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## Utah 4-H Updates:

### Celebrating the Past, Creating the Future

To help Celebrate the Past and Create the Future of 4-H, Utah will be hosting a 4-H Centennial Celebration, Wednesday, July 11th to Saturday, July 14th, 2012, at Utah State University. The Centennial Celebration will include contests for youth, which are normally held in conjunction with State 4-H Contests, and workshops for youth and adults, which are typically presented at Leadermete. We will celebrate with fun activities, an alumni reunion, 4-H Hall of Fame tribute, barbecue and movie night on the USU quad and two award banquets. Youth and adults are invited to "learn by doing" while participating in contests and workshops. Everyone is invited to help us celebrate 100 years of 4-H in Utah!

### Centennial Celebration Activities:

Contests for youth and alumni  
 Workshops for youth and adults  
 4-H alumni reunion  
 4-H Hall of Fame  
 Banquets (Thursday & Friday)

Barbecue on the quad with  
 Family video night  
 Alumni contests/participants  
 Alumni awards  
 Games

### Searching for Alumni and Friends of 4-H

In preparation for this celebration, we have kicked off our Alumni and Friends of 4-H campaign to help us reconnect with past 4-H members, leaders,

volunteers, parents or friends of 4-H. We encourage you to register as an alumnus so we can keep you informed of events and activities. You will receive a 4-H car window decal just for registering so you can show your 4-H pride.

Utah 4-H is hosting an "Are You an Alumni or Friend of 4-H?" contest in preparation for the 2012 Utah 4-H Centennial Celebration. Look for rules and forms online and enter a drawing for every five names you submit to earn great contest prizes at both the county and state level! [More info-->](#)



## 2011-2012 4-H Calendar at a Glance:

### March:

**March 2-3**

Extension Annual Conference

**March 15**

Mock Legislature  
 Application Deadline

**March 17-19**

Leadermete

### April:

**April 2-7**

National 4-H Conference

**April 22-23**

State Ambassador Interviews

**April 26**

Mock Legislature

### May:

**May 7-14**

WRLF

**May 16**

Adventure Camp  
 Application Deadline

### June:

**June 1**

JYC Application Deadline

**June 13-15 & 15-17**

Adventure Camp

**June 27-29**

JYC

### July:

**July 11-13**

State Contests

### August:

County Fairs



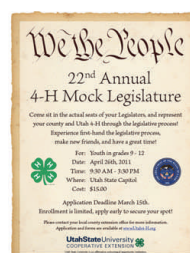
### Our new Facebook "Friend" is Utah Four-H Centennial

Add us as your friend on Facebook to see the latest news and announcements. We can't wait to hear from you! Join the conversation on our Wall now! [More info -->](#)

## Utah 4-H Activities:

### 22nd Annual Mock Legislature

Participate as 4-H'ers take over the Utah State Capitol. Learn the legislative process from presenting a bill, committee work, to passing a bill. For 9th-12th graders. The date is April 26, 2011. Application deadline is March 15, 2011. [More info-->](#)



### Leadermete 2011

Come learn more about being a 4-H Leader! "Prepare 4 Take Off" 4-H Leadermete will be held in Washington County, March 17-19, 2011. Come to connect, discover, share ideas and get energized! **Early bird registration ends February 19; regular registration ends March 11, 2011.** [More info-->](#)



### Utah 4-H Adventure Camp

Do you like the outdoors? Do you like adventure? Come bask in the summer heat, bring your sleeping bag for real camping, and prepare to get dirty at Flaming Gorge! There will be two sessions of Adventure Camp, June 13-15 or June 15-17. This is for 7th-8th graders and the cost is \$150.

**Application Deadline is May 16; space is limited so register today!** [More info-->](#)



## 2011-2012 4-H Calendar at a Glance:

### September:

September 8-18  
Utah State Fair

### September

Teen Leadership Training (TLT)  
Applications Due

### September 15

4-H National Conference  
Applications Due

### October:

### October 2-8

National 4-H Week

### October 20

4-H National Conference  
Interviews

### October 20-22

Teen Leadership Training (TLT)

### October 24-28

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### November:

### November 8-9

In-Service

### December:

### December 1

State Ambassador  
Applications Due

### January 2012:

### January 12-15

WRLF

## Utah 4-H Activities:

As you plan your spring and summer 4-H plans, don't forget these easy-to-use 4-H Science Guides and resources to help your program. Details can be found here. New items include Flip cams and Lego WeDo Robotics kits.

### Fairchild Challenge

Let your high school age 4-H youth know that there is still time to get their high schools involved in the Fairchild Challenge. The Youtube Challenge and the Recycled Fashion Show are still open. [More info-->](#)



### Junior Master Gardeners

For 4-H clubs looking to start gardening this Spring, Junior Master Gardeners is a great resource: [www.jmgkids.us](http://www.jmgkids.us) The Utah School and Youth Garden Network has some great, practical resources. [More info-->](#)



### Utah Envirothon and 4-H WHEP Contest

The Utah Envirothon and 4-H WHEP Contests will be held in Box Elder County on April 29 and 30. Visit the [Utah Envirothon](#) and [Utah 4-H.org](#) websites for details.



Questions about these events? Looking for more information?

Call your local Extension Office or visit our website at [Utah4-H.org](http://Utah4-H.org).

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