

San Carlos Eaton Hills 4-H

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Next General Meeting:
Aug. 21, 2011 – Annual Club BBQ and
Recognition & Awards Ceremony

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR STATE AMBASSADORS

Three members of the San Carlos Eaton Hills 4-H Club were selected to be 4-H State Ambassadors for the 2011-2012 program year. Congratulations to Kate Lyn Sutherland, Peri Wong and Peter Warrick!

"The California 4-H State Ambassador Program is a working honor that provides 4-H members expanded opportunities to serve the University of California 4-H Youth Development Program. The 4-H State Ambassador position is one of the highest service opportunities and recognition attainable in the University of California 4-H Youth Development Program. 4-H State Ambassadors are youth who have excelled in the areas of leadership and community service. They are selected to serve the 4-H Youth Development Program in roles that promote leadership through education and service.

4-H State Ambassadors are selected in order to:

- 1. Act as state 4-H representatives to various local, sectional and statewide programs and activities, including providing public presentations, workshops and leadership development opportunities.*
- 2. Coordinate the planning and implementation of the 4-H State Leadership Conference.*
- 3. Provide donor stewardship support to The California 4-H Foundation.*
- 4. Identify needs in the 4-H Youth Development and either develop or recommend strategies for improvement." -from the state 4-H web site*

I know we will hear about their adventures as the year unfolds. We are tremendously proud to have our Club contributing at the state level.

-Maeve Knoth, Community Leader

UPCOMING DATES & EVENTS

July 30	9AM – Noon Farm Clean-up
Aug 21	Club BBQ and Recognition & Awards Ceremony
Sept 18	7AM – 3PM Lions Club Car Show (rescheduled from June 5)
Sept 20	7PM General meeting at Clifford School

Special Summer Edition

In this month's newsletter are announcements from end-of-the year events to share our accomplishments. We have compiled a list of fair-goers including their entries, achievements, competitions and awards.

Congratulations to each and every 4-H Member for finalizing an amazing year.

You are all All-Stars!

~ Community Leaders, Steering Committee and Parents

A Very Special Thank You

I would like to extend a special Thank You to Becca and Vickie Lewitt along with a huge congratulations! Becca and Vickie took Rebecca Bernal (Pacifica 4H) under their wing and she did exceptionally well in Lamb showmanship. She took 1st place in Novice, 2nd place in Juniors' Division and 6th place in Seniors' Division! Without the support and encouragement of Becca and Vickie, she would not have done so well! A HUGE 'thank you' to San Carlos/Eaton Hills for including her in their Lamb project!!

Holly Bernal
Community Leader, Pacifica 4-H

Fair Results

Poultry Results- Bird Judging:

Large Bird American female: Ryan Heitel

2nd place hen: Ryan Heitel

Large Bird Female English (feather leg): Emma Loaiza

Best Female in English Division (Australorp): Emma Loaiza

1st Place Feather Leg (Silkie) Pullet: Emma Loaiza

Best in show Hen: Claire Woodell

2nd place in Single comb, Clean Leg: Maddie Mills

Best Male in Division for Rose Comb, Clean Leg Show Bird: Claire Nolasco

2nd Place Single Comb, Clean Leg Rooster: Claire Nolasco
2nd Place Silkie Pullet: Claire Nolasco
3rd place Silkie Pullet: Claire Nolasco
1st Place English Class Hen – Kate Lyn Sutherland

Market Poultry:

Grand Champion: Peri Wong
Reserve Class Champion: Danielle Grimbsy
Reserve Class Champion (class 8): Claire Nolasco

Poultry Showmanship:

Novice: 4th place: Emma Loaiza
Jr: 2nd place: Maddie Mills
Jr: 3rd place: Summer Weaver
Sr: 2nd place: Peri Wong
Jr. 5th place: Sarah Sutherland
Jr. 8th place: Kate Lyn Sutherland

Rabbit Results/show:

Novice: Nicole Nielson

Cavy Show:

Peruvian: Allysa Montalvo

Single Market Beef and Market Show:

2nd place: Rebecca Lewitt (2 ribbons)

Single Market Goat:

Grand Champion: Danielle Grimbsy

Goat Showmanship:

1st place: Danielle Grimbsy

Single Market Sheep: (categorized by wt. of animal):

Class 1: 3rd place, Summer Weaver

Class 2: Nicole Case

Class 3: (as follows)

1st place: Peri Wong

2nd place: Nicole Case

3rd place: Danielle Grimbsy

Single Market Competition

Grand Champion: Peri Wong

Reserve Grand Champion: Nicole Case

Sheep Showmanship Judging:

Novice: 2nd place: Kathryn Stewart

Jr: 3rd place: Kathryn Stewart

Sr: 1st place: Rebecca Lewitt

Jr. 6th place: Laurel Nelson

Rabbit Bowl:

1st place team: Nicole Nielsen and Rachel Elia

Hogs/Swine:

Kira Wyckoff: Grand Champion Market Hog for her pig Porgy

Andrew Bowler: became DQ'ed for being too large, and deemed 'Some Pig!' by anonymous exhibitors for his pig Scott

Dog Showmanship:

Benjamin Wolking: Primary ribbon for exhibiting with Maxwell (*picture following*)

Large Animal Master Showmanship:

Becca Lewitt

Livestock Judging Contest:

Junior over all high points - Sarah Sutherland

Senior overall high points - Kelsey Hutcherson

Sr. High point reasons - Peri Wong

Sr. High individual hog - Kelsey Hutcherson

Sr. High individual beef - Nikolaus Grimsby

Sr. high individual sheep - Kate Lyn Sutherland

Youth Exhibits- Winners!:

Nicholas Wacha - received 2 ribbons

Julian Mills: 1st for his CA mission project 3rd for his Plants vs. Zombies drawing, and 2nd for his wooden trivet

Madison Mills: 1st for her ceramic chicken and egg, 3rd for her fantasy story, 2nd place science education board 'Osmosis & the Egg'

Walker Mills: primary ribbons for snail drawing

Nathan Humphries: 3rd place ribbons for Medieval Coat of Arms (Youth Fine Art) and Medieval Shield (Youth Misc.)

Russ Wong: 1st for woodworking

Nicki Wong: 1st for his CA mission project and art work

Nikolaus Grimsby: 2nd place in table setting, 2nd place with Lego creation, 3rd place in small animal educational board, 3rd place with cookies

Danielle Grimsby: 1st place small animal education board, 2nd place in education board, 2nd decorated cupcakes, 3rd place essay.

Sarah Sutherland: 1st place duct tape dress, rose photo, 2nd place tree photo, chicken photo, cranberry marmalade, 3rd place peacock photo

Kate Lyn Sutherland: 1st place shoe photo, hand drawing, 2nd place cherry blossom photo, apple pie

Laurel Nelson: Best in Show for sewing recycled dress, 1st place recycled jacket, Best in Show for fiber project feature booth, 1st place stitchery (embroidered pillow), 1st place decorated cupcakes, and 1st place Animal Project Arts & Crafts (felted lamb)

Ryan Heitel: 2nd place carrot cake, 1st place mocha brownies ("Best Customer" from the cinnamon bun booth for buying so many cinnamon buns after barn duty)

Benjamin Volking: Primary ribbons for wood ducks, 4-H pillow and decoupage project

Claire Nolasco: 1st place table settings, 1st place educational board 'Raising Market Poultry', 2nd place decorated cupcakes, 3rd place essay

Rachel Elia: 1st place duct tape basket, 2nd place sewing project (skirt)

Francesca Paragas: Primary ribbon for hand sewn jellyfish cat toy

Isabella Paragas: 1st place decoupage wall plaque, 1st place hand sewn flower pin cushion, 1st place "Mizu" drawing

Alice Demers: 2nd place Lego jewelry, 3rd place drawing "Woodland Cottage", 2nd place oil pastels "Vines", 2nd place "Happy Manga Girl" drawing, 1st place sustainable living 'Egg Carton Jewelry Box' (big ribbon)

Sophia Demers: 3rd place God's eye, 2nd place medieval shield, 3rd place sustainable living '4-H Water Bottle'

Dorotheanna Lucas: 1st place sewn apparel dress, 1st place 'Special Needs Plycky' sewn articles, 1st place 'Piggy Minion' decorated cookies, 1st place ceramics 'Mother's Day Mug', 1st place ceramics personalized bank, 1st place ceramics 'Nine Ball'

Elyssa Lucas: Primary ribbons for the following: Devils' food cake, sewn apparel lined and machine embroidered vest, 'Plucky' sewn article, 'Horse in Watercolor' artwork, and sand castle candle

Please note: sorry if we missed listing your results or any misspellings – thank you.



Brian W., competing during Dog Showmanship.

Hometown Days Results

Kiss-the-Pig Contest raised \$2,000.00 so far, with monies still coming in from sources. Half of this money will go to the 4-H Scholarship Fund, 1/4 to our Club and 1/4 to the San Carlos Lions. Special thanks to Scot Marsters for his efforts to make this happen. Kissers included local political figures, business people, Tristan and Anya's uncle Brendan, and Lions Club members, and Dorotheanna Lucas - star 4-H Member – all braved kissing Arnold the Pig. Thank you to Scot Marsters and the San Carlos Lions Club for organizing this event. Hopefully this will become an annual fundraiser.

Dime Toss Booth raised \$639.00! Thank you to Gretta Keegan for organizing and thank you to all the members and parents who volunteered their time to work at the Dime Toss Booth.

For the Parade float – we achieved First Place for our category! Thank you to Danielle Grimsby for organizing the Members to participate. Thank you to Eric Grimsby for driving the trailer. And thank you to the many, many Members who walked with the animals. Plus, thank you to Robin Nielsen for organizing the Information Booth.

Thank you to all the Members and their parents for your gracious support during Hometown Days.

Cake Booth at Fair

Many, many, thanks to all that supported the 4-H cake booth on Sunday. Thank you to those that helped man the cake booth and those that provided cakes and cookies for the booth. It was a great success and we were well stocked with all your generous donations to support the booth through to closing!

In addition, a special call-out for *Peter Warrick* who manned the cake booth all day and demonstrated great leadership skills in educating the 4-H members at each shift change on the "rules of engagement"!!

Once again your generous support made life easy for Beverley and Vera in managing this event!

-Beverley Anderson and Vera Warrick

California State Fair 4-H Photo Booth Project

This year at the California State Fair, on July 23rd and 24th only, the 4-H booth will be involved in a project called the 4-H Photo Booth project. This project will chronicle the past, present, and future faces of 4-H. The Faces of 4-H photos will be used in print, online, and in large-scale murals that will shown in the Capitol to celebrate California 4-H's Centennial in 2013! This is truly a once in a lifetime experience that we can use to tell our 4-H stories and take part in the centennial celebration. The photo booth will be at the 4-H booth in the county building at the state fair. July 23rd is also California 4-H Alumni Day, which means 4-Hers, and 4-H Alumni can get discounted tickets. I hope to see you all at the fair!

~ Kate Lyn Sutherland

More information about the Faces of 4-H photo booth can be found on pages 1-2 in the June 4-H State Newsletter: <http://www.ca4h.org/files/95945.pdf>



Lions Club Car Show "Parade Your Pride" Sunday, September 18, 2011

Members, please take a moment to write down a time to help the Lions Club for their annual car show on Sunday, September 18, 2011, at Sparky's Garage in San Carlos. The Lions Club is donating the proceeds from this years' show to our club. **It is beneficial for all 4-H members and a parent to participate in volunteering a few hours to assist in assigned tasks.** This activity is accountable for community service for your record book. The Lions Club will need help with selling raffles tickets, selling drinks, help with auction items and adults to help park the show cars from 6AM to 10AM, plus shifts during the day to help with raffle ticket sales and silent auction sales.

Plus you will have the benefit of seeing all the *tricked-out cars* with fantastic paint schemes and the elements of customized auto body engineering along with the muscled horsepower from chromed-out engines and customized exhaust flow systems! You too may be a gear/petrol head and not know it!

~ Scot Marsters

Farm Clean-Up July 30, 2011

We are planning a Farm Clean-Up Day for Saturday, July 30 from 9am to Noon or longer if necessary. Please plan on being there to help (mandatory for anyone who was in an animal project this year including those who graduated this year). Please bring any items from the San

Bruno farm that belong to the San Carlos Club back to the San Carlos Farm as soon as possible and certainly prior to the Farm Clean Up Day. Project leaders please have your members clean up their areas by next Thursday as we will end garbage pick up on June 30. Animal Project Members who are unable to make the July 30 clean up need to let myself and Eric know so we can assign you individual jobs that need to be completed.
Thanks, Scot Marsters
San Carlos Eaton Hills 4-H Farm Manager

Annual Club BBQ August 21, 2011 And Recognition & Awards Ceremony

Celebrate Your 4-H Year!

Sunday, August 21, 12 – 3 pm

1815 Cordilleras, Redwood City

Annual Club BBQ, Recognition and Awards Ceremony,

And a Short Business Meeting to Install New Officers

Fun! Games! Good food! Good Company! Swimming!

Watch as Project Leaders Try to Convict Members in the Infamous Kangaroo Court!

Please bring folding camp chairs or towels/blankets to sit on.

What to bring:

- Last names A-O: salad or a side dish to share.
- Last names P-Z: dessert to share.
- The Club will provide burgers, hot dogs, drinks, condiments and paper products.

Want to Find Out More About 4-H?

You can view the June 2011 issue of *Highlights*, the San Mateo County 4-H monthly online newsletter, at http://ucanr.org/sites/smsf4h/Printable_Highlights

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Next newsletter deadline: Sept. 13, 2011

We welcome and encourage articles written by members. Newsletter articles can be sent to Shelle McGee-Lucas via email at straycatgt@comcast.net. Also articles can be hand written and mailed or dropped off if experiencing computer issues. Call 508-8392 for address.

Have a Rockin’ Hot Summer !

See Everyone at the BBQ !