



Greenlee County 4-H Green Sheets



Dear 4-Her's, Families, Volunteers, and Leaders,

Spring is here and our schedules are filling up, but we are always looking to offer more projects! If you or someone you know wants to help inspire the next generation of leaders by sharing your skills, passion, and knowledge, sign up to become a volunteer! We are looking for adults interested in leading shooting sports projects, home economics, outdoor adventures. Reach out to me if you would like more information.

Have a wonderful Easter Season!

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HEART



HANDS



HEALTH

Ag Fact

Arizona produces enough beef annually to feed over 4.6 million Americans.

- AZ Farm Bureau

April 2025

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Event Breakdown

- April 4th- Greenlee County Ag Day— 9:00 AM- 1:00 PM (GCCE)
- April. 5th- Beef Tagging- 8:00-9:00 AM (Greenlee County Fairgrounds)
- April. 8th- Poultry Meeting- 5:30 PM (Clifton Train Depot)
- April. 10th- Cloverbud Meeting- 4:30 PM (GCCE)
- April. 10th- Baking Project Meeting- 5:00 PM (GCCE)
- April. 10th- Rabbit Project Meeting- 6:00 PM (GCCE)
- April. 17th- Floral Arrangement Project Meeting- 5:30 PM (GCCE)
- April. 21st- Fiber Arts- (GCCE)
- April. 25th- Livestock Judging Contest- 10:00 AM (Pima County Fairgrounds)
- April. 28th- Leaders Council- 6:00 PM (GCCE)
- April. 30th- Duncan Community Club Meeting- 5:30 PM (GCCE)
- April. 30th- Livestock Project Meeting: Feed Clinic- 6:30 PM (GCCE)

GCCE- Greenlee County Cooperative Extension Office.

What Projects are currently being offered:

- Rabbit
- Poultry
- Livestock (Beef, Swine, Goat, Lamb)
- Financial Literacy
- Floral Arrangement
- Fiber Arts
- Baking
- Horse
- Outdoor Adventure (hiking)
- Shooting Sports
- Leather craft
- Blacksmithing

What's Going on This Month?



April 4
9:00 am – 1:00 pm

Adult Workshops

(ages 14 and up):
You must pre-register for adult workshops

9:00 am -11:00 am

Noxious Weed Workshop:

Learn to identify and control noxious weeds.

9:00 – 11:00 am

Adult Knife Skills

12:00 – 1:00 pm

Natural Alternative Sugars

Greenlee County Ag Day



Greenlee County
Cooperative Extension
1684 Fairgrounds Road
Duncan AZ



9:00 am – 1:00 pm

Youth Interactive Activities

(ages 5 and up)

Animal Agriculture, Horticulture
Healthy Living, STEM in Ag

11:30 am -1:30 pm

4-H & FFA Large Stock
Skill-A-Thon



To pre-register or
for questions call
or email:

928-359-2261

murdockd@arizona.edu



Cooperative Extension
Greenlee County

**Come join
us at the
office this
Friday!
There is
something
for
everyone!**

4-H and

**FFA members can
compete in the
Livestock Skill-a-
Thon for a chance
to win a cash prize
for each age**

division!



Floral Arrangement Project

Come make your own Easter
arrangement to take home!!

April 17th 6-7 p.m.
at the Greenlee Cooperative
Extension Office

Open to all youth!

4-H members free. \$20 cash or check
for all others.

Register via Google Form

<https://forms.gle/KdS5UhZgp2yYmRTBA>

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Fiber Arts Project Meeting

April 21st

Greenlee County Cooperative Extension
Office

This meeting will be concentrated on Crochet 101. Youth will learn how to make blankets and will start a project for project Linus.

Baking Project

April 10th

5 p.m.

@ Extension Office

Community Club Meetings

Morenci Club: April 15th @
6 p.m. at the Clifton Train
Depot

Duncan Club: April 30th @
5:30 p.m. at the GCCE
Office



Cloverbud Meeting

April 10th @ 4:30

Open to youth ages 5-7. Come explore
4-H.

Large and Small Stock Corner

Livestock Project Meeting- Feed Clinic

April 30th @ 6:30

Greenlee County Cooperative Extension Office

Don't miss out as Kevin Rogers from Show Rite joins us to talk about the perfect feed and supplement plan for your show animal!

#TEAMSHOWRITE



Kevin Rogers
Western Region Support Specialist

SHOW-RITE

Tagging Dates



Beef Project:

1. Saturday, April 5th @ 8-9 a.m.

Lamb, Goat, & Swine Project:

2. Wednesday, June 4th @ 5-7 p.m.

LOCATION: Greenlee County Fairgrounds

Swine Showmanship Clinic

May 31st

Greenlee County Fairgrounds

Save the date for this hands on helpful showmanship clinic. Bring your pig, and some lunch. Time and more details will be coming.

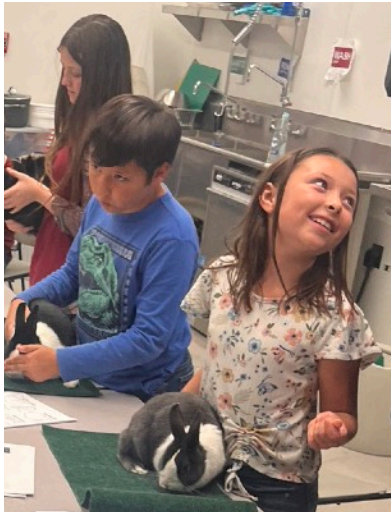
Swine Project Starter Grants

\$500 Grants available

www.azpork.org



pork Arizona
Pork Council



Rabbit Project Meeting
April 10th at 6 p.m.
Greenlee County Cooperative Extension Office
Dinner will be provided, make sure to bring your rabbit!

Poultry Project Meeting
April 8th at 5:30 p.m.
Clifton Train Depot



 **Small Stock Day** 

 **Date:** May 10th, 2025
Time: 8:30am-2:00pm
Location: Village Meadows Baptist Church in Sierra Vista

 \$5 Registration fee for 4-H members
\$10 Registration fee for non-4-H members


9am-12pm: Rotations
12pm-1pm: Lunch and and questions
1pm-2:00pm: Showmanship Showdown



<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/1279795054459?aff=oddttdcreator>

Interested in selling small stock, please contact Haley

Declaration Date 
June 4th
Greenlee County Fairgrounds
5-7 p.m.
All rabbits will be brought to the fairgrounds to check tattoos and declaration forms for

Cochise County 4-H is hosting a Small Stock Day. The day will consist of hands on information and an opportunity to compete in the Showmanship

State & Summer Programming

Come one, come all to 4-H Summer Camp! Greenlee & Apache County!



Greenlee & Apache 4-H Summer Camp

**CANOEING
CRAFTS**

**ARCHERY
NIGHT GAMES**



June 17-19, 2025

Luna Lake Camp Ground

Age: 9 by January 1, 2025- 12 by January 1, 2025

4-H Summer Camp activities and programs are designed for youth 9-13.

Youth must be enrolled in 4-H to attend camp

\$65.00 Registration Fee due

by May 15, 2025

CAMP HAS LIMITED SPOTS, REGISTER SOON



RETURN COMPLETED REGISTRATION FORM TO YOUR LOCAL 4-H OFFICE
MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: THE UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA
APACHE COUNTY: PO BOX 369 ST. JOHNS, AZ 85936 928-337-2267
GREENLEE COUNTY: 1684 FAIRGROUNDS RD DUNCAN, AZ 85534 928-359-2261

We are also looking for camp counselors. Free camp experience, leadership development, and resume builder. Contact Ashley if you are interested!



JOIN US FOR AN EXCITING FAMILY-FRIENDLY EVENT!

The University of Arizona, Cooperative Extension
 Pinal County 4-H Youth Development Program is hosting a

HUNTING SKILLS / WESTERN HERITAGE EGGS TRAVAGANZA



APRIL 19, 2025

8:00AM - 12:00PM

BOX CANYON RECREATIONAL SHOOTING SITE

NORTH HIDDEN VALLEY ROAD, MOBILE, AZ

This event is open to all ages 8+ (youth and adults) and welcomes 4-H Families and National Guard family members from across Arizona. The cost is \$12/person. Bring your own drinks and snacks (lunch will not be provided). Bathrooms are available onsite (they're hard-standing buildings—no porta-potties here!).

REGISTER TODAY ([CLICK HERE](#)):

Hunting Skills

- Learn land navigation, blood trails, shoot/don't shoot scenarios, and more!
- Potential for 3-D Archery and fire-building, weather permitting.
- **(Note: Fishing activity will not involve live fish)**

Western Heritage

- Fundamentals of firearms and potentially live-fire exercises.
- *Safety will be our top priority, and the day's plan is subject to range restrictions.*

Important Notes:

- Some activities may be adjusted depending on range availability and conditions.
- If certain activities can't be conducted on the range, we will relocate to nearby state land or private property (just 2 miles away).

And of course...

- We're hosting an Eggsstravaganza with Easter eggs!
- We'll provide the equipment; you just need to show up with your family!
- Come learn, have fun, and enjoy the outdoors with us!

QUESTIONS/CONCERNS

Please contact Pinal County 4-H Office
 Esther Turner, Associate Agent—4-H YD Program
etumer@cals.arizona.edu / (520) 340-4375



2025 ARIZONA ARCHERY FUN SHOOT



WHO: Any enrolled AZ 4-H member or AZ Nat'l Guard and their immediate family. We will have equipment & instructors on site & available for first time shooters.



WHEN: July 25-27, 2025
Registration at 7:00 am;
Ranges open at 7:00 am
Range Closes @ 6pm Fri & Sat
Closes on 12pm Sunday

EVENTS: 3D (3 courses -15 targets each); Field; FITA (practice/beginner range); Aerial targets; long shot; night shoot.

CASH RAFFLE: Saturday @ 3 pm for outdoor gear; archery equipment; etc. Each registered shooter will get one free ticket. Additional raffle ticket purchase prices:
\$5 for 1
\$20 for 5
\$50 for 20

WHERE: Tappen Springs, Camp Navajo (west of Flagstaff, AZ)

- Directions provided when you register online.
- Primitive camping / Porta-johns on site

HOW TO REGISTER:
<https://4h.zsuite.org>

COST: \$10 per shooter or \$25 per family

Contact: Tom Gardiner
(520) 256-3969

tom.gardiner2@gmail.com

FOOD: Friday & Saturday - lunch available for purchase. \$10 per plate (sandwich, chips, side dish, dessert, & drink)

Individual food purchases will be available



Cooperative Extension

4-H Youth Development Team Contact

Ashley Menges-

4-H Youth Development

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Dusty Murdock- GCCE Admin

Email: murdockd@arizona.edu

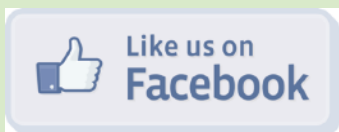
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@GreenleeCounty

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Meet our Community Club Leaders

Amy Rhoton- Duncan Community Club



Hello! My name is Amy Rhoton. I live in Virden with my husband and four daughters. I'm super excited to be Duncan's community club leader as well as the 4-H large stock leader. I can't wait to see what we can accomplish this year in 4-H!

Jennifer Reid- Morenci Community Club



Hi!! I am Jennifer Reid and I was born and raised in Greenlee County. I live in York with my husband and youngest son, my older son is attending EAC and my daughter is at NMSU. I am looking forward to being the community club leader for Morenci and poultry. I'm hoping to rebuild Morenci's 4-H program.