



# 4-H Pipeline

October 2009  
Fall Kick Off Edition

*Pend Oreille County, WA*



*Hi everyone - Welcome to Fall and the start of a new 4-H year! We are happy to have you and your family in our 4-H program again. This year, we are going to start off with Learning Labs for 4-H club members, leaders and parents. Our three major training events for 4-H adults and young people this 4-H year are described in this letter. Planning committee members hope you will put these solidly on your calendars and that we will be able to enjoy your company for sure at least three times this 4-H year (four, if you include the county fair.) There is a registration form insert for all three events included here!*

*4-H leader training is a requirement for all new 4-H leaders and is tracked by the WSU State 4-H Extension office. On Pend Oreille, this group of new leaders includes leaders with three or fewer years of enrollment as 4-H leaders in our county program. We encourage 4-H leaders with four or more years of 4-H involvement to continue to take advantage of these training opportunities also, for their own personal growth, liability protection, the joy of learning and to keep up-to-date and informed. Look for registration forms in the mail soon!*



**November 7, 2009 – Saturday**  
**FANTASTIC 4-H FALL KICK-OFF !!**  
**Cusick High School**  
**8:30 a.m.-3 p.m.**  
**Breakfast Pick-Up and Lunch Included**

This training is for volunteer 4-H leaders, 4-H club members, and interested parents and friends. We are still working on the schedules, but the topics are for sure and are listed below. There are activities for all ages. They are get-started activities to encourage club members in various 4-H project choices.

## **4-H PROJECT MEMBER CHOICES**

- Meet Tuxedo, Therapy Dog  
(training for obedience and quiet companionship)
- Art in Your Arts and Crafts Project  
(hands-on for young club members)
- Cupcakes with Expression  
(hands on for young club members)
- Club Officer Training
- Putting a Committee Together and  
Making Decisions in 20 Minutes
- Electronic Scrapbooking
- 4-H Photography –  
Doing It Like A Professional!
- How to Give a Knock-Your-Socks-Off  
4-H Demonstration
- Building a Lasagna Garden  
(a take home hands-on workshop)
- Marketing Your Market Animal
- Getting Out Of A House Fire Alive

## **4-H ADULT CLASS CHOICES**

- Getting Started in 4-H  
Shooting Sports
- All About 4-H (for new leaders)
- Managing & Reporting Your  
Club's Financial Activities
- Recordkeeping for 4-H Leaders
- 4-H—What's In It For Teens?
- Keeping Children Safe

March 6, 2010 - Saturday  
**“I MAKE A DIFFERENCE”**

A Workshop for Volunteers and Educators Who Work With  
Kids

Pinelov Camp on Deer Lake  
Stevens County  
8:30 a.m. – 3 p.m.  
\$35 registration

This is advanced training for 4-H leaders in Pend Oreille, Stevens, Ferry, and Spokane counties. Rural school teachers and teacher aides, private school teachers, and home school participants are also invited. Clock hours are available. The day includes four major speakers on relevant topics, audience participation, delicious breakfast and lunch, door prizes, new friends, new ideas, and great atmosphere!

TRUE COLORS – A Fun Look At Personal Strengths For Working Well With Others  
Bridget Rohner, Lincoln County Extension 4-H Agent

A BLUE RIBBON PROJECT OR A BLUE RIBBON CHILD? The Spirit of Competition  
Ann Hennings, Adams/Lincoln County Extension Agent

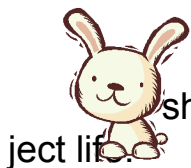
CONNECTING WITH YOUR COMMUNITY  
Dave Gamon, Athletic Director, Mead School District

HOW DO YOU KNOW YOU ARE MAKING A DIFFERENCE? Evaluating Your Effect  
Gary Varrella, Spokane County Extension 4-H Agent



*Psssstttt  
We need volunteers  
to help with the  
planning still.....☺*

**Hands on How-To's with 4-H Animals**  
Spring 4-H Animal Clinics



We're still working on this one. It will be a live, all-day clinic for showing, fitting, selecting, feeding and caring for 4-H animal

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