

SAN CARLOS EATON HILLS 4-H

<http://sancarlos4h.org> | Next Meeting November 16, Online
Watch for an email from Missy Damon with the Zoom link!

Upcoming Club Events:

General Meeting

Tuesday, November 16, 7pm

General Meeting

Tuesday, December 7, 7pm

Caroling

December 14, 6:15

President's Message

Hi all! I hope you're all doing well and had a blast at our October meeting! It was lovely to see everyone in person for the project fair. I hope everyone was able to explore and learn about our projects, and hopefully you all found some you're interested in. I hope you all get a chance to read up on our Bylaws and Constitution before our next meeting on November 16th because we'll be voting on them during the meeting. Looking forward to seeing you all over Zoom again!

The theme for this meeting will be dropping off a toy for the St. Francis Center toy drive! Make sure to spend the amount advised so that all of the gifts we give are equal and none of the children are disappointed. :)

-Leanna Gower

NOVEMBER THEME: Toy Drive for St. Francis Center



Toy Drive For December Whole Club Community Project

Our December whole-club community project will be a gift drive for St. Francis Center in Redwood City. The St. Francis Center provides a variety of services for families in need. For more information about this organization, visit this link: <https://stfrancisrwc.org/>.

We are collecting unwrapped toys for the center's "Christmas Store." This store gives their client families an opportunity to select one or two toys for each child in the family. For many children these are the only gifts they receive over the holidays. This year they are looking for toys around \$25 or more (because each child gets two gifts) so families may want to consider buying a gift together. They especially need gifts for children between the ages of 9 and 13. Some gift ideas are:

- games
- Lego sets
- building sets
- art supplies

To participate in the gift drive, please drop off an unwrapped gift at one of the addresses below between December 4 and December 12:

- 1027 Porto Marino Dr. San Carlos (off Brittan, above Alameda) (leave at the top of the stairs on the front porch)
- 208 Timothy Dr. San Carlos (near Clifford)

Thank you for your creativity and generosity in making this holiday special for many families in need!

If you have any questions, please email Beth Enthoven at beth@enthoven.org

Holiday Caroling

It's time to put on your Santa and elf hats, enrobe yourself in garlands, and get ready to go caroling on December 14. Lyric sheets will be provided. More details to come.

Newsletter Articles

Every 4-H member is encouraged to write articles for the newsletter. Writing a newsletter article is a great way for youth to get their writing, illustrations, or photos published! Articles do not have to be long, they can be anywhere from a few sentences to a few paragraphs. For younger members who can't write an article on their own can tell their parent what to write and submit a drawing they made that goes with the article. Adding pictures and drawings are a great way to make your article more interesting. A newsletter article can be about anything 4-H related. You can write about something you did at the last general meeting, your last project meeting, or a 4-H event you attended. Once you have written your article you can submit it to sceh4hnewsletter@googlegroups.com. Make sure to be creative and have fun with your articles! If you have any further questions please feel free to ask.

4-H Store

4-H merchandise will be available at our in-person general meetings this year. Items for sale include t-shirts, achievement ribbons (for pins), record book covers, and caps, collars, and ties required for showing at fair. We accept cash or checks made out to SCEH (San Carlos Eaton Hills) 4-H. If you miss us during the meeting, please contact Sarah Kelsey (sarah_kelsey@yahoo.com or 650-464-8816) to schedule a time to shop!

Member Reports

Presentations Project

One of my favorite projects from last year was the Presentations project. In that project, we would watch a presentation someone gave at the start of the meeting, then be given a topic and write a presentation about it. I really enjoyed giving presentations, because it let me talk about things I was interested in. It was also fun to watch other people's presentations and learn new things about them and what they did. One interesting thing I learned from this project was that it's important to have a script before you present. Many presenters don't usually just talk on the spot - they prepare beforehand and practice. However, some people do improvisational speeches, where they are given a topic beforehand and have a short amount of time to prepare to give a speech. The presentation project prepares us for many different kinds of presentations. These are just a few reasons why I like it so much. -Maggie Forrest

County Calendar Events

[County Award Ceremony and Nov County Council Meeting](#)

November 29, 2021

For a complete list of events, visit the [4-H County Web site calendar page](#).

Do you want to learn about 4-H at the county level? Check out the San Mateo County 4-H website at <https://ucanr.edu/sites/smsf4h/>.

Next Newsletter Deadline: November 26

Send articles and photos to sceh4newsletter@googlegroups.com. Thank you!

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