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CLOVERLEAF

August 2023

Hello 4-Her's, Leaders and Parents,

It is fair time! Can't wait to see all your amazing work that you have done over the year on your exhibits. Please check out the schedules for both the Torrance County Fair and NM State Fair in the newsletter. There are lots of fun events for both fairs that you can join in on.

Great job on the fair clean-up days!

Make sure to check out the dates and times for all the upcoming events!

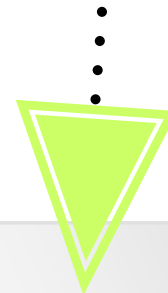
If you have any questions or need any help please call or email the Torrance County Cooperative Extension office.

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Happy Birthday Wishes To:

Coy Phillips

ChloeJean Harral

Randy Romero

Quintin Hritz

Santiago Chavez

Brody Encinias

Cecilia-Ray Anaya



For all 4-H related items check out:

Facebook – NMSU Torrance County 4-H
<https://www.facebook.com/torrancenm4h>

Instagram - torrancenm4h
<https://www.instagram.com/torrancenm4h/>

All Torrance County CES programing:

Facebook—NMSU Torrance County Cooperative Extension Service
<https://www.facebook.com/NMSUTorranceCES/>

Torrance County ICAN: Facebook—NMSU ICAN Torrance
<https://www.facebook.com/NMSUICANTorrance>



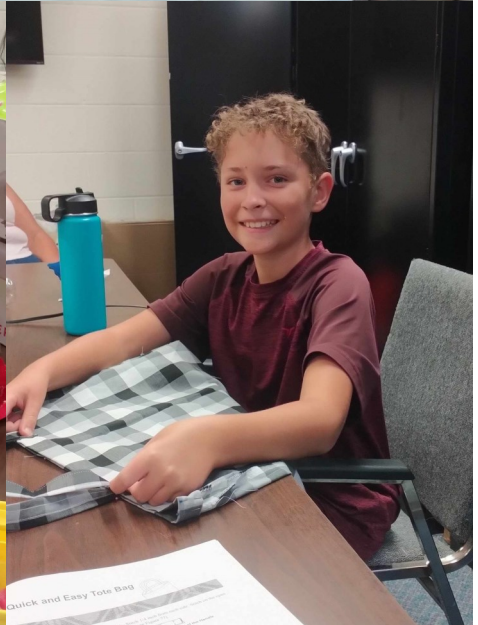


FAIR CLEAN-UP





WORKING ON PROJECT COMPLETION FOR THE FAIR



COME JOIN US AT THE TORRANCE COUNTY FAIR!

Calendar of Events

Saturday July 29th, 2023

Estancia Torrance County Fair Old Timer's Day Parade Line-up
Parade Event
Gymkhana Rodeo Registration begins
Gymkhana Rodeo Event

Saturday August 5th, 2023

Royalty Contest Events in East Torrance Complex Building (next to fairgrounds)

9:00am
10:00am
12:00pm
1:00pm

Royalty Contest Registration begins
Royalty Registration Closes
Royalty Contest

Tuesday August 8th, 2023

Red Barn Exhibits Open Tuesday - Friday (Hours to be announced)

7:00am - 10:00am
9:00am - 7:00pm
9:00am - 12:00pm
10:00am

Livestock Check-in for *All Animals*
Check-in Indoor Exhibits (Including special cake)
Check-in Farm Mechanics Exhibits
Weigh-in of Market Animals

Wednesday, August 9th, 2023

9:00am - 1:00pm
9:00am - 11:am
10:00am - 7:00pm
11:00 - 12:30pm
1:00pm

Indoor Exhibits Judging CLOSED to The Public
Dairy Goat and Pygmy Goat Show
Commercial Booths Open
Indoor Exhibits Open to the Public
Market Goat Show (Open, Market, TCB, Showmanship)
Booster Show to Follow
Pie Contest Open To Public
Baked Goods and Candy Taste Off!
4:00pm
4:00pm

BINGO sponsored by DWI Prevention- East Torrance Complex
Market Lamb Show (Open, Market, TCB, Showmanship)
Booster Show to Follow

Thursday August 10th, 2023

8:00am

10:00am - 6:00pm
10:00am - 7:00pm
11:00am
2:00pm
3:00pm
4:00pm
6:00pm - 8:00pm
6:00pm

Market Swine Show (Open, Market, TCB, Showmanship)
Booster Show to Follow
Indoor Exhibits Open to the Public
Commercial Booths Open
Poultry and Rabbit Shows
Dairy Heifer Show
Heifer and Steer Show
BINGO sponsored by DWI Prevention - East Torrance Complex
Declare Sales Animals
Shepherds and Sheep Wool Lead & Cotton Extravaganza

Friday, August 11th, 2023

8:00am - 10:00am
9:00am
10:00am
10:00am - 3:00pm
12:00pm
2:00pm
3:00pm - 6:00pm

Non-Sale Animals will be Released
Indoor Exhibits Open to Public
Pet Show in the Show Arena
Commercial Booths Open
East Torrance County Soil and Water Conservation Event
Homemade Cookie Contest open to Public - in the Show Arena
Check-Out all Indoor/Outdoor Exhibits
Check-Out Livestock
(Exhibitors must fill out a release form and clean pens)
5:00pm
6:00pm

American Legion Flag Ceremony
Junior Animal Sale



Food Trucks!
Rock Climbing Wall!



Estancia FFA
WEDNESDAY
GAMES
PRIZES
POPSICLES



4-H BBQ

FRIDAY

4-6 PM



Excavator Simulator Games!



Watershed
Simulator



THURSDAY!
See Tractors
Corn Hole Fun
Kids' Calf Roping
Practice

Come meet the Farm
Bureau
Join Farm Bureau
and be entered into a
drawing for a YETI
cooler!



BINGO!



Torrance County Cooperative Extension Service

4-H BBQ FUNDRAISER

FRIDAY, AUGUST 11, 2023

TORRANCE COUNTY FAIR GROUNDS

4:00 PM – 6:00 PM

\$12 DINNER BRISKET AND SIDES



Food graciously
provided by



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If you are an individual with a disability who is in need of an auxiliary aid or service to participate, please contact Debby Maberry in advance at (505) 544-4334 or maberryd@nmsu.edu

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TORRANCE COUNTY FAIR DANCE

When: August 10, 2023

Time: 8pm-12

Where: Torrance County Fair Grounds Show Arena

Food & Drinks will be available for the kids at no cost for as long as it lasts.

Please help spread the word and let's dance the night away!!!

NO Cost just come join the fun!!!



Hands Heart Head Health

LIBRARY MINI GOLF

PLAY YOUR WAY THROUGH THE STACKS



TEEN NIGHT

ESTANCIA PUBLIC LIBRARY

FRIDAY, AUGUST 25

5PM–7PM

AGES 13– 17



Make your own *salsa, smoothies, and nachos*



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COMMUNITY GARDEN

Supported by Torrance County Cooperative Extension Service
and East Torrance Soil & Water Conservation District

Looking for a place to grow fruits, vegetables, herbs, and flowers? Looking for a place to meet your neighbors and learn and share gardening techniques?



The Community Garden is located in southwest corner of the Torrance County Fair Grounds in Estancia, NM.

Items that are harvested will be distributed to community members.



For more information or to volunteer, please scan the below QR Code



Contact:
Torrance County
Extension Office
505-544-4333

**Everyone
is
Welcome**

*Come get your hands dirty
or just learn about
gardening.
No green thumb required*



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2023 New Mexico State Fair

Schedule of Events

Schedule & Rules are Subject to Change

Pattern Energy Junior Livestock Pavilion- JLP

Thursday, September 7th

- 9:00 a.m. Wool Show Fleece Arrival Begins
- 5:00 p.m. Wool Show Fleece In Place

Friday, September 8th

- 8:00 a.m. Jr.Rabbit/Cavy Show Arrival Begins
- 9:00 a.m. Wool Show - JLP
- 9:30 a.m. Sheep to Shawl - JLP
- **Demonstrations take place daily from 9:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.*
- 10:00 a.m. Milking Demonstrations, JLP
- 7:00 p.m. Jr.Rabbit/Cavy Show In Place

Saturday, September 9th

- 8:00 a.m. Jr. Rabbit/Cavy Show - Rabbit/Poultry Building
- 8:00 a.m. Open Angus, AOB & Hereford Cattle Arrival Begins
- 8:00 a.m. Agriculture Public Speaking Contest
- 8:00 a.m. Agriculture Science Fair
- 9:00 a.m. Jr. Poultry Show - Rabbit/Poultry Building

- 9:30 a.m. Sheep to Shawl - JLP
***Demonstrations take place daily from 9:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.*
- 10:00 a.m. Milking Demonstrations, JLP
- 12:00 p.m. Jr. Market Goats/Wether Does In place - JLP
- 1:00 p.m. Jr. Market Goats/Wether Does - Weights due Online
- 4:00 p.m. Wool Lead Show - JLP
- 5:00 p.m. Market Swine MUST be in place
- 5:00 p.m. Market Swine - Weight Due Online
- 7:00 p.m. Jr. Market Beef/Market Heifers/Jr. Breeding Heifers - In place

Sunday, September 10th

- 8:00 a.m. NM Bred Swine Show - Swine Barn
***MKT Hog Showmanship, 30 minutes after conclusion of the show
Swine Show*
- 8:00 a.m. Open Angus, AOB & Hereford Cattle Arrival/Check In Begins
- 9:30 a.m. Sheep to Shawl - JLP
***Demonstrations take place daily from 9:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.*
- 9:30 a.m. Wether Doe Show - JLP
- 10:00 a.m. Milking Demonstrations - JLP
- 11:00 a.m. Jr. Market Goat Show - JLP
- 12:00 p.m. Jr. Market Sheep & Jr. Commercial Ewes In place - JLP
- 2:00 p.m. Jackpot Steer, Breeding Heifer & NM Bred Steer Show Check-in
& Weights due
- 4:00 p.m. Classify Jr. Market Lambs - JLP
- 4:00 p.m. Open Angus, AOB & Hereford Cattle Arrival/Check In Ends
- 5:00 p.m. NMSF Jackpot Steer, Breeding Heifer & NM Bred Steer Show
- 6:00 p.m. Jr. Market Lamb & Jr. Commercial Ewes - Weights Due Online

Monday, September 11th

- 8:00 a.m. Jr. Market Hog Classification & Show - Swine Barn
- 9:00 a.m. Classify/Check in Jr. Market Beef/Market Heifers - JLP
- 9:30 a.m. Sheep to Shawl - JLP

***Demonstrations take place daily from 9:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.*

- 10:00 a.m. Brangus Move-In Beef Barn
- 10:00 a.m. Milking Demonstrations - JLP
- 11:00 a.m. Jr. Market Beef/Market Heifer Weights Due Online
- 1:00 p.m. Open Angus Cattle Show – Beef Barn
- 2:00 p.m. Open AOB Cattle Show - Beef Barn
- 3:00 a.m. Open Hereford Cattle Show – Beef Barn
- 4:00 p.m. Breeding Heifer - Check In Due Online
AOB/Commercial Heifer - Weights Due Online
- 5:00 p.m. Replacement Dairy must be in place -Check In: ONLY between 8 - 5

Tuesday, September 12th

- 8:00 a.m. Open Rabbit Arrival Begins
- 9:00 a.m. Jr. Commercial Ewe Show - JLP
- 9:30 a.m. Sheep to Shawl - JLP

***Demonstrations take place daily from 9:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.*

- 10:00 a.m. Jr. Market Lamb Show - JLP
- 10:00 a.m. Milking Demonstrations - JLP
- 1:00 p.m. Jr. Replacement Dairy Heifer Show - Beef Barn
- 3:00 p.m. Brangus Cattle In Place
- 3:00 p.m. Calf Scramble Meeting - TBD
- 7:00 p.m. Open Rabbits must be In Place

Wednesday, September 13th

- 8:00 a.m. Open Rabbit Show - Rabbit/Poultry Building
- 9:00 a.m. Jr. Market Steer/Market Heifer Show - JLP
- 10:00 a.m. Open/Jr. Dairy Cattle Show – Beef Barn
- 9:30 a.m. Sheep to Shawl - JLP

***Demonstrations take place daily from 9:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.*

- 10:00 a.m. Milking Demonstrations - JLP
- 2:00 p.m. Jr. Breeding Heifer Show – JLP (Following the Market Steer/Heifer show)
- 7:00 p.m. Calf Scramble - Tingley Coliseum

Thursday, September 14th

- 9:30 a.m. Sheep to Shawl - JLP
***Demonstrations take place daily from 9:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.*
- 10:00 a.m. Brangus Jr. Breeding Heifer Show – Beef Barn
- 10:00 a.m. Milking Demonstrations - JLP
- 1:00 p.m. Livestock Judging Contest – JLP
- 7:00 p.m. Parade of Champions - Tingley Coliseum

Friday, September 15th

- 9:00 a.m. Brangus Open Show – JLP
- 9:30 a.m. Sheep to Shawl - JLP
***Demonstrations take place daily from 9:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.*
- 10:00 a.m. Milking Demonstrations - JLP
- 11:00 a.m. Jr. Livestock Sale Registration opens - Horse Arena
- 12:00 p.m. Open Poultry Arrival Begins
- 12:00 p.m. Texas Longhorns Move in - Beef Barn
- 1:00 p.m. Jr. Livestock Sale – Horse Arena
- 7:00 p.m. Open Poultry must be In Place
- 5:00 p.m. Texas Longhorns must be In Place

Saturday, September 16th

- 8:00 a.m. Open Poultry Show – Rabbit/Poultry Building
- 8:00 a.m. Youth Dairy Goat Show/ Showmanship - JLP
Open Youth Dairy Goat Show, Youth Sr. Dairy Goat Show, Open Sr. Dairy Goat Show, Southwest Dairy Goat Association Club Show, all to follow
- 9:00 a.m. 4-H Cooking Challenge – Youth Hall
- 9:00 a.m. Table Top Serama Chicken Show – Poultry Building
- 9:30 a.m. Sheep to Shawl - JLP
***Demonstrations take place daily from 9:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.*
- 10:00 a.m. Milking Demonstrations - JLP
- 10:00 a.m. 4-H Dog Show - JLP
- 10:00 a.m. Texas Longhorn Open & Junior Show – Beef Barn

1:00 p.m. Navajo Sheep Show - JLP

Sunday, September 17th

9:30 a.m. Sheep to Shawl - JLP

***Demonstrations take place daily from 9:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.*

10:00 a.m. Milking Demonstrations - JLP

10:00 a.m. Texas Longhorn Open & Junior Show (Day 2) – Beef Barn

1:00 p.m. Rooster Crowing Contest – Rabbit/Poultry Building



New Mexico State 4-H Horse Show

New Mexico State Fair

Indoor Horse Arena

Saturday, September 16, 2023, 9:00am

For further information:

Website: southwestshowmanagement.com

Email: southwestshowmgmt@gmail.com



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NM 4-H Adult Forum Registration Scholarships Available

By Cheryl Butterfield
State 4-H Agent
Volunteer Leadership Development

First Timer Registration Scholarships

Eight, \$20 registration scholarship applications will be available in August for 4-H Leaders attending the Forum for the first time. You must submit a completed 4-H Adult Forum registration form AND payment, along with your completed Scholarship application. If you are selected, you will receive the scholarship funds following the event. Registration materials and the Scholarship Application form will be available in August from the New Mexico 4-H Web site (under the 'Adult Volunteers Leader' tab) or from your County Extension Office.

Please consider participating in this year's 4-H Adult Forum where you will meet other adults involved in 4-H; hear a motivational speaker; participate in workshops, a community service project, Make and Take activities, silent auction and more! Come for a full day of fun, networking and education. Registration includes the workshops, speaker, special activities, lunch, and breaks. It is a bargain at \$40 if registered before October 15. Click here for the First Timer Registration Scholarship Application at <https://aces.nmsu.edu/4h/documents/2018-4-h-adult-forum-registration-scholarship-application-form.pdf>.

Gerry Copeland Adult Leader Scholarship

One scholarship of \$20.00 will be awarded to a volunteer from each county attending 2023 NM 4-H Forum. To nominate a volunteer, complete the attached form by October 15.

Save the Date New Mexico 4-H Adult Forum 2023



Theme:
*Where in the World
is Chris Clover?*

Date:
November 11, 2023

Location:
Las Cruces, NM

**Schedule - Coming Soon!
Workshops - Coming Soon!
Registration Coming Soon!**

Gerry Copeland was a 4-H leader for several years, but her participation grew in 4-H after her own children graduated. She worked as a 4-H volunteer for 30 years by working on committees, working with the county 4-H ambassadors and taking leadership roles with 4-H leader's association events. She believed in the importance of giving 4-H volunteer leaders the professional development they needed to guide 4-Hers.

When she died in December, 2018, after a brief battle with breast cancer, her friends and family established this award for other 4-H adult leaders in New Mexico, so that they could also grow their skills, confidence, and passion for the 4-H program. Click here for the Gerry Copeland Scholarship Application for Adult Forum at <https://aces.nmsu.edu/4h/documents/4-h-adult-leader-scholarship-application-gerry-copeland-2020.pdf>.

July / August / September 2023 - *Leaderline* - NMSU 5



NM 4-H FOOD CHALLENGE



SEPTEMBER 16, 2023

**NOVICE, JUNIOR & SENIOR
TEAMS (3-5 MEMBERS)**

LOOK FOR FULL RULES AND GUIDELINES COMING MAY 2023

REGISTRATION \$15.00/ TEAM
DUE SEPT 6TH



TAMARA SCHUBERT
TAMSCHUB@NMSU.EDU



Any 4-H Member who is
active in Family and
Consumer Sciences (FCS)
projects may "letter" in FCS.

THE FIRST YEAR

- RECEIVE A "CLOVER" LETTER AS YOU WOULD SEE ON A LETTERMAN JACKET.

NOVICE:

- BRONZE "H" PIN

JUNIOR:

- SILVER "H" PIN

SENIOR:

- GOLD "H" PIN

IN ADDITION, TWO PLATINUM LETTERS WILL BE AWARDED EACH YEAR IN THE FORM OF A PLAQUE. THE PLATINUM LETTERS ARE BASED ON OVERALL ACHIEVEMENT AND MAY BE RECEIVED AT ANY AGE LEVEL.

SEE BROCHURE AND APPLICATION
FOR FULL DETAILS
NM4H.NMSU.EDU/4H/LETTERMAN

FAMILY & CONSUMER SCIENCES LETTERMEN



Forms Due September 1st

ATTENTION 4-H YOUTH:

The 4-H County Council has voted to continue to provide all current Torrance county club members the opportunity for sponsorship of \$75 towards their choice of District, State, or National 4-H Event or Activity. To qualify you must be of 4-H age and be a Member in Good Standings (see below) and not owe any money to your club or county council.

MEMBER IN GOOD STANDING

According to State 4-H policy, a 4-H member shall attend at **least 40%** of all club meeting and activities. If a 4-H member does not meet this requirement, they will not be a member in good standing.

Current Torrance County 4-H By-Laws state for a member to remain in good standing the member must complete the following :

1. **Attend 50% (6) regular club meetings during the current 4-H year and attend (4) prior to County Fair.**
2. **Keep records of projects and turn them into the club leader.**
3. **Give a demonstration or illustrated talk.**
4. **Participate in two or more community service projects and two or more club activities and two or more club or county fundraisers.**
5. **Meet all of the requirements before exhibiting any projects. Members must be enrolled in the projects they are exhibiting.**
6. **Exhibit projects at County/State Fair**

The State 4-H Leaderline

A quarterly newsletter for 4-H volunteer leaders to provide you with the latest 4-H news in New Mexico.

Available at:

<http://aces.nmsu.edu/4h/newsletters.html>

4-H is a **community** of **young people**
 **across America** who are learning
leadership, citizenship and
life skills.

Working With Minors Training - New Year started October 1

As we begin the new year, it is time for our volunteers to take the Working with Minors module for 2021-2022 year. To make this process easier, a reset button has been added. Please share these steps with your volunteers.

Once the volunteer is in his/her/family Zsuite account and has selected his/her profile follow the steps below:

1. Click on Clover Academy on left menu bar
2. Launch Clover Academy
3. Open NM Working with Minors (even though it says completed)
4. Under 'You have earned a certificate' is a button that says "Reset All Course Progress for the New Year (Cannot be undone)'
5. Click on the blue 'Reset All Course Progress for the New Year (Cannot be undone)'
6. Start Course

Complete course and a certificate will be available with the completion date. The county 4-H Zsuite administrator should be able to see the volunteer completion on his/her county page.

Pioneers 4-H Club

Meets 3rd Tuesday @ 6PM

E. Torrance Soil & Water Bldg. Estancia

Kay Sartori (505) 985-8346

gypsymamakay@gmail.com

Alex and Rob Wagner

(505) 459-4610

alexwagner42@gmail.com

Mustang Wranglers 4-H Club

Meets 2nd Monday @ 6PM

Mountainair High School FFA

Agricultural Building

Brenda Cain (505)847-0966

drblmack@aol.com

Jill Encinias (505) 384-2245

jillyroge@yahoo.com

Moriarty Desperados 4-H Club

Meets 2nd Thursday @ 6PM

109 Chavez Road Moriarty

Leslie Chavez (505)328-5837

Tumbleweeds 4-H Club

Meets 2nd Thursday @ 6PM

Call for meeting place

Kaycee Chavez (505)301-9676

Kaycee.riley9@gmail.com



4-H Member Ages for 2022-2023 4-H Year

CLOVERBUDS: 5 to 8 years old AND in Kindergarten, 1st, or 2nd grade

NOVICE: 9 to 11 years old or 8 years old AND in the 3rd grade.

JUNIOR: 12 and 13 years old or 11 years old AND in the 6th grade.

SENIOR: 14 –18 years old OR 13 years old AND in the 8th grade

Youth who are 19 on or by December 31 of the current 4-H year (2023) are not eligible to enroll as a 4-H member. **4-H Ages are based on the Member's Age as of January 1, 2023**



NMSU 4-H Youth Development Facebook Page



This page shares club, county and state events, pictures, upcoming activities, community service projects, individual and club successes and much more. The 4-H Facebook page wants to show off what the states 4-H clubs and counties have done. If your club or county has a page, you can simply go in to like the NMSU 4-H Youth Development page <https://www.facebook.com/NMSU4H/> and begin posting things. If you don't have one just send the information to azemler@nmsu.edu and it will be put on the page.

Find more great information to help make your life easier on the NMSU Pinterest boards. CHECK IT OUT HERE <https://www.pinterest.com/nmcoopext/>



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