



### **CLOVER COMMUNICATOR YAVAPAI COUNTY 4-H NEWS SEPTEMBER 2018**

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September 3 Labor Day Holiday - Cooperative Extension office closed

September 6-9 Yavapai County Fair - Prescott Rodeo Grounds

September 12 Introduction to Home Canning - Prescott Cooperative Extension Office.

Pre-registration required

October 1 2018/2019 4-H year Officially Begins October 3 -14 Tractor Supply Paper Clover Campaign

October 10 Project Record Books Due to Cooperative Extension Office (turn in to

your Club Leader)

October 13 Horse Judging Clinic - Phoenix 11:00 am - 4:30 pm

October 17 Record Book Judging - Prescott Cooperative Extension Office 9:00 am

October 22 4-H Youth in Action Award Application Deadline

October 27 White Mountains Robotic Conference - Lakeside 9:00 am - 2:30 pm

October 31 Club Financial Reporting Due to Cooperative Extension Office

November 2-4 State 4-H Horse Show (Queen Creek) November 10 Gila County 4-H Practice Skillathon



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#### **COMMUNICATIONS CORNER**

Did you know.....

As a reminder, 4-H may not be viewed as endorsing sales and donations.
4-H groups may secure private funds to support their goals and activities through such activities as a sale of items. These groups must request approval for their fundraising plans on amounts over \$100 from the local Extension staff by completing the form found at <a href="https://extension.arizona.edu/4h/yavapai">https://extension.arizona.edu/4h/yavapai</a>
This is necessary to ensure compliance with Federal Laws pertaining to the "Use of The Name and

Emblem." 4-H may not be viewed as endorsing any particular company or product.

#### The Paper Clover Campaign is Coming!!

Each Spring and Fall, Tractor Supply will help raise money for 4-H programs with the Paper Clover Campaign, a national in-store fundraiser that benefits 4-H programming. Encourage your clubs, county agents and volunteers to participate at their local Tractor Supply Co. store during Paper Clover. Not only will this help donations and improve their relationship with their local store, they will also have the opportunity to <a href="enterthe-Paper Clover Participation Sweepstakes">enterthe-Paper Clover Participation Sweepstakes</a>, where 75 clubs will win a \$100 TSC gift card. Participation can be anything from setting up a display table and project boards inside the store to having clubs encourage customers to donate.

#### October 3—14



#### COMMUNICATIONS CORNER







We are pleased to be able to offer both a beginning and an intermediate-level shotgun program for youth enrolled in Yavapai County 4-H. The project is open to youth enrolled in any 4-H club within the county.

#### **Location/Times:**

- All shoots will take place at the Prescott Trap & Skeet Club, 10800 AZ-69, Dewey, AZ
- We plan to shoot two Sunday afternoons each month from Oct-Jun, between 12 noon and 2 p.m.

#### Requirements Include:

- Completion of Shotgun Safety Training (will be offered on two dates, <u>must attend one</u> to participate in project)
- 4-H Shooting Sports Programs are open to all youth 9 years of age or older (as of Jan. 1 of the current year). A 4-H Shooting Sports Instructor has the right to refuse any participant from the shooting sports activity in the interest of safety for the participant and others in the program.
- Hearing Protection (for both youth and parent)
- Eye Protection (for youth and parent)
- Parent present at all shoots
- Notebook for tracking learning and progress at all shoots (can be Project Record format)
- Cost for beginners will Initially be \$10/range session, increasing to \$13.50 per round beginning around January. Costs reflect actual shotshells and range fees, which may fluctuate during the 4-H year.
- Copy of 4-H Medical Form

#### Not Required:

- Your own shotgun, shotshells, or shooting vest
- Attendance at each shoot, although requests for excused absences must be received prior to the shoot
- Membership in the Prescott Trap & Skeet Club

#### **Absence Policy**

- Attendance is not required at each shoot, although requests for excused absences must be received in advance of the shoot.
- Beginning shooters who miss 3 or more shoots in a row may be asked to drop the project and try again
  the following year, as they may fall behind and be unable to catch up with the rest of the group.
- Any shooter with <u>3 unexcused absences</u> will be dropped from the project for the remainder of the 4-H
  year.

#### Notes:

- Experienced shooters will need to complete safety training and "try out" before advancing to Intermediate.
- Shotgun shooters will experience recoil, which affects people differently. There are pads on the end of
  the shotguns and in the shooting vests to help absorb this, but you still may experience some
  bruising/discomfort, even if you do everything right—but especially if you do not hold the shotgun tightly
  to your shoulder.

**If you have questions, please contact the 4-H Shotgun Leader:** Auben Winters, email: <u>aubenwinters@gmail.com</u>, cell phone 925/765-5889







Livestock Show

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HORSE JUDGING CLINIC.

The clinic is open to any and all individuals interested in learning more about evaluating horses in a competitive environment. The goal of this clinic is to provide additional learning opportunities to youth wishing to compete in horse judging across the state & nation. This is a friendly & fun environment to receive tips about what the judge is looking for in classes and reasons, gain hands on experience with live horses, and receive feedback on a set of reasons from the judge. Lunch will be provided for participants that register for the clinic by the registration deadline on **October 1st**.



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REGISTRATION FEE

OCTOBER 13, 2018 11:00 RM - 4:30 PM (ESTIMBITE)

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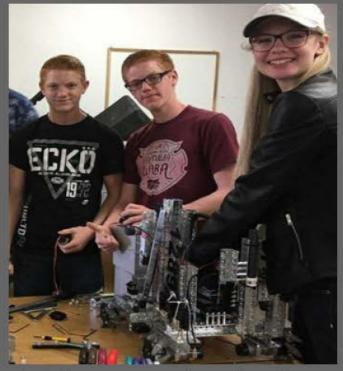
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#### **POULTRY EDUCATION SESSION**

# Pickin' Poultry

Life Skill: Success Indicator:

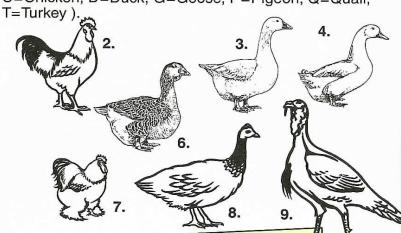
Learning to learn Poultry Project Skill: Identifying breeds of poultry Identifies different breeds of poultry.

pecies, breeds, varieties...wow, there sure are lots of types of birds to learn about! How do you tackle learning about something new? In this activity you'll discover resources

that will help you learn about various breeds of poultry. This fun and important activity will help you gain knowledge that will serve you well throughout your poultry career.

# **説法the Case**

Write the number of each of the breeds of poultry shown here on the Poultry Breeds list. Then find and circle the names of the 19 breeds found in the Poultry Kinds and Breeds Word Find. Also on the list of breeds, put a B, C, D, G, P, Q, or T in front of each breed to indicate what species each breed is. (B =Bantam, C=Chicken, D=Duck, G=Goose, P=Pigeon, Q=Quail,



#### Species and Breeds of Poultry

11	Species	breeds			
	Q	Bobwhite Broad White			
	В	Bronze Cochin (Buff)			
		Cornish Embden			
	=	Guinea (Species) Houdan			
		Leghorn Booted (Mille Fleur) Muscovy			
		New Hampshire Peafowl (Species)			
		Pekin Racing Homer			
		Rouen Runner			
		Toulouse Wyandotte			

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**Poultry Kinds and Breeds Word Find** 

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#### POULTRY EDUCATION SESSION...CONTINUED

## Share with your helper

#### Crowing time

- What breeds did you already know?
- How did you find the names of breeds that you didn't know?

#### Grinding out what's important

 Why do you think there are so many different breeds of poultry?

#### Hatching ideas

 Why does it seem easier to learn something new if you can make a game out of it?

#### Flapping your wings

How can you use what you learned in this activity to learn about another new topic?

## **Eggstra Challenges**

1. Use the Poultry Species and Breed list the next time you go to a fair or show and see how many you can identify. Be careful! Many of the breeds have different varieties.

Bird Babble! You

2. Give a presentation or interview a

breeder about a breed of poultry that is new to you.

3. Identify the following comb types and name as many breeds as you can that have that comb type.









4. Interview a breeder of a rare

breeds of chickens (or ducks or

5. Make a list of twenty-five

geese or other poultry) and

their country of origin.









Comb Types:

Single, V-shaped, Rose, Pea comb, Buttercup, Cushion and Strawberry

# Fowl Facts

### **Breed or** Variety?

A breed of poultry is a group of birds that have common distinctive characteristics.

A variety is a subdivision of a breed. Varieties may have different feather colors, comb types, sizes, beards, muffs and/or feathers on legs.

From four original "wild types" (naturally occurring) of chickens, breeders have developed more than 60 distinct breeds.

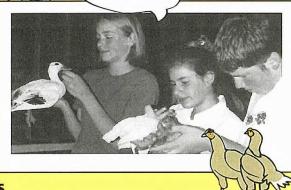
Check the resources below for pictures and information on each breed and variety of poultry.



www.n4hccs.org

**American Poultry Association** 





breed of poultry.

#### **Bird Banter**

- an egg was given to a
- ratites, not poultry.



The American Standard of Perfection published by the American Poultry Association, Inc. contains information and pictures of over 300 breeds and varieties of chickens, ducks, geese and turkeys including comb types.
See page 36.

Bird Words · Variety · Breed

#### 4-H YOUTH IN ACTION AWARDS

Every 4-H'er has a story, and those stories are worth telling! Sharing your 4-H story could earn you a \$5,000 scholarship and a trip to Washington, D.C. for National 4-H Council's Legacy Awards!



Check out the 2019 4-H Youth in Action Award Guidelines now. Applications are now open!

#### 2019 4-H Youth in Action Awards

The 4-H Youth in Action Program recognizes four confident young leaders in our core pillar areas: agriculture, citizenship, healthy living and STEM.

#### Pillar Winners

Each Pillar Winner will experience an exciting year of telling their 4-H story and celebrating their leadership. Winners receive:

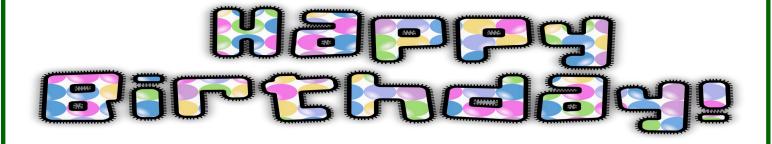
- \$5,000 higher education scholarship
- Promotional video showcasing their 4-H impact story
- All-expenses paid trip to Washington, D.C. for National 4-H Council's Legacy Awards
- Networking opportunities with 4-H celebrities and other prominent alumni
- Recognition as the official 4-H youth spokesperson for their pillar One Pillar Winner will be selected as the 4-H Youth in Action National Award Winner and will receive an additional higher education scholarship.

#### **Timing**

Application guidelines are available. The application is open now until October 22, 2018!

# Happy Birthday to our 4-H Volunteers!

September 4	Joanna Timlick	Chino Valley Breakaway Latigos
September 25	Chad Dickinson	Northern Division Livestock Club
September 27	Molly Wisecarver	Lonesome Valley Wranglers
September 28	Ethel Barnum	Lonesome Valley Wranglers



# Make a Constellation

Constellations are pictures made up of stars. They were often named after items people were familiar with like animals or mythical people.

## Constructing a Constellation

Materials:  $8\frac{1}{2}$ " × 11" White Paper

 $8\frac{1}{2}$ " × 11" Black Construction Paper

Pencil

Metal Pin

Stars Cutouts

Scissors

Glue

White Crayon



### Procedure:

- 1. Draw a picture of your constellation on the white paper. You may draw a constellation from one listed on the next page or create your own.
- 2. Line up your white and black papers. Using the metal pin, poke a hole through every corner of your design.
- 3. Cut out stars and glue one on every pin hole.
- 4. Connect the stars using a white crayon.



Star Cutout Pattern

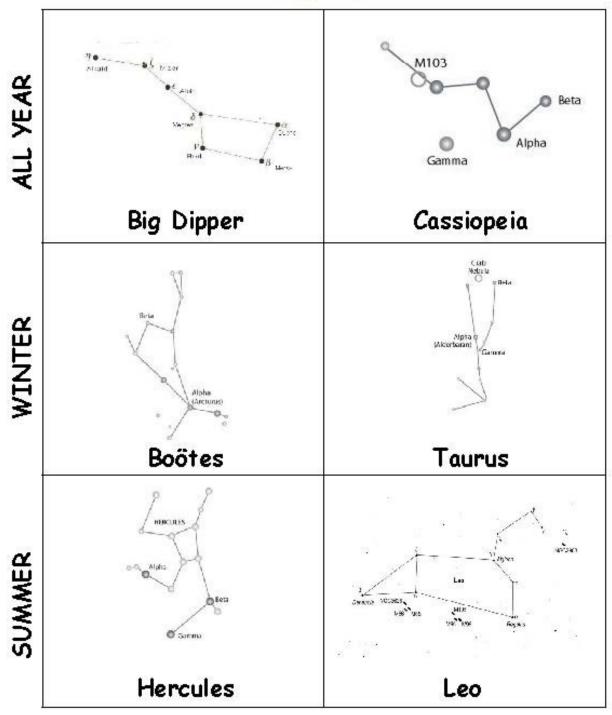


Adapted from: Mini 4-H Space. By: Roylene Laswell. Purdue University Extension Service.

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# Examples of Constellations





#### SUBMITTING TO CLOVER COMMUNICATOR

To all 4-H club leaders and members

If any clubs, youth, or leaders have any club updates, events, or 4-H stories they would like to share in the Clover Communicator please send them to me by the 25th of every month. We would love to hear what your club is doing in Yavapai County. Pictures are always welcome! In your information, include the 5 W's: Who, What, When, Where, and Why. If you are promoting a 4-H related event, also include contact information or how participants can get involved.

The Clover Communicator is published on the 4-H website AND the Yavapai County 4-H Facebook page. Many people look at the newsletter on the website and FB page to find out what clubs are doing and where they want to join. It's an excellent way to promote your club and members.

Send your information to <a href="mailto:lgerber@cals.arizona.edu">lgerber@cals.arizona.edu</a> and we'll include it in the Clover Communicator!

#### ListServ Reminder: Do Not Delete

The ListServ is used by the Extension office to send out important information to 4-H members and leaders. Please, do not delete anything before reading it if the mail is from the ListServ. We have had many complaints about community members not receiving any information about events, only to find out they never read the ListServs because they do not recognize who it is from. Any ListServ emails are sent

#### **Newsletter Printed Copy Subscription**

All newsletters are emailed and also posted on the Yavapai County 4-H website under the newsletter tab. If you would like to receive a copy of the newsletter mailed to you, the cost is \$21 per year for an annual subscription of 12 issues (which is cost recovery only). Late subscriptions will not be prorated. The subscription year runs from October 1 through September 30.

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**Return Service Requested** 



We would love to hear from you! Email your club's activities to lgerber@cals.arizona.edu or submit by mail to:

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