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CLOVERLEAF

Your #1 News Source for 4-H News.

NEWSLETTER

SEPTEMBER

2025

"Success is not final;

failure is not fatal:

*It is the courage to continue
that counts."*

—Winston Churchill

And Just like that another County Fair is in the books! We are so proud of all the hard work that our 4-H'ers put into their projects!!

Please be sure to get your Thank You cards filled out ASAP. They are due September 16.

Do not forget any awards that you received, Fair Board or anyone who has helped you out this year as well.

Record books are due in the office by 4pm on Friday, October 31st, 2025. They must be signed by your leaders and turned in by the deadline. There will be no books accepted after this deadline!! First year members: please do not hesitate to ask for help!! There are some helpful tips at the back of the newsletter!

If you need help with your books, please call the office, so we can set up a time for you to come in and Talisha will work with you.

The Extension Office will be closed on Monday, September 1st in observance of Labor Day.

The bills for the concession stand have been mailed, Please get your bills taken care of by October 1st or have made payment arrangements with Talisha and Lynnette in the office.



UPCOMING DATES

**9/1 - Extension Office Closed
Labor Day**

9/6-14 - New Mexico State Fair

9/16 - Thank you Cards Due

**9/30- End of 2024-2025 4-H
Year**

9/11 - Lexi Doherty
9/18 - Waylon Williams
9/22 - Laney Jeffers

*Happy
Birthday!*

9/24 - Cerra Rye
9/26 - Kaiden Gonzales

CLUB

REPORTS

MT. DORA

The meeting was called to order on 8/6/25 at the Union County Fairgrounds. We discussed our fair cleaning duties and concession shifts. We also celebrated Raley's birthday with ice cream and adjourned the meeting.

**Mt. Dora 4-H Club Reporter
Layla Maestas**

FOLSOM

This month our meeting was held on August 18, 2025. The Cloverbuds made crab cup which were super cute and creative! We have started our fundraiser which is selling Little Caesars Pizza and Rada Cutlery. We talked about what we wanted to do for National 4-H Week and then moved on to demonstrations. Wes was the only one that did a demonstration this meeting. His was on "The Different Shotgun Disciplines" which was very interesting. After that the meeting wrapped up. Our next meeting will be held September 15th.

**Folsom 4-H Club Reporter
Molly Jeffers**

CLUB

REPORTS

ROCK N RIDE

*Rock N Ride 4-H Club Reporter
Cerra Rye*

HAPPY ROCK

*Happy Rock 4-H Club Reporter
Monty Crisp*









Important Info

SAVE THE DATE

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NM STATE FAIR

September 6-14, 2025

Albuquerque, NM

SAVE THE DATE

**EASTERN NM STATE
FAIR**

**September 29-
October 4, 2025
Roswell, NM**

SAVE THE DATE

**NM 4-H Adult
Retreat
November 8, 2025
Albuquerque, NM**

CLUB MEETING TIMES & DATES

Folsom

September 15th, 2025
Time: 5:00pm
Baptist Church
Des Moines

Happy Rock

September 14th, 2025
Time: 2pm
Annex Room

Cloverbuds

September 18th, 2025
Time: 5:45pm
Annex Room

Folsom Cloverbuds

September 15th, 2025
Time: 4:30pm
Baptist Church
Des Moines

Mt. Dora

September 7th, 2025
Time: 2:30pm
Annex Room

Rock 'N' Ride

September 15th, 2025
Time: 5:30pm
Annex Room

Times and Dates are subject to change.
Please check with your leaders to confirm.

Aggie

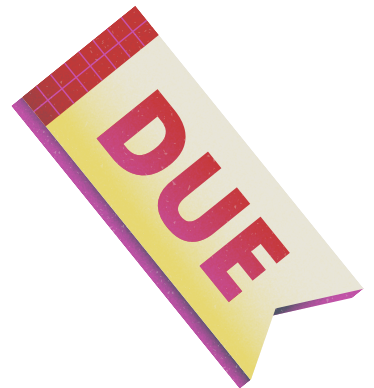
Tips

– Discover What You Can Study
With more than 90 majors to
choose from, NMSU has something
for every interest—whether you
love science, the arts, engineering,
or helping others. Take time to
explore programs that match your
passions at
nmsu.edu/majors

Important Info

DUE DATE!!!

**Record Books
October 31st**



4-H OPEN ENROLLMENT



2025/2026

October 1st 2025





Cutter Davis
Cattle | Hoof Trimming

CUTTER DAVIS (575) 921-6216

HOOF TRIMMING
\$65 PER HEAD
10 HEAD MINIMUM





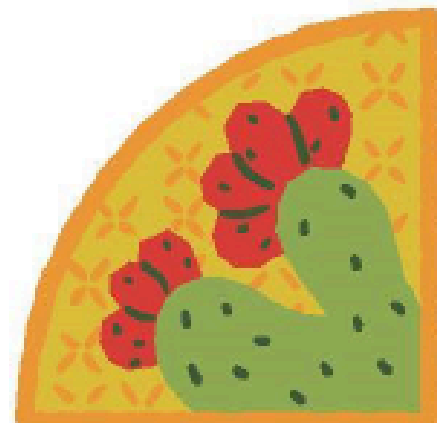
NM STATE FAIR 4-H YOUTH OFFICIALS WANTED!!!

WE ARE LOOKING FOR 4-H YOUTH TO ASSIST WITH THE NM STATE FAIR!

4-H YOUTH WILL HELP TAKE IN COUNTY ENTRIES, ORGANIZE INDOOR EXHIBITS, ASSIST JUDGES, AND HANG UP EXHIBIT DISPLAYS FOR THE STATE FAIR.

FOR APPLICATION INFORMATION, CONTACT YOUR LOCAL COUNTY EXTENSION OFFICE FOR DEADLINE!

- **HOW DO I APPLY?** CONTACT YOUR LOCAL COUNTY EXTENSION OFFICE.
- **WHERE WILL IT BE?** ABQ, NM (NM STATE FAIRGROUNDS)
- **WHEN?** WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 3, 2025
- **WHO CAN APPLY?** SENIOR 4-H MEMBERS





Family & Consumer Sciences Lettermen

APPLY NOW

**ANY 4-H MEMBER WHO IS ACTIVE IN
FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES (FCS)
PROJECTS CAN "LETTER" IN FCS.**

**APPLICATION DEADLINE
TO STATE OFFICE:
OCTOBER 10, 2025**

**THE FIRST YEAR (FIRST-TIME APPLICANT):
RECEIVE A "CLOVER" LETTER.**

NOVICE: BRONZE "H" PIN



JUNIOR: SILVER "H" PIN



SENIOR: GOLD "H" PIN



- 2 PLATINUM LETTERS MAY BE AWARDED IN THE FORM OF A PLAQUE.
- PLATINUM LETTERS ARE BASED ON OVERALL ACHIEVEMENT & OPEN TO ANY AGE LEVEL.
- 4-H SENIOR AWARDEES MAY BE RECOGNIZED AT SENIOR LEADERSHIP RETREAT 2026

Visit NMSU 4-H Website for more info!



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Extension 4-H Youth Development



**2025 New Mexico State 4-H
Buckles will be available for order!**

**Next order will be placed on
November 1, 2025!**

**See details and order form on the
website home page.**

Order Form

Name_____

Address_____

City_____ State _____ Zip_____

Phone_____

Number of Buckles _____

Buckles are \$80 a each x ___\$80___

Total \$_____

Payment can be made with a check or money order. Make checks or money orders payable to the NM State 4-H Foundation.

Buckle size is 3in H X 4in L

Please send order form and payment to NM State 4-H Office, PO Box 30003, MSC 3AE, Las Cruces, NM 88003 **Allow 4-6 weeks for production and shipping.**

Profits will benefit the NM State 4-H Leadership Team.

Please Note

Orders will be placed with Rowdy Silver Custom Designs on the following dates: March 1, May 1, July 1, September 1, and November 1.

Please allow four to six weeks for production and shipping from these order dates not the date your personal order was received. Any orders received after a listed date will be placed on the following date.



CALENDAR



September 6-14, 2025 - New Mexico State Fair
September 16, 2025 - Thank you letters due
September 29-October 4 - Eastern NM State Fair
October 1 - Enrollment for 2025-2026 Year Begins
October 31 - Record Books DUE

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