



# March

2020

4-H Friday! 03.06.2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
8  Horse Safety Training: 1:00pm WTB	9 YQCA - Fall River 6:00pm	10 Volunteer Training 6:30pm RC Regional Center	11	12	13	14
15 Shooting Sports Match 2 Deadline  YQCA Training- Butte Electric (Newell, SD) 1:00pm	16 Registration for State Shoot Opens (Instructions Attached)  YQCA Training- Hermosa 6:30pm	17 	18	19	20	21 Meade County Corn Hole Tournament - Flyer Attached
22	23	24	25	26 Jr. Leaders Meeting 5:15 WTB	27 YQCA Training - Union Center 4:30pm	28 2020 Shootout (Flyer attached)
29	30	31	April 1 Camp Registration Opens up!  SD 4-H Scholarship Deadline	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11

# FYIs

## Teens for Jeans

Don't forget that Pennington County 4-H is helping the South Dakota State 4-H Ambassadors with their Teens for Jeans project! All donations will make a local impact, we as a county have decided to partner with a local VFW Auxiliary and all of these jeans donated to us will go to veterans in the area! We will be accepting jeans in our office until August 1st - All jeans are welcome: ripped, holey, patched, or stained, they will take them all and use them to make different items for our local veterans!

## Camp updates

All contracts are in and dates are officially set! They will need many counselors, chaperones, and camp nurses to help camp function! Registration will open on [Extension.sdstate.edu](http://Extension.sdstate.edu) on April 1.

- 4-H Camp Poinsett June 3-5; 8-10; 10-12
- 4-H Camp Storm Mountain June 8-10; 10-12
- 4-H Teen Camp at Bob Marshall June 16-19

## South Dakota 4-H Scholarship Deadline

The deadline for submitting scholarship applications to the State 4-H Office is April 1, 2020. The webpage has been updated with the qualifications and amounts for 2020-2021. – To date, there have not been any submissions!

- *Website:* <https://extension.sdstate.edu/event/south-dakota-4-h-scholarship-deadline>

## Rodeo Forms updated for 2020

- 2020 Rodeo Rulebook:
  - <https://extension.sdstate.edu/sites/default/files/2020-01/P-00019.pdf>
- 2020 Rodeo Policy and Procedure Document:
  - <https://extension.sdstate.edu/sites/default/files/2020-01/P-00015.pdf>
- Finals Entry Packet (Due May 1):
  - <https://extension.sdstate.edu/sites/default/files/2020-01/MC-00746.pdf>
- Insurance Declaration Form (do not send in with finals packet):
  - <https://extension.sdstate.edu/sites/default/files/2020-01/MC-00745.pdf>
- 2020 Rodeo Approval Form (Due March 1):
  - <https://extension.sdstate.edu/sites/default/files/2020-01/MC-00744.pdf>

## Event Dates

- Pennington County Horse Show: June 29<sup>th</sup> Rain out Date: July 1<sup>st</sup>
- State Horse Show – July 20 – July 22
- **Achievement Days – August 21 – 30**
  - **Display Exhibit judging is TBD until we know the deadline for State Fair Exhibits.**
- State Dog Show – August 29
- State Fair – September 3 – September 7

## Leadership Academy

- This year for her South Dakota 4-H Ambassador term, Jessica Kott will be launching a Youth Leadership Academy. It will all be virtual platform with 12 lessons or assignments. At the end of the academy, participants will receive a certificate. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me her at 605-680-5188 or email [kottjessicam@gmail.com](mailto:kottjessicam@gmail.com). You can sign up at:
  - <https://forms.gle/L1BzKBw447zS9NLv7>

## Calling All Champions!

- Manna Pro is “Calling All Champions” to showcase their 4-H experience, past and present, in a photo mosaic available on [MANNAPRO.COM/4H](http://MANNAPRO.COM/4H). All participants will receive coupons from Manna Pro and the states with the most photos submitted will be eligible for cash prizes. The promotion will run from February 1, 2020 through April 30, 2020 to help bring 4-H programs to more youth across the country and Inspire all Kids To Do. For more details and official contest rules, please
  - [HTTPS://WWW.MANNAPRO.COM/4H](https://www.mannapro.com/4h).

## Animals in 4HOnline

- Families may start entering animals in 4HOnline. They have until June 1st at 11:59 p.m. to add any animal they would like to identify. After June 1st, they will still be allowed to upload Registration Papers and YQCA Certificates until July 1st at 11:59 p.m. Companion Animals are the exception and may be added until August 11th at 11:59 p.m.

## New 4-H Camp for Youth at NeSoDak

- We are excited to announce a new camp for youth ages 12-14 at NeSoDak in Waubay, SD. This new camp runs from Sunday, 6/28 to Wednesday, 7/1. Participants will have an opportunity to explore Enemy Swim Lake in canoes, bike through the Waubay National Wildlife Refuge, and participate in other outdoor activities throughout the week! Registration will be available online at [Extension.SDState.edu](http://Extension.SDState.edu) beginning April 1.

## Listen. Learn. Lead Digital Series Continues

- South Dakota 4-H Ambassador Danika Gordon wants to help youth across South Dakota gain leadership and communication skills. In order to accomplish this, Gordon has established a website titled Listen, Learn, Lead. – or L3 for short – where youth can watch TED Talks with messages focused on growing their personal skills. Read the attached news release for more information or to access the website URL.
  - *Attachment: 2020.ListenLearnLead\_Gordon\_NewsRelease.pdf*