (Due September 10)**

1. Go to: [http://4h.missouri.edu/recognition/awards/competition.htm](http://4h.missouri.edu/recognition/awards/competition.htm)
2. Find the age level needed, check out the sample forms and tip sheets.
3. Follow instructions!
4. Focus on “what was learned”, not the award received.
5. Need help or tips? Contact the Extension office to set up a time to go over your report form.

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### Monthly Highlights

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| **August** | **3-6** FilmFest  
| | **7-17** MO State Fair  
| | **9** MO State Hall of Fame ceremony—3:00 pm  
| | **15** State Fashion Review Deadline  
| | **23** 4-H Swim Party, Chilli Bay—6-8 pm  
| | **23-24** State Trap Shoot/Arcery |
| **September** | **1** New 4-H Year begins  
| | **6** State Livestock Judging  
| | **10** End of year materials DUE  
| | **13** State Fashion Revue  
| | **15** Shooting Sports Leader Training reg. DUE  
| | **20-21** State Shoot  
| **October** | **2** Fall Review Items DUE in office by 2 pm  
| | **3-5** Shooting Sports Leader Training  
| | **4** State Public Speaking Contest  
| | **5-11** National 4-H Week  
| | **11** Recognition Night/Countywide 4-H Dance |

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**4-H Swim Party!!!**

*When: Saturday, August 23rd 6-8 pm*

*Who: 4-H members and family (each member may bring ONE guest as a 4-H recruitment tool)*

*Where: Chilli Bay*

*Cost: Free!!! (sponsored by the 4-H Council)*

Join us as we celebrate another awesome year of 4-H in Livingston County with your 4-H friends. See you poolside!
Fair Market Animal Sale Summary

Animals sold—215
Average price—$593
No. of buyers—93
Top 5 buyers—Chula Coop, Hutchinson and Company, BTC Bank, Farm Bureau—Joe Neptune, Jerry Litton Family Memorial Foundation

Thanks to all the buyers who helped make this years sale a record setting event.

Upcoming Area Shows/Livestock Events [link]

North Central MO Fair, July 29-Aug. 2
NW MO State Fair, Aug. 28-Sept. 1
Putnam County Fair, Sept. 2-6

State 4-H Shooting Sports Try-outs for 2015 teams

The selection process for the nine state shooting teams begins this fall – after the completion of the State Shoot. 4-H youth selected for the state shooting teams will represent Missouri 4-H at the National Invitational Match to be held June 21-26, 2015 in Grand Island, Nebraska. Any 4-H Shooting Sports member – in good standing with their county program – enrolled in the appropriate project number -- and at least 14 years of age may participate in the selection process. If numbers and space allows, 13 year olds may participate for the experience, but are not eligible for the state team. Nearly all of the team selection process is comprised of multiple try out dates. Each team has a unique process and may have unique pre-registration due date, so read carefully. Written pre-registration is required. Telling the state instructor does not qualify for “pre-registration”. More info at link below, most deadlines are in September and October.

http://4h.missouri.edu/go/projects/shootingsports/contests.htm

FACEBOOK USERS - Join “Livingston 4-H (Missouri)”

https://www.facebook.com/groups/124595659892/

Wanted: Program Ideas!!! If you have an idea for a program for 2014-15 let us know!!!

Happy August Birthdays!

Abby Jones  1  Lylah Smith  12  McKenzie Anderson  20
Molly Jones  2  Rebecca Allred  13  Charli Bassett  21
Skylar Stover  2  Audrey Meservey  13  Sophia Mattson  22
Torrie Stuart  3  Gracie Riddle  13  Carter Allen  22
Marley Anderson  3  Sam Meservey  13  Jaylene Sturguess  22
Hannah Roney  4  Kallie Clark  13  Kayson Shafer  22
Carson Rhodes  5  Jaclyn Hines  15  Taylor McCumber  24
Ella Johnson  6  Rachel Holt  15  Alexis Knumbeir  26
Jordan Hopper  7  Madison Eller  15  Olivia Anderson  26
Sara Hopper  7  Patric Kinseela  15  Selby Miller  27
Haley Rucker  9  Trent Jacobs  16  Wes Helton  28
Grant Warren  9  Kinlei Boley  18  Corbin Rodenberg  29
Devin Dowell  9  Abbey Rounkles  20  Austin Minnis  30
Keeley Shira  10  Luke Thompson  31
Clockwise from top left:
4-H Projects on display in new building, Eli Warren with his Champion broilers, Fashion Review winners (Emalee O’Dell, Meredith Oesch, Marley Anderson, Skylar Dennis, Morgan Brockmeier, Joe Johnson), Super Teen contestants, Fair Royalty (Cyrsten Lollar, Echo Essick, Meredith Oesch, Jocelyn Alkire)
4-H Members Achieve 10,000 Hour Hunger Service Goal, Keep Going

Steve Henness

4-H members across Missouri contributed over 10,500 hours of service to fighting hunger in their communities last year. 4-H clubs and individual youth organized food drives, planted community gardens, hosted dinners, made public presentations, and promoted the Invest an Acre program as part of a yearlong 4-H campaign to find solutions to hunger through service.

According to one regional food bank representative, “4-H opened doors for us that would have taken months to open one-by-one. We are thrilled to have 4-H working alongside of us.”

Livingston County, led by their Youth Civic Leaders Summit team of Teresa Childs, Echo Essick, Justin Stuart, Jaden Stuart and Torrie Stuart conducted an informational booth at the 2013 Livingston County Fair and facilitated a “Can-struction” club challenge that supported hunger awareness and raised a large quantity of food to be donated.

The 2014 Missouri State Fair will present another opportunity for 4-Hers to go above and beyond. A 14-foot Canstruction™ canned food sculpture of the 4-H Clover will be built and on display in the Ag Building, August 7-17, as a tribute to the efforts of Missouri 4-Hers to fight hunger, but more importantly to raise awareness of all that still needs to be done.

4-H youth are challenged to join in the Missouri State Fair food drive by collecting canned food items. Youth can bring canned food items to the fair, or donate them to a local food pantry and report the total number of items collected when they arrive at the fair.

4-H youth accompanied by an adult chaperone can also sign up to work at the 4-H Clover Canstruction™ booth during various days and times throughout the fair, August 7-17.

Many organizations work together to build the Canstruction® project, including the Missouri State Fair, Midwest and St. Louis Ford Dealers, Canstruction® of Mid-Missouri, and Canstruction, Inc.®. Trabue, Hansen & Hinshaw, Inc. and Peckham & Wright Architects are designing and overseeing construction of the sculpture and Bing’s Grocery Stores of Sedalia is donating all of the cans for the project.

Watch the Missouri 4-H Facebook page in early July to see a rendering of the 4-H Clover Canstruction™ sculpture to be built at the fair.

For more information about the 4-H Clover Canstruction™ or how your 4-H group can be involved, please contact Steve Henness, 4-H Center for Youth Development, hennesss@missouri.edu, 573/884-6618.
Officer and Leader Corner

Officers and Leaders-End of Year Materials

End of Year 4-H Materials—pin list and other forms will be passed out at the July 31 4-H Council fair wrap-up/year-end meeting. If you have questions, feel free to contact Pat or Shaun at any time.

Each club is asked to return the following documents to the Extension Office. This ensures accountability for clubs and recognition for members. If you need help completing or have questions, please ask!

☐ Completed Secretary’s book
☐ Completed Treasurer’s book (with audit and year end report)
☐ Completed Seal Application so your club can be recognized
☐ Community Service form
☐ Award Applications
☐ Report Forms

4-H PROJECT BRIEFS

Looking for a way to get started on your new project? The Project Briefs were written for both leaders and members as a supplement to the 4-H project curriculum & offer project ideas, meeting suggestions, demonstration ideas, tours, and more! Project briefs are being developed for each project and will be posted as they are developed. Project briefs are on-line at the Missouri 4-H Website.

http://4h.missouri.edu/projects/briefs/

Need 4-H Curriculum? The Extension Office has a library of curriculum available for checkout! Contact the office or stop by for more information.

Things to do at your August club meeting:

1. Elect officers (optional)
2. Elect Council Representatives (optional)
3. Select your club and assistant club leaders
4. Discuss project leader recruitment and enrollments
5. Emphasize applying for awards, work with youth on Recognition Forms
6. 4-H life can be busy. Consider identifying a co-leader(s). This will help current leaders and help train future leaders.

Did You Know? 4-H members have coverage through American Income Life? Special coverage is also available through the Extension office for special 4-H events.

Most common injuries are trauma suffered while working with a large animal. Typical scenarios are a youth or adult being struck or crushed while working with the animal in an enclosed area. A youth being dragged while hanging on to a large animal that has bolted is another common mishap.

Be sure to follow safety guidelines implemented by your State 4-H Program and the facility housing shows and competitions. Proper supervision by parents or an adult leaders is always and effective deterrent to unexpected accidents. When the unexpected does occur, the American Income Life Special Risk Division provides easy to use claims service to promptly pay medical bills following a covered accident.
4-H Shooting Sports Leader Certification Workshop—4-H YOUTH NEED YOU!!!

http://4h.missouri.edu/go/projects/shootingsports/workshop.htm

WHEN: October 3-5, 2014

1st Session: Friday, Oct 3, 7:15 p.m.

Workshop concludes 3:15 pm – Sunday

WHERE: Blue Mountain Camp

Ironton/Fredericktown, MO (SE Missouri)

COST: $65- includes 5 meals, overnight lodging (1 or 2 nights), and workshop materials

PRE-REGISTRATION: Required by September 15.

Registration is limited and will close when session is full or when the camp is full. All registrations accepted on a first-come, first-served basis...when accompanied by fee. Workshops usually fill up before the deadline....so don’t delay!

Check out the county web page:

http://extension.missouri.edu/livingston

For the newsletter, entry forms, and other 4-H information.