



# Gallatin County 4-H L e a f l e t

January 2012

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Jan 2	4-H and Extension Office closed
Jan 3	Horse Committee, 6:00 pm at Jeff Green's office
Jan 3	Market Sale Committee, 5:30, Mackenzie River Pizza, Belg.
Jan 4	Sheep Committee, 5:00 pm, Extension Office
Jan 7	Bar J Wrangler Concert, Willson Auditorium
Jan 7	Fundraising 4-H Horse Show, 9:00 am Circle L Arena
Jan 8	English & Western Horse Clinic, 9 am, Circle L Arena
Jan 9	Summer Camp Counselor Applications Due
Jan 9	'Neet' Teens Council & Camp Counselor interview, 6:30 pm, Belgrade Middle School
Jan 16	4-H and Extension Office closed for Martin Luther King Day
Jan 16	4-H Leader & Volunteer training, 6:00pm, Belg Middle School
Jan 19	Swine Committee meeting, 5:30 at Valley Bank of Belgrade
Jan 21	Teen Camp Counselor interview and movie night 6-9:00 pm, 2304 N. 7th, Unit C4
Jan 22	Beef Weigh-in, Beef Producers Scale, north of Belgrade
Jan 24 & 26	Market Sale Committee, 5:30, Mackenzie River Pizza, Belg.
Jan 24	Babysitting Workshop, 6:30-8:30, Manhattan Library
Jan 26	4-H Foundation meeting, 6:30 at Mackenzie River Pizza
Jan 29	Animal Quality Assurance, 2:00 pm, Gallatin County Fairgrounds
Jan 30	4-H Treasurer & Youth Officer training, 6:30, Belg Mid School
Feb 6	'Neet' Teens camp planning, 6:30, Belg Middle School
Feb 12	4-Health Valentines Spa, more info coming soon
Feb 18-19	Wild West WinterFest, Gallatin County Fairgrounds
Feb 29	Dog Obedience/Dog Care, Montana Murray Kennels, 4:45
Mar 16-18	Rec Lab, Lewistown, MT
April 28	Animal Quality Assurance
April	Demonstration Day — TBA
Jun 19-22	4-H Summer Camp
July 18-22	Gallatin County Fair, 4-H setup

## ??? It's a Mystery ???

Coming again in February! Don't miss it! Bring your sweetheart for a fine dinner and much mystery at the Valentine Mystery Dinner! Brought to you by Shining Mountaineers and Gateway Challengers 4-H Clubs. Details later.



## Quote to help celebrate our 4-H Centennial:

One hundred years from now,  
It won't matter what car I drove,  
What kind of house I lived in,  
How much I had in my bank account,  
Nor what my clothes looked like,  
But, the world may be a little better  
Because I was important in the life of a child.



~ Unknown

(Contributed to the 4-H newsletter by outgoing ULC President, Scott Francis)

## Training for all Gallatin County 4-H Leaders and Volunteers

All Gallatin County 4-H Volunteers and Leaders are strongly encouraged to attend a special night of training, dinner, and inspiration on Monday, January 16th, 2011 starting at 6:00pm at the Belgrade Middle School. Please RSVP by Friday, January 13th by calling the 4-H Office at 388-3213 or emailing Danica at [djameson@montana.edu](mailto:djameson@montana.edu)

- A wintery dinner menu of soup (several varieties – including gluten-free), salad, bread, and dessert will be served at no cost to participants.
- We are excited to welcome motivational speaker Lois Olmstead from Livingston, MT as our guest presenter. Lois was the hilariously entertaining and inspiring keynote speaker at the 4-H State Leadership Forum in Big Sky this past September. All the Leaders who saw her speak there wanted to bring her here to Gallatin County so the rest of you could hear her, too! (If you want even more time with Lois, she will be speaking at Park Haven Retirement Center in Manhattan earlier in the afternoon at 4:30pm.)
- Following Lois's presentation, we will provide 4-H updates and a training that will help you keep your 4-H Members excited and involved in your clubs and project groups. We hope to end the evening no later than 8:15pm. Please contact Danica if you have any questions. We hope you can make it!!!

## 4-H FOUNDATION ANNUAL MEETING

**JANUARY 26th at 6:30pm at Mackenzie River Pizza, Belgrade (back room).** Please come join us and find out how the Foundation helps support our youth, leaders and 4-H programs. All 4-H Members, Parents, and Volunteers are welcome to attend. We need 15 of you to attend so we can meet our quorum.