

WYOMING COUNTY

4-H E-NEWS

FEBRUARY 16, 2024

CCE OFFICE CLOSED

- The 4-H office is closed on Monday, February 19th in observance of President's Day. We will be back in the office on Tuesday!

CCE WYOMING EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

- On February 20th, beginning at 4pm, the CCE Wyoming Executive Director final candidates will be on hand to give presentations which are open to the public. If you are interested in attending or have questions about this process, feel free to email us at wyoingcounty4h@cornell.edu.

TRACTOR SAFETY CLASSES

- THERE IS NO CLASS ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19TH. We will resume on 2/26 at Java Fam Supply.

LIVESTOCK SKILL-A-THON

- Saturday, March 2nd at 9:30AM, Ag & Business Center
- Educational event focused on beef, sheep, swine, market goats, and market poultry. This event uses identification stations to test knowledge and learn about feeds, breeds, equipment, parts of animals, cuts of meat, and more. Pre-registration is appreciated.

4-H FUNDRAISER

- Our 4-H fundraiser sale officially begins Monday, February 19th – Sunday, March 3rd. All order forms, incentive sheets, money forms and money are due to your fundraiser chair by Monday, March 4th.
- A reminder that ALL enrolled 4-H members (excluding cloverbuds) are encouraged to sell! This is currently the only fundraiser we ask our membership to participate in. We hope that this year our community enjoys the offering of both cookies, and some new, local items such as beef sticks and maple products!
 - You should have received paper copies in the mail of a letter, the order form, incentive sheet, money form, flyer, etc. Digital access to these documents can be found on our website at the link below.
 - <https://wyoming.cce.cornell.edu/4-h-youth-development/projects-activities/4-h-fundraiser>
 - If you haven't already, please contact the closest "fundraising chair" to let them know that your family/club will be fundraising! We have 5 fundraising chairs, to help ease the flow of getting orders and money to and from the 4-H office.
 - We will be publishing several social media posts, feel free to share these posts to help spread the word about the sale!
 - We have had several people ask if they could buy the snack sticks ahead of time and resell per individual stick after the sale. The answer is YES (as is yes with all our products) however the price breakout would be \$1.33 per stick as there are 15 sticks per \$20 bag. If you want to buy snack sticks to re-sell, we're asking that you purchase them for \$22.50 to resell for \$1.50.

- Incentive sheets must be filled out in full for credit to be given, please check this sheet when it is turned in to make sure it matches with the dollar value sold.
- Give the 4-H office a call if you have any questions or concerns regarding this fundraising opportunity! And thank you all for your participation and support.

FEBRUARY/MARCH 4-H NEWS

- Last week we mailed out a copy of the February/March edition of the 4-H News. Please read through it as there are several educational events coming up in the next couple of months! A digital copy can be found by clicking the following link: <https://wyoming.cce.cornell.edu/resources/2024-february-march-4-h-news>

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