



# Howard County

## Missouri Happenings

March 2019

### 4-H Council

Officers:

President: Jinger Felten  
Vice President: Jamie Thies  
Secretary: Darlene Beaman  
Treasurer: Idie Railton

Next meeting 3/11/19

*\*Regular meetings are scheduled on the 2nd Monday of each month in the Keller Building Library at 5:30 p.m.*

### Club Meetings

Cherry Grove

3rd Sunday at 4:00 p.m.  
Club Leaders: Jinger Felten  
Kristen Felten

Fayette Fellowship

4th Monday at 7:00 p.m.  
Club Leaders: Amy Nation  
Heather Hilgedick

Sharon Boosters

3rd Sunday at 5:00 p.m.  
Club Leaders: Jenny Vroman  
Jessica Gregory

Steinmetz

3rd Sunday at 1:30 p.m.  
Club Leaders: Julie Monnig  
Jamie Thies

Club Leaders, please email any changes in meeting times, location, and dates to [shackelfordjk@missouri.edu](mailto:shackelfordjk@missouri.edu)

### 4-H Council Meeting

4-H Council will be meeting on Thursday, March 13, at 5pm at the Keller Building Library Meeting Room. Youth and club members are invited and encouraged to attend to represent their club.

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**Thank you** to the 4-H and the Howard

County community for coming together for 4-H Feeding Missouri food drive.

Below is a picture of just one load of food collected by the 4-H donation boxes. All donations were taken to the Howard County — The Food Bank for Central & Northeast Missouri



# Upcoming Events

## March 2019

### Newsletter Deadline

Club information, club reports, meeting schedules, or other information needing published, must be turned in by the first of the month.

### Extension Council

#### Officers:

President: Jessica Gregory

Vice President: Bridget Bonecutter

Secretary: Logan Chrislaw

Treasurer: Julie Monnig

Next meeting: March 20, 6:30 p.m.

*\*Regular meetings are scheduled on the 3rd Wednesday of each month in the Keller Building Conference Room 3.*



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[Howard County 4-H](#)

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## March

- March 21 Youth Livestock Production Workshop (SMQA)
- March 21 4-H Council Meeting
- March 22-24 Spring Sports Leader Certification
- March 29-30 Beef Cattle Artificial Insemination School

## April

- April 1 Deadline to Register **Mizzou Trap Academy**
- April 1 Deadline to Register **MU Animal Science Youth Leadership Academy**
- April 1 Deadline to purchase tickets for **4-H Day at the Cardinals**
- April 12-14 Hunting and Outdoor Skills Leader Certification Workshop
- April 18 Goat and Sheep Weigh In: 5:30 p.m. Howard County Fair Grounds
- April 22 Swine Weigh In: 5:00 p.m. Howard County Fair Grounds
- April 27 2019 Cooper County 4-H Cattle Grooming Clinic

## May

- May 1 Last day to register for **Public Speaking Academy**
- May 3-5 4-H Western Heritage and Cowboy Shooting Volunteer Training
- May 11 18th Annual 4-H Day with the Cardinals
- May 29-June 1 MU Animal Science Youth Leadership Academy

## June

- June 10-13 4-H Camp
- June 12-13 Public Speaking Academy
- June 15 Deadline for Missouri State Fair
- June 25-30 Howard County Fair

## **Background checks ARE required for all volunteers**

Background checks are completed annually on all *active* volunteers. This includes any adult, age 18 or older. You can print background forms on-line or pick up in Extension Office.

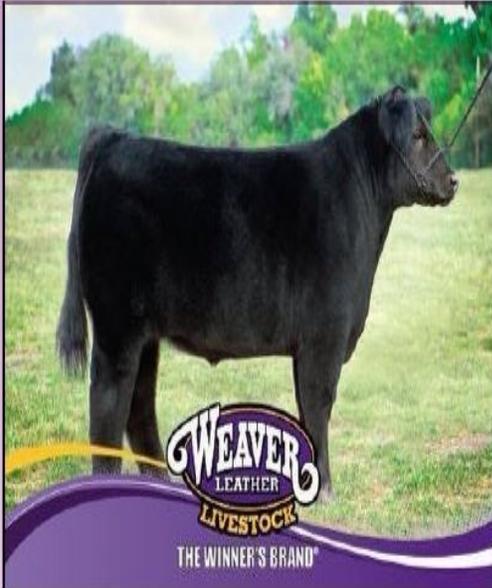
**[www.4honline.com](http://www.4honline.com)**

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JOANN



JoAnn's Fabric Partners with 4-H JOANN stores are connecting more young people to experiences where they can learn by doing, creating and making. By providing local 4-H Clubs with resources and tools to run impactful programs, JOANN will help bring the 4-H experience to more kids in need. Through this new partnership, current members, parents of members, volunteers and 4-H staff can save 15% off total in-store and online purchases every day with 4-H Rewards. JOANN will give a minimum of 2.5% of every eligible transaction to support 4-H programming. To learn more and to sign-up: <http://www.joann.com/4-h/>



## 2019 Cooper County 4-H Cattle Grooming Clinic

Saturday, April 27, 2019

Prairie Home Fairgrounds  
Fair Rd. Prairie Home, MO



\$10.00 per person

Open to Missouri 4-H and FFA Members

*For Beginners to Advanced Exhibitors ages 8-21!*

*Come join the fun!*

Grooming Demonstration & Workshop  
9 a.m.-12.p.m.  
By Brad Hurst  
H & H Show Supplies

Showmanship Clinic  
2 p.m.

\*Please bring your own animals, show supplies, and grooming chutes.

\*Cattle must be halter trained and broke to lead.

\*Lunch will be provided

**Must** RSVP to 660-882-5661 or [gerked@missouri.edu](mailto:gerked@missouri.edu) by  
Friday, March 22nd to be guaranteed a t-shirt!

Attendance prizes from the Weaver Trailer...don't want to miss this opportunity!

Not responsible for accidents.



# 2018-2019 Howard County Fair Changes

- Amendment to rule # 10 of general rules and regulations.

Any exhibit going through the sale must be shown by the exhibitor. In case of a family emergency (i.e., death in the family), the livestock committee chairman must be notified immediately so approval on absence may be voted on by the fair board. An emergency is defined as something unexpected 2 to 3 days prior to exhibiting. The exhibit may be shown in the open show.

- Ham and Bacon

4-H and FFA members who exhibit a ham or bacon must, in order to sell said item have at least one other exhibit in the fair as listed in the fair book.

- Other changes

1. Hams and bacons will be checked in same day as other indoor exhibits.
2. Hams to be exhibited in the 4-H building on racks.
3. Hams will be judged on Tuesday of the fair.
4. Hams and bacons not qualifying for auction but eligible for sale will be moved to ham building on Friday where a silent auction will conducted from 2:00 p.m. until start of livestock sale.

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5. Entries received after June 1st will be accepted with a \$25 late fee until June 14, after which a \$50 fee will be charged until June 19th (Wed before Fair set up) after which late entries will not be accepted.
6. A \$10 fee will be assessed for beef exhibitors who would like to stall exhibits in tent next to livestock building in the old arena. Money must be accepted with registration on June 1st. Stalling in the tent arena is a first come, first serve basis with first 12 registered. They also must be self sufficient (no electric cords running to the barn).
7. Only 50% of hams eligible for sale will be sold at auction.





# 4-H Day at the Cardinals



18th Annual 4-H Day with the St. Louis Cardinals Missouri and Illinois 4-H members, parents, volunteers and alumni will gather at Busch Stadium on Saturday, May 11, 2019 for the 18th annual 4-H Day with the Cardinals.

The Cardinals will be playing the Pittsburgh Pirates in a 1:15 p.m. game. Tickets for the game will be \$25.00 each and includes a specially designed t-shirt featuring the 4-H Clover on the back and the Cardinals emblem on the front.

4-H members, leaders, alumni, and their families who purchase 4-H Day with the Cardinals tickets will have the opportunity to participate in a parade around the Busch Stadium outfield. Pre-game ceremonies will include a recitation of the 4-H pledge and ceremonial first pitches by an Illinois and Missouri 4-H member. As an added bonus the Cardinals give-away item for the game is an adult Cardinals performance t-shirt. The first 30,000 fans age 16 and older will receive the t-shirt.

Tickets for the event must be ordered on the 4-H Day with the Cardinals order form. Ticket order forms are available at your county extension office, or on the web at [www.mo4h.missouri.edu](http://www.mo4h.missouri.edu). Ticket orders must be postmarked by April 1, 2019. Tickets often sell out before the order deadline so families are encouraged to order early. 4-H Clubs, counties, or groups of families who would like to be seated together must send their orders in the same envelope. Families can also participate in the 4-H Day with the Cardinals raffle to win prizes such as throwing out the first pitch, autographed baseballs, and tickets to other Cardinal baseball games.

Funds raised through the raffle support Missouri and Illinois 4-H programs. 4-H Day with the Cardinals has raised \$80,000.00 to support Missouri and Illinois 4-H programs in the first 17 years. Complete information about the 4-H Day with the Cardinals raffle is on the ticket order form.

Questions regarding ticket or t-shirt orders should be addressed to Rhonda Shafer at [shaferr@missouri.edu](mailto:shaferr@missouri.edu) or 636-528-4613. For questions about the parade, game day activities or raffle contact Dave Hileman at [hilemand@missouri.edu](mailto:hilemand@missouri.edu) or 636-583-5141.

# 4-H Western Heritage and Cowboy Action Shooting Volunteer Training

May 3-5, 2019

## Saline County 4-H Range in Marshall, MO

Attendees must be present for entire workshop:

- Friday: 6:30 p.m. — Check in
- Friday: 7:30 p.m. — Program begins
- Saturday: 8:30 a.m. — Program begins
- Sunday: 2:00 p.m. — Program concludes

## Registration ends: April 15th, 2019

Registration will be via [4HOnline](#). If you do not have a [4HOnline profile](#), you will need to make one. Profile creation is found on the same page as login. An event registration help guide is found at <http://4h.missouri.edu/doc/MOEventRegistration.pdf>

New programs must send a team of volunteers to this workshop. Counties with current Western Heritage programs may submit one or more volunteers to this workshop.

## Fee:

**\$60** — Fee covers the cost of curriculum, selected resources, noon meals and ammunition used.

## Lodging and meals

Lodging is not included as part of the workshop. Each student is responsible for securing and paying for their own lodging. Three meals are provided; Friday evening and Saturday/Sunday breakfast meals will be on your own. Hotel contact information below.

Check in on May 3rd and check out on May 5th.

- Super 8 660-886-3359
- Marshall Lodge (closest to range) 660-886-2326
- Comfort Inn—Marshall Station 660-886-8080



# **MU Animal Science Youth Leadership Academy**

This four-day program (May 29-June 1) will focus on increasing knowledge of Missouri's diverse and dynamic livestock industry, as well as building participants' leadership and communication skills. Twenty high school students will be selected to participate in the session based upon educational, community, and agricultural involvement, as reflected through an application process. Students will have personalized instruction and interaction with counselors, professors and livestock industry leaders. Cost is \$100/student. Applications are available on the county 4-H website. Applications must be postmarked by April 1, no late applications accepted. The goal of this academy is to develop young leaders within the livestock industry and help prepare them for a successful future in their endeavors. The participants will have the opportunity to enhance their leadership development, learn about current issues regarding livestock production (all species), tour industry leading operations and businesses, and interact with University of Missouri.

<https://cafnr.missouri.edu/summer-academies/animal-sciences-youth-leadership-academy>



# Public Speaking Academy

## Overview



June 12-13, 2019

CMU Campus, Fayette

Youth who participate at this exciting invitational event are guided through the basics and finer points of writing and delivering a speech, in a non-competitive setting. The Public Speaking Academy is open to all youth ages 11-13 who are interested in learning more about public speaking. One does not have to be a 4-H member to attend. Academy spaces are limited to a maximum of 20 and will be filled on a "first come" basis.

The academy takes place at the Central Methodist University campus, with caring adult chaperones there to help every step of the way.

Questions about the Public Speaking Academy may be directed to Patty Fisher at [fisherp@missouri.edu](mailto:fisherp@missouri.edu).

[Public Speaking Academy Brochure and registration information.](#)

Cost is \$100.

Registration is due by May 1, 2019.

[How to print your Health Form from 4HOnline.](#)



**Has your child signed up for  
a project that you're not  
sure about ???**

**Not a problem! Come in and  
see what the library has to  
offer. The Howard County  
Library has information on  
every project that  
4-H offers.**



# Mizzou Trap Academy

The Mizzou Trap Academy is an opportunity for high school juniors and seniors to learn skills in a competitive, constructive and fun environment. In combination with shooting, all participants will gain information on programs, scholarships, and ways to advance collegiate study opportunities in Natural Resource Recreation Management, Recreation Management and Sport Management. Shooters will be selected on their active and future pursuit of competitive shooting and interest in higher education. Squads will be selected providing a cross-section of skills, scores, and passion for shooting. The 2019 Mizzou Trap Academy is set to take place on July 20-22 at Prairie Grove Shotgun Sports and Mizzou campus and will be open to 20 eligible shooters. Please visit our website to learn more about our program and application requirements. Applications are due April 1.

<https://cafnr.missouri.edu/summer-academies/trap-academy>

## Missouri 4-H Foundation Community Service

Through generous grants from **Crader Distributing** and **Stihldealers.com**, as well as **DuPont Pioneer**, the Missouri 4-H Foundation offers grants of up to \$1,000 to match funding for a 4-H Community Service project.

- Projects are youth-driven: youth are involved in planning, fundraising and execution.
- Projects offer youth opportunities to serve, work and develop life skills.
- Projects reflect youth/community partnerships.
- Projects are geared to the skill level of youth participants.
- Projects demonstrate a "Return on Investment" in the community.

Applications must be completed electronically and submitted to the Missouri 4-H Foundation at [4hfoundation@missouri.edu](mailto:4hfoundation@missouri.edu).[\(opens in new window\)](#)

We highly encourage you to read [How to write a winning Missouri 4-H Foundation Community Service grant application \(PDF\)](#)[\(opens in new window\)](#) before applying for funds.

# Buy a Star, Help Extension Shine

YOUR HOWARD COUNTY EXTENSION CENTER IS EXPANDING!

## Remember Your Gift is Tax Deductible

### AVAILABLE SPONSORSHIP LEVELS

We are growing and serving the community more every day. Howard County Extension will be gaining an additional full time faculty member, a Nutrition and Health Specialist. This position will also serve as the Community Engagement Specialist, with the central role to engage intentionally and comprehensively with the County.

We have acquired the additional necessary space in the Keller Building, however, it is a blank space with old carpet and bare walls. We are asking for your assistance to make the space usable. Howard County Extension Center can only achieve its goals with the assistance of generous donations from members of our community. Your generous donation will help us better serve the needs of the Howard County community.

\_\_\_ \$250 Gold Sponsorship: Name or business name will be engraved on a gold star and placed on the permanent mural outside the office in the Keller Building. You will also be recognized on our Facebook page and in the local papers.

\_\_\_ \$150 Silver Sponsorship: Name or business name will be engraved on a silver star and placed on the permanent mural outside the office in the Keller Building. You will also be recognized on our Facebook page.

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Do you have a logo?

No\_\_ Yes\_\_

If yes, please send as a .jpg to  
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Please make check payable to:  
Howard County Extension  
600 W. Morrison, Suite 17  
Fayette, MO 65248

Yes, I would like to sponsor the Howard County Extension renovation!

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