



July 2009

# Cloverleaflet

Marin County Fair  
July 1-5

Marin County  
4-H  
Summer Camp  
July 12- 18

4-H Mini-Day  
Camp  
July 27-28

Sonoma County  
Fair  
July 28-Aug. 9

July 1-5 Marin County Fair, Marin Civic Center, San Rafael  
July 1 Horse Play Day, Marin County Fair  
July 2 Junior Dairy Show, Marin County Fair  
July 3 Junior Horse Show, Marin County Fair  
**July 4 Independence Day**  
July 10 County 4-H Record Books due to 4-H office  
July 11-18 Marin County 4-H Summer Camp, Las Posadas, Angwin  
July 12- 22 Washington Focus II  
July 27-28 Marin County 4-H Mini-Day Camp, Mt. Tam Picnic Area, McInnis Park, San Rafael  
July 28-Aug. 9 Sonoma County Fair, Santa Rosa Fairgrounds  
Aug. 6 Expansion and Review Committee Meeting  
Aug. 6-9 State Leadership Conference, UC Merced  
Aug. 19 County 4-H Record Book Judging, 4-H office  
Aug. 21-Sept.7 California State Fair, Cal Expo, Sacramento  
Sept. 15 Marin County 4-H Council Meeting, 4-H office  
Oct. 4 Achievement Day (tentative)  
Oct. 4-11 National 4-H Week  
Oct. 11 4-H Day at the Farm, La Franchi Ranch, Nicasio  
Oct. 30 State Record Books due to 4-H office  
Nov. 6-8 State 4-H Volunteer Leaders Forum, Asilomar



### Marin County 4-H Newsletter

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### 4-H Mini-Day Camp

4-H Mini-Day Camp will be held on Monday, July 27 and Tuesday, July 28 at McInnis Park in San Rafael at the Mt. Tam picnic area. Camp hours will be 9:00 a.m. –1:30 p.m. The fee for camp this year is \$16.00 per day or \$30.00 for both days. This year we will offer arts & crafts, outdoor cooking, science activities, and a variety of other games and activities. Camp applications are available online under [Mini-Day Camp](#). The deadline for applications is Friday, July 24th. Campers should bring a bag lunch. For more information contact the 4-H office at 499– 4207.

### Record Book Competition

Record Book judging will take place at the 4-H office in Novato on Wednesday, August 19th at 9:00 a.m. Each club must provide a judge for every **three** books that are submitted. If you are interested in judging record book competition, please contact the 4-H office.

### 4-H Day on the Farm

The Marin County 4-H staff is collaborating with MALT (Marin Agricultural Land Trust) to host a 4-H Day on the Farm at the La Franchi Ranch in Nicasio. Clubs are welcome to do demonstrations, bring displays, animals, projects, etc. Day on the Farm will take place on Sunday, October 11th, the end of National 4-H Week. This will be a good opportunity for clubs to recruit new members, as well as new adult project leaders. Clubs should organize committees to plan activities their clubs can do. We will also have a variety of science activities for youth. If you have questions contact Cindy Jensen at the 4-H office.

### 4-H Record Book Stories

4-H Stories submitted to the State Office by July 31, 2009, will be entered for a chance to win a \$25 gift certificate. Please contact the State 4-H office at 530-754-8518 for more details on your entry.

### California 4-H Online Enrollment

The new enrollment system is currently being used throughout the state. Beginning July 1, 2009, all Marin County 4-H members and leaders who will be participating in fairs or other 4-H activities over the summer must enroll on line. Information and directions on enrolling are available on the County 4-H website <http://cemarin.ucdavis.edu> under [Enrollment](#). For all members and leaders who will not be participating in 4-H activities over the summer, you may still enroll on line to be ready for starting up in September. Signed waiver and medical forms, along with fees, must still be given to your club leader. Once you have completed all phases of your enrollment, an e-mail confirmation will be sent. If you do not have an e-mail address, you can create one free of charge through g-mail or any other online email account provider. You will not be able to enter your information online without an email address. For those 4-H families that do not have computer access, please contact the 4-H office for paper enrollment.

### Last issues of the Cloverleaflet

In an effort to cut down on waste, we will no longer be mailing issues of the newsletter each month. The Cloverleaflet is available online and there will be copies available for those families that do not have internet access. Please contact the 4-H office if you will need a copy sent to your home.

### State Fair Volunteers

4-H members and adults willing to staff the 4-H booth at the State Fair are welcome to sign up online for a shift at <http://www.ca4h.org/wrp/statefair/>. Free admission and parking to the fair is available for those who volunteer.

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