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# 4-H Blast Alameda County

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# State Exchange Project



4-H State Exchange Project

State Exchange is looking for new members for the 2017-2018 year from Alameda and Contra Costa County 4-H Clubs. It is a county project that allows members to interact with 4-Hers from other states. It is a great opportunity for the members to see how other 4-H communities thrive. See another state and get a chance to host that state right here in California. The members build life time friendships. Age requirements for the project are 12 years old and up. Most funds needed to travel and host are raised through fundraising events. And families must be able to host a visiting member for a week. It is a two year commitment for the project. As we travel one year then host the next. Please call either Selma Michael 510-517-2346 or Marnie Hascall 925-788-4812,



#### **4-H Shooting Sports Workshops**

If you have an interest in sharing your Shooting Sports skills with youth, how about becoming a 4-H Shooting Sports adult volunteer or teen leader? There will be a variety of 4-H Shooting Sports leader certification trainings offered this fall. The classes will be held over a Saturday and Sunday weekend format at the Safety First Shooting Association, River Oaks Range, 11584 Shaffer Rd, Winton, in Merced County (center state). This class is being hosted by Merced County 4-H. You must become a 4-H leader or member and attend both days to receive certification to lead the shooting sports discipline of your choice at the project, club and camp levels. The course will include a PowerPoint lecture, review of equipment, practice shooting and teaching, and a written test. The cost is \$35 per person to include a resource binder, with Saturday and Sunday lite breakfast refreshments. Please bring your own lunch to the class. Junior and teen leaders are invited but must attend with an adult or have a certified shooting sports adult leader they will be assisting back home. Driving directions to the facility are

at <u>http://www.safetyfirstshooting.org/html/directions.html</u>. Tent or Dry RV camping is an option. Numerous hotels are available in the area, contact Dave below for more info if needed.

To register, please complete and mail the "CA 4-H Shooting Sports Training Request and Registration Form" available at <a href="http://4h.ucanr.edu/files/4785.pdf">http://4h.ucanr.edu/files/4785.pdf</a> with an adult <a href="http://4h.ucanr.edu/files/20100.pdf">http://4h.ucanr.edu/files/20100.pdf</a> or youth <a href="http://4h.ucanr.edu/files/4726.pdf">http://4h.ucanr.edu/files/20100.pdf</a> or youth <a href="http://4h.ucanr.edu/files/4726.pdf">http://4h.ucanr.edu/files/20100.pdf</a> or youth <a href="http://4h.ucanr.edu/files/4726.pdf">http://4h.ucanr.edu/files/20100.pdf</a> or youth <a href="http://4h.ucanr.edu/files/4726.pdf">http://4h.ucanr.edu/files/4726.pdf</a> 4-H medical release form and a \$35 check payable to "Merced County 4-H Council" and mail to UCCE, 2145 Wardrobe Ave, Merced, 95341. Registration is due Friday the week before your class (7 days prior), **Space is limited to 20 attendees.** For more information call Dave at 209-614-1718 or Darlene McIntyre at <a href="https://doi.org/10.385-7418">209-385-7418</a> or email her at <a href="http://dm.ucanr.edu">dmcintyre@ucanr.edu</a>.

Archery – Sept 9 & 10 <sup>th</sup>	Archery – Dec 9 & 10 <sup>th</sup>
Pistol – Sept 16 & 17 <sup>th</sup>	Pistol – Dec 9 & 10 <sup>th</sup>
Western Heritage – Oct 7 & 8 <sup>th</sup>	Western Heritage – Jan 6 & 7th
Muzzle Loading – Oct 15 & 16 <sup>th</sup>	Muzzle Loading – Jan 13 & 14 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Rifle</b> – Nov 18 & 19 <sup>th</sup>	

Shotgun – Nov 18 & 19th

# Casting Call for Food Network Show



Kids Baking Championship is casting

Blair Franklin, Casting Producer for a Food Network show called "Kids Baking Championship" is currently casting ages 8-13 for Season 4 of the show.

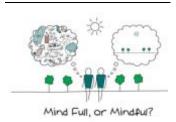
It's a super fun show hosted by and Valerie Bertinelli where kid bakers compete in a series of baking challenges for the chance to win an amazing cash prize. The show is seeking talented kids with the ability to bake a variety of different desserts.

If you have any questions, please contact Blair at <u>bfranklin@sonicdog.com</u> or Anne Iaccopucci at <u>amiaccopucci@ucanr.edu</u>

Check out the show: http://www.foodnetwork.com/shows/kids-baking-championship

Apply: https://bakingchampionshipcasting.castingcrane.com/

Thank you, Anne Iaccopucci State 4-H Healthy Living Academic Coordinator



## MINDFULNESS RETREAT

# **Register Here**

Remember Alameda County 4-H will provide a 50% registration fee scholarship for every 4-H teen and adult that attends. Adults will receive a 100% scholarship attending the conference as a chaperon.

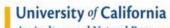
Reimbursement will be made when the delegates return from the conference.



weekend at beautiful Camp Ocean Pines developing their health and well-being. Teens will not only increase their personal skills in leading a healthy lifestyle, but will also gain skills needed to be a health advocate in their communities.

For more information contact Anne laccopucci (amiaccopucci@ucanr.edu) or Jenna Colbum (jcolbum@ucanr.edu)





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Heads up - Roots&Shoots is having a celebration on October 11th in San Francisco for the Institute's 40th anniversary. A save the date card is below Help get the word out to any educators you know in the Bay Area who may be interested in attending? Jane will be there and students will have a chance to present their projects to her. The institute would love to have some GIS projects there. Do you know a 4-Her who would want to take part?





# Save the Date Western Regional Leaders Forum

March 1-4, 2018 in San Diego, CA

## "Waves of Change"

This is fondly known as WRLF. This conference was started in California in 1966 as a staff and volunteer joint effort and now some fifteen years later it is still going strong! This conference is a three-day leadership opportunity for county staff and volunteers to share skills and knowledge. The conference is held during the first week of March or the last week in February. One of the thirteen 13 Western States hosts the conference.

This multi-state, educational "volunteer forum" is held every year, hosted by a different state in the western region of the United States (including Alaska and Hawaii). This learning opportunity includes great speakers, skill-building workshops, time to exchange tons of ideas and make new friends, and entertainment just for fun! Teen 4-H volunteers are welcome too.

The 2018 forum will be hosted by California. The location is the <u>Crowne</u> <u>Plaza</u> 2270 Hotel Circle N, San Diego, California 92108.

California 4-H State News

## California 4-H Update Newsletter

The latest **California 4-H Update**: <u>August 2017 Update</u> Subscribe to receive the California 4-H Update, our monthly newsletter! Stay informed on upcoming events and opportunities for 4-H'ers and volunteers.

#### Subscribe today!

The newsletter is emailed once a month to 4-H members, volunteers and supporters. Members and volunteers can choose to subscribe when they enroll.

If you have questions about the newsletter, please contact Darlene Ruiz at ca4h@ucanr.edu or 530-750-1334.

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# 4-H Bay Coast Area for

July and August

# Last chance to register! Citizenship Weekend 2017



Citizenship Weekend is a citizenship conference open to 4-H members ages 12

and up. Enrollment in a Citizenship project is NOT required to attend. We will be participating in various aspects of citizenship, including government, history and community service\*:

- A mock trial with a real, practicing lawyer;
- · Fun group outdoor community service opportunity;
- Citizenship Workshops

Citizenship Weekend 2017 will be located at Walden West Science Center, Saratoga, on September 22-24.

Normal Registration has closed- Late Registration is now open. For questions or concerns, contact Barbara Butko at barb.butko@gmail.com.

**Registration/More Information** 

#### Bay Coast Area Calendar 2017-2018 (Subject to Updates)

September 1st: The 4-H Games Team Leader Sign Up Deadline September 22-24: Citizenship Weekend September 30: ABC Share September 30: The 4-H Games November: Citizenship Weekend Staff Applications Out January: Citizenship Weekend Staff Applications Close January TBD: Bay Coast Youth Summit February: Bay Coast Youth Summit

#### Bay Coast Area Program Development Committee 2017-2018



Kari McMann, Alameda County Barbara Butko, Alameda County Alex Matthews, Marin County Julia Bell, Monterey County Apps Out March TBD: BCA Presentation Day -South April: Bay Coast Youth Summit Apps Close April TBD: BCA Presentation Day -North May 31st: Deadline to Apply to Bay Coast Area Committee

Click to download the PDF version of the September/August BCA Update. Please share with your county management groups, clubs, projects, etc.! Payton Yeo, Napa County Allyson Butler, San Benito County Jody Birks, San Luis Obispo County Andres Raddavero, San Mateo County Heather Sutherland, San Mateo County Roy McNamara, Santa Barbara County Ethan Ho, Santa Clara County Robin Turnquist, Santa Cruz County Caroline Hampton, Sonoma County

Interested in joining the team? Sign up here!

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# BAY COAST AREA UPDATE

#### The 4-H Games- Sep. 30th, 10 AM-3PM

#### **Monterey County Fairgrounds**

A fun day of team building and competition. Come take part in obstacle courses, scavenger hunts, and more while meeting other youth from the area! RSVP:

https://goo.gl/forms/1fxYFsuHPlwVjARy

Sign up to be a Team Leader https://goo.gl/forms/C8EyEN0es36Fmb 8J3

Citizenship Weekend

Join us for a weekend of service and fun! Citizenship Weekend 2017 will take place at Walden West Science Center in Saratoga.

\$170 Early Bird through July 1, 2017 \$185 July 2 through August 15th, 2017 \$200 August 2nd, 2017 or later as space permits http://ucanr.edu/survey/ survey.cfm? surveynumber = 15401

> Contact Barbara Butko at barb.butko@gmail.com for more information.



University of California Agriculture and Natural Resources 4-H Youth Development Program

#### ABC Share- Sep. 30th, 10 AM-3PM Monterey County Fairgrounds

An event just for our adult leaders! Come learn about best practices, resources, how to engage teen leaders, and what's happening in the Bay Coast Area! RSVP at https://goo.gl/forms/hFz9ZwGUflInVuuU2



Sove the Date!

August 15th- Citizenship Weekend Registration Closes September 1st- The 4-H Games Team Leader Sign-Up Deadline September 22nd-24th Citizenship Weekend September 30th- ABC Share September 30th- The 4-H Games

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