

Cloverleaf

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Achievement Awards

January 27, 2025, 6pm at Isabel
Castillo building in Raton

potluck meal

Hosted by Johnson Mesa

County Council meeting:

January 27, 2025, at 5:30pm at the
Isabel Castillo building in Raton

Hosted by Johnson Mesa 4-H Club

→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.

4-H Day at the Roundhouse

February 4, 2025

See email for details

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.



Enrollment For 2024-2025

Enrollment forms for the 2024-2025 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, – 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 2024-2025 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 3rd, 2025.

Add/Drop deadline for projects will be May 1st, 2025.

*Colfax County Building/Colfax Co.
CES office will be closed:
1/1/25 New Year's Day
1/20/25 MLK Jr Day*

Annual Family Health Fair
*April 24th, 2025, Raton
Convention Center, 9am-
3pm*

Youth-Get-Away

YGA will be April 11th-13th
at Glorietta. Registration will
be due in March. Details
have been emailed.

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

1/27/25– 5:45pm at the Isabel Castillo Building in Raton Johnson
Mesa to Host

4/21/25- 6pm, at Cimarron Elementary Cafeteria, Cimarron,
Rocky Mountain (Council meeting after club meeting)

7/20/25– After County Fair Clean-up, TBD Springer Sunshine to
host

CCEA Sweetheart Ball

TBA

Raton Convention Center

Colfax County Livestock Dates

Large Animal tagging Dates:

2/18/2025 (Tuesday), Mesa Vista Vet. Clinic, Raton, 5-6pm

2/22/2025 (Saturday), Jeff Burton's, Springer, 9-10am

Steer Ownership Deadline:

Feb. 24th, 2025

Small Animal Tagging Dates:

5/20/2025 (Tuesday), Mesa Vista Vet. Clinic, Raton, 5-6pm

5/22/2025 (Thursday), Fairgrounds, Springer, 5-6pm

Small Animal/Heifer Ownership Deadline:

May 25th, 2025

Inspection Deadline:

July 14th, 2025

2025 Colfax County Fair & Rodeo

July 21-27, 2025

Colfax County Fair Grounds

Springer, NM

Shooting Sports Dates:

Safety Meeting TBA

County and District Contest TBA

State Shooting Sports Contest- May
1st-4th 202, NWC, Raton

State Shooting Sports Contest rules
(Senior shooting sport rules) have
been emailed. Copies can be picked
up at our office or printed off the
State 4-H website.

District Shooting Sports rules
(Novice & Junior shooting sport
rules) will be available later (around
April or May).

4-H Shooting Sports

Leader Training

**will be Feb. 7-9 2025 in
Roswell, NM See
email for details.**

4-H Shooting Sports leadership
Summit will be held March more
details to come.

AgExplorer Day

10/27/25

Raton Convention Center

County Council

State 4-H Shooting Sports Contest Dance

**Sat., May 3rd, 2025, Raton Convention
Center, 8-11pm**

Club schedule to come

FCS SCHOOLS

March 7-9, 2025



\$60.00
per youth

**Location: Bernalillo County
Extension Office
Albuquerque, NM**

***Optional: FCS Carnival**

March 7th @ 6:00PM (Dinner Provided)

Registration opens: January 2025

Deadline: February 21, 2025



New Mexico 4-H Community Service Scholarships

If a youth is interested in attending one of the annual events and are looking for a way to assist with registration costs they can apply for the New Mexico 4-H Community Service Scholarship. The scholarship will cover the registration expenses for Senior Leadership Retreat, Youth Get-Away, Livestock School, Horse School, State 4-H Conference, 4-H International Exchange, FCS School, 4-H Dog School or \$250 of the team fees for serving as a State 4-H Officer or Ambassador.

The applicant can create their own community service or if they would like to work with an organization in creating a new program that is acceptable. The project must be an activity that the youth designs, organizes and implements that will have an impact on the community.

Scholarship Applications for the events are due two months before the event registration deadline.

If the applicant submitted a scholarship application for an event and received the scholarship, they need to have their community service report complete and submitted to the State 4-H Office before they can apply for the community service scholarship for any future events. The community service can be completed within a year of approval.

Community Service Scholarship Criteria

- Available to any Novice, Junior or Senior 4-H Member serving as a State 4-H Officer, Ambassador, Diplomat or **participant in a 4-H activity**.
- Must submit a New Mexico 4-H Community Service Scholarship application form which is available on the State Website.

EVENT (Community Service Scholarship Application)	DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION (2 months before event registration deadline)
FCS School	January 15, 2025
Youth Get-Away	January 31, 2025
Horse School	March 14 2025
4-H Dog School	April 15, 2025
Livestock School	April 15, 2025
State 4-H Conference	April 15 2025
Ambassador/Officer Positions	May 1, 2025