

Cloverleaf

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2023-2024 Colfax County 4-H Council Officers

Elections for the 2023-2024 Colfax County 4-H Council Officers were held October 2nd, 2023 in Maxwell.

President: Breylin Rubio

Vice-President: McKinley Dyer

Secretary: Abigail Dyer

Treasurer: Jaxon Rubio

Reporter: Natalee Atler

Parliamentarian: Parker Mayer

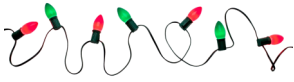
Song & Recreation Leader— JayCee Apodaca

Congratulations!

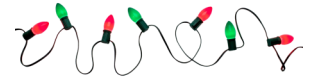


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Enrollment For 2023-2024



Enrollment forms for the 2023-2024 4-H year for both youth & adults will be available at <https://nm4h.nmsu.edu/policies/forms.html> or in our office.

Youth & Adults must turn in both the Enrollment form & the Medical & Liability Release form.

Please make sure to completely fill out your enrollment forms before turning them in. Missing information will delay your enrollment. An enrollment form must be turned in each 4-H year. When listing your projects on the enrollment form, please make sure you either use the project number from the short list or write out the name of the project with the unit number or name (i.e. write photography 2 or 06202 not just photography).

| | <i>Cloverbud</i> | <i>Novice</i> | <i>Junior</i> | <i>Senior</i> |
|---|------------------|--|--|--|
| <i>Grade*</i> | K, 1st, 2nd | 3rd, 4th, 5th | 6th, 7th | 8th & Up |
| <i>Age as of Jan. 1st, 2023– the current 4-H Year (October–September)</i> | 5-8 year old | 9-11 year old, or 8 years old in the 3rd grade | 12-13 year old, or 11 years old on the 6th grade | 14-18 year old**, or 13 years old in the 8th grade |

**Grade as of January 1 of the current 4-H year (October-September). These are standard grades based on public school general ages.*

***Youth who are 19 by December 31 of the current 4-H year are not eligible to enroll as a 4-H member.*

New 4-H Year

Enrollment forms for the 2023-2024 4-H Year will be available after the start of the new year in the Extension Office and on our website.

Enrollment forms will be due in the Extension Office by March 4th, 2024.

Add/Drop deadline for projects will be May 1st, 2024.

→Leaders/Adult Volunteers←

All Leader & Adult Volunteers must complete the Working with Minors training. When the Office receives your Enrollment form, we will email you the a .pdf of the course material and the quiz. The quiz must be completed & returned to our Office before your Enrollment can be approved.

County Council meeting:

January 22, 2024, 5pm

Cimarron-Elementary Cafeteria

Hosted by Rocky Mountain 4-H Club

CES Agent In-Service

January 3rd-5th, 2024

Las Cruces

Achievement Awards

January 21, 2024, 4pm

Maxwell School Auditorium

potluck meal

Hosted by Vermejo 4-H Club

**4-H Day at the
Roundhouse**

Tuesday, January 30th, 2024

Details to come

Make sure to check our Facebook page, NMSU 4-H Youth Development Facebook page, and <https://nm4h.nmsu.edu/> for upcoming events and event details.

*Colfax County Building/Colfax Co.
CES office will be closed:
12/25/23 Christmas Day
1/1/24 New Year's Day
1/15/24 MLK Jr Day*



Senior Leadership Retreat 2024

SLR will be held January 19th-21st, 2024 at the NMSU Campus & Las Cruces Convention Center. **Registration will be due in the CES office (registration forms and payment) Dec. 11th, 2023.** *Workshop details, dance themes, community service items, and registration forms were emailed on October 31st.*

Registration will be \$130.00 to cover the conference t-shirt, lunch & dinner on Saturday, workshops, facility rentals and program expenses. The office and attendees will be responsible for lodging, dinner on Friday, and breakfast on Saturday & Sunday. *When a hotel is chosen, we will notify everyone the additional amount. (Hotel cost will divided equally between attendees).*

Enrollment forms must be turned in before you can be registered for SLR.

Colfax County Livestock Dates

Large Animal tagging Dates:

2/20/2024 (Tuesday), Mesa Vista Vet. Clinic, Raton, 5-6pm

2/24/2024 (Saturday), Jeff Burton's, Springer, 9-10am

Steer Ownership Deadline:

Feb. 27th, 2024

Small Animal Tagging Dates:

5/21/2024 (Tuesday), Mesa Vista Vet. Clinic, Raton, 5-6pm

5/23/2024 (Thursday), Fairgrounds, Springer, 5-6pm

Small Animal/Heifer Ownership Deadline:

May 27th, 2024

Inspection Deadline:

July 15th, 2024

Annual Family Health Fair
April 18th, 2024, Raton Con-
vention Center, 9am-3pm

Youth-Get-Away

YGA will be April 19th-21st at Glorieta. Registration will be due in March. Details to come.

Shooting Sports Dates:

Safety Meeting TBA

County and District Contest TBA

State Shooting Sports Contest- May 2nd-5th, 2024, NWC, Raton

4-H Shooting Sports

Leader Training

will be Feb. 16-18, 2024 at the Albuquerque Shooting Range Park. Details will be sent out when they are available.

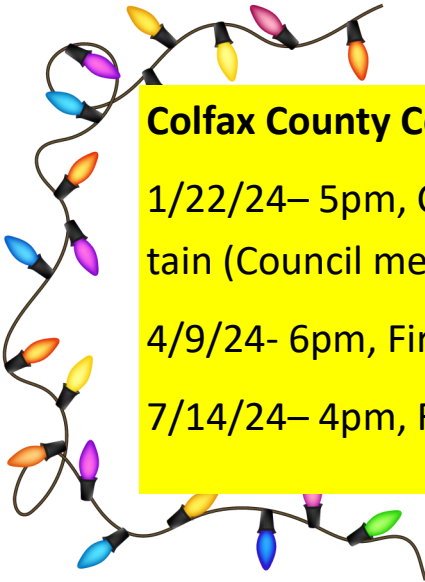
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State 4-H Shooting Sports Contest Dance

Sat., May 4th, 2024, Raton Convention Center,
8-11pm

Club schedule to come

4-H Shooting Sports leadership Summit will be held March 22nd-24th at NRA Whittington Center.



Colfax County Council meetings (current 4-H year):

1/22/24– 5pm, Cimarron Elementary Cafeteria, Cimarron, Rocky Mountain (Council meeting after club meeting)

4/9/24- 6pm, First Methodist Church, Raton, Johnson Mesa

7/14/24– 4pm, First Methodist Church, Springer, Springer Sunshine

CCFA Sweetheart Ball

Sat., Feb. 10, 2024

Raton Convention Center

2024 Colfax County Fair & Rodeo

July 22-28, 2024

Colfax County Fair Grounds

Springer, NM

AgExplorer Day

10/22/24

Raton Convention Center

