



Prince William 4-H

Our Clubs, Our Community



July 6, 2022

Upcoming Events

- Jul 24-28 - Junior Camp
- Aug 6 - PW 4-H Farmers' Market #2
- Aug 12-20 - PWC Fair
- Aug 15-19 - Fair Camp
- Sep 3 - PW 4-H Farmers' Market #3
- Oct 1 - PW 4-H Farmers' Market #4
- Nov 5 - PW 4-H Farmers' Market #5

Workday Wednesdays Started TODAY!



We need your helping hands!

Youth volunteers come together on Workday Wednesdays to clean the Children's Barn, decorate the barn, prepare crafts, organize activities, get ready for Prince William 4-H Fair Camp...and have fun reconnecting! This year, we're also planning a 4-H Night at the Fair Show Barn with exciting family activities.

We need lifters, crafters, decorators, cutters, pasters...just about any talent that you have, we can put to work! Adult volunteers and staff can sign volunteer hour forms needed for school, clubs, and 4-H.

Workday Wednesdays

Dates; Every Wednesday starting July 6th through August 10th

Time: 10 am - 2 pm

Location: July 13th - Prince William Fairgrounds, Barn Decorating

July 20th to August 10 - Room 105 at the Prince William 4-H Office

[Click here to sign up.](#) Be sure to bring a lunch and water!

Adult volunteers will be available to sign volunteer hour forms for school, clubs, and more.

4 hours per Wednesday

X 6 Workday Wednesdays

24 summer volunteer hours earned!

What are you waiting for! Join us for a fun day of service each week to help the camp and fair programs at Prince William 4-H....and have fun with friends!

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Prince William 4-H at the MANASSAS FARMERS' MARKET



Prince William 4-H young entrepreneurs put their skills to the test at the Manassas Farmers' market last Saturday. This market featured Prince William 4-H'ers Nisanur, Hannah, Diallo, Koa, Aisling, and Xanthie. Our new business owners had an amazing experience showcasing their products, talking to customers, and learning hands-on how to sell at a market.



Thank you to the Manassas Farmers' Market for donating the booth spaces for our 6 entrepreneurs. It was a beautiful day!



Save the date!

Our next market day will be August 6th and will feature Nisanur, Hannah, Koa, Aisling, Xanthie, Alayjah, and Diallo!

Prince William 4-H Fair Camp Registration—CLOSED

Dates: August 15th - 19th, 9 am-12:30 pm

Location: PWC Fairgrounds

If you missed the deadline, please contact Prince William 4-H to see if a spot is available.

4-H Fair Camp is a day camp for youth ages 5-12 held during the week of the annual County Fair at the Prince William County Fairground. Youth learn and grow in a safe and exciting environment through creating arts projects, exploring fair exhibits, and enjoying team games and activities.

This year's theme is "Branch out with 4-H."

Discover the importance of trees and the forests through fun, hands-on activities such as bark and leaf rubbings, counting the age of a tree, renewable resources scavenger hunt, discovering who lives in an oak tree and so much more!



Virginia 4-H Shooting Education Program Updates

2022 4-H State Shoot

Date: September 9th – 11th

Location: Holiday Lake 4-H Educational Center

Registration Deadline: August 15th. [Click here for more information and to register.](#)

Please carefully review the Match Program rules as there are numerous changes this year, especially in Archery, Muzzleloading, and the newest competition -- Hunting and Outdoor Skills.



Virginia 4-H Shooting Education Ambassador Program

Application Deadline: September 5th by 5pm.

[Click here for more information and to apply.](#)

The Virginia 4-H Shooting Education Ambassador Program offers teens the opportunity to demonstrate and build upon their skills in citizenship, leadership, and public speaking as they travel around Virginia serving as advocates and spokespersons for 4-H Shooting Education. The function of this group is to help build the shooting education program in Virginia and to help its members increase their knowledge of the sport.

61st Virginia State 4-H Championship Horse and Pony Show



Date: September 8-11

Location: Virginia Horse Center, Lexington, VA

Entries Due by July 18th.

[Click here for the Horse Show Website](#)

[Click here for the Rulebook.](#)

[Click here for information on the Virginia 4-H Horse Show Hero Program.](#)

[Click here for the video recording of the VA State 4-H Horse Show Open House.](#)

[Click here for the Fair Entry Tutorial Video.](#)

Connie Collier 4-H Scholarship

Application Due July 18th

[Click here to apply.](#) (due date on application is incorrect)

The Connie Collier 4-H Scholarship Award will provide monies to Virginia 4-H Horse Program participants who have met the 4-H horse program requirements and pursue post-secondary education before the age of twenty-five. Applicants must be enrolled in 4-H at the Senior Level (14 – 19) and must be enrolled in their second year of the 4-H Horse Program. Recipients shall be chosen by the Virginia 4-H Horse Program Scholarship Fund Committee through a competitive process based on the information requested in the application guidelines. Top candidates may be invited to interview as deemed necessary by the awards committee.

- [Alumni Showmanship Form](#)
- [Art Entry Form](#)
- [Cloverbud Camp Entry Form](#)
- [Connie Collier Scholarship App and Reference Form](#)
- [District Challenge](#)
- [Drill Team Entry Form](#)
- [Hall of Fame Nomination form](#)
- [Health History Form](#)
- [Horse Show Hero Information & Sponsor Form and Excel Summary Form](#)
- [Jumper Qualifying Entry Form](#)
- [Leg Up Nomination Form](#)
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- [Trail Qualifying Entry Form](#)

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS



Grand Island, Nebraska | June 26-July 1, 2022 | [Click here for complete results.](#)



RESULTS

The Air Rifle team had a great week! There were close to 700 shooters representing 39 states. Great job by all of our Prince William 4-H'ers!

Team

6th place in 3 position air rifle
6th place in the 40 shot standing match
8th place in Silhouettes
7th place overall team

Sam Seagle

8th place in 3P air rifle
3rd place in standing
12th place in Silhouettes
7th place overall individual

Samantha Erick

15th in 3P air rifle
39th in standing
30th in Silhouettes
29th overall

Grace Richter

40th in 3P air rifle
43rd in standing
61st in Silhouettes
53rd overall

Noah Richter

44th in 3P air rifle
53rd in standing
69th overall



CONGRATULATIONS!

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

SHOOTING SPORTS



Relay 1	Samantha Erick	Relay 1	Grace Richter
24	5:07	25	5:07
8.2	9.2	8.3	6.6
9.3	9.3	7.5	9.4
10.4x	9.5	8.6	8.7
9.0	7.0	7.3	9.7
9.7	8.4	9.3	8.8
175	525	160	503
Relay 1	Noah Richter	Relay 1	Samantha Seagle
26	5:07	27	5:07
5.6	6.1	8.4	8.5
9.9	9.8	9.8	10.6x
7.8	10.1	9.4	7.9
8.3	8.7	7.1	10.1
10.1	7.0	10.5x	10.1
159	501	173	532

Relay 1	Samantha Erick	Relay 1	Grace Richter
24	3:41	25	3:41
9.2	10.0	10.5x	10.0
9.1	9.7	10.0	8.9
10.0	9.8	9.7	10.4x
10.1	9.0	9.6	9.6
9.7	10.7x	9.5	9.2
187	187	185	185
Relay 1	Noah Richter	Relay 1	Samantha Seagle
26	3:41	27	3:41
9.7	10.0	10.5x	10.4x
10.0	9.9	10.7x	9.1
10.6x	9.2	10.4x	10.1
9.3	10.3x	10.4x	9.7
9.8	9.3	9.9	9.1
192	192	193	193



2022 4-H Shooting Sports National Championships

By Samantha Erick
July 5, 2022

Trigger Time shooting club had the opportunity to send an air rifle team to 4-H Nationals this year, which was held in Grand Island Nebraska. I (Samantha Erick) was one of the lucky members chosen to go. I went with my team members and friends Grace Richter, Sam Seagle, and Noah Richter. A special thanks to our head coach Alan Learch and Assistant coach Bruce Erick for making all this possible for us. And another thanks to all the parents that came with us as drivers and supporters. The whole team convoyed to our destination it took us a total of 20 hrs. to get there, so, we of course split our journey into two days. Traveling there was an absolute blast, but nothing compared to the experience of 4-H Nationals. Once we arrived, we had to check in our gear to make sure all our equipment was A-okay to use, we all passed which was great, and spent the rest of the day getting some much-needed rest. The next day our first event started. There was a total of three events, and three award ceremonies. Those events being (in order as given) A timed 3/20 match, a time 40-shot standing match, and lastly timed silhouettes. After day one there was a teen social where all the different teams from all the different states could interact to meet each other. We all made so many great friends from around the country. It was a great opportunity to meet other states and their shooters. There were 25 teams competing in air rifle and our team got 7th place! Our very own Sam Seagle placed 7th out of 97 individual shooters! I placed 29th, Grace placed 53rd, and Noah placed 69th. We all did amazing, and I could never be prouder of us. One more special thanks to all our generous sponsors to whom we owe so much.



Daisy National BB Gun Team Match

Rogers, Arkansas

June 29th—July 3rd

[Click here for complete results](#)

[Click here to see more of the fun and excitement at the contest.](#)



4-H Project Record

By Lexi Strand

July 5, 2022

This year at the Daisy Nationals Competition, Trigger Time sent a BB team and an Air Rifle shooter. The team consisted of Lexi Strand, Noble Richter, Jacob White, Ben Stewart, and Ayden Strand, with Coaches Jim Strand and Ryan Stewart. Our Air Rifle shooter was Colin White with Coach Greg White. Colin shot his personal best in Air Rifle.

RESULTS

The BB Gun Team had a great match against tough competition. There were 55 teams with about 350 individuals.



Team

Rank 46 Overall
44 in prone
52 in standing
44 in sitting
45 in kneeling
40 in test



Noble Richter

Overall Rank 140
254 in prone
154 in standing
94 in sitting
47 in kneeling
205 in test



Lexi Strand

Overall Rank 206
138 in prone
303 in standing
138 in sitting
199 in kneeling
154 in test



Ayden Strand

Overall Rank 249
229 in prone
317 in standing
245 sitting
238 in kneeling
109 in test



Jacob White

Overall Rank 281
169 in prone
286 in standing
132 in sitting
336 in kneeling
205 in test



Ben Stewart

Overall Rank 319
326 in prone
288 in standing
334 in sitting
233 in kneeling
271 in test

The very first day we arrived was check in. We got all our gear inspected to make sure nothing was added to give anyone an unfair advantage. The second day was a second check in day but since we already had checked in our gear, we got a free day. We went to different educational places around Rogers, Arkansas. We went to the War Eagle Mill and saw how they made corn mill and learned the history of the area. After the mill, we went to War Eagle Cavern. We learned about the different bats that lived in the cavern, learned the history of the cavern, saw graffiti from Civil War soldiers, and even saw where a Hollywood movie was filmed in the cave. We visited the Daisy Museum and learned about Daisy's past and all the different types of guns, toys and posters Daisy made over the years.

Our competition started on Friday with the test and opening ceremonies. The whole team did well on the test and had high scores. Saturday, we started with shooting. We shot prone and standing relay style. That evening we had a Barter Bar with all the teams and the Daisy Company. Sunday we finished up by shooting the sitting and kneeling positions. The team shot really well, and every shooter had a personal best score in at least on event. After we finished the match, we got Cold Stone to celebrate and wrapped everything up with closing ceremonies.

We would like to thank all our sponsors that helped get us to Nationals. We would also like to thank our parents, coaches, and Trigger Time for allowing us to go to Nationals and for getting us ready. We learned a lot and hope we can send another team next year!





CONGRATULATIONS!



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INTERESTED IN LEARNING MORE ABOUT 4-H SHOOTING SPORTS? Trigger Time is a Prince William 4-H Shooting Education program that uses shooting as a vehicle to teach youth ages 9 to 19 life skills such as responsibility, self discipline, and teamwork. The club conducts safety and education programs for air rifle, small bore rifle, archery, skeet and trap, black powder, hunter education and wildlife conservation. Our club is the longest running 4-H club in Prince William County! Email 4HPWC@pwcva.gov to learn more.



Southern Regional 4-H Horse Championships

Date: August 3-7

Location: Perry, GA

Entry Deadline: July 8th. Virginia is allowed 70 entries and entries are still available.

[Click here for more information and to enter.](#)

The Southern Regional 4-H Horse Championships is a 12 state horse and educational event for 4-H members. Please note that in all classes, Juniors and Seniors compete together as do horses and ponies. The pony jumping classes are adjusted for height. Youth/horse combos can enter only one showmanship and one conformation class, but may enter as many of the under-saddle classes as the horse can perform.

Virginia 4-H Pork Challenge



Date: Saturday, August 27th

Location: Smithfield Foods Innovation Center, 401 North Church Street, Smithfield, VA

Registration due August 5th. [Click here for contest rules and registration.](#)

This contest is being offered through grant funding received by the Virginia Pork Council. Similar to the 4-H Food Challenge and the Virginia 4-H Beef Challenge, this contest will allow participants to use their creativity to create a dish using pork as the main ingredient. I hope you will encourage your food challenge teams to participate. If financial help is needed to practice for this contest or establish a team to participate in this contest, please contact me as grant funding is available. This contest is limited to 10 teams.

4-H & Manna Pro 2022 Calling All Champions Photo Contest



From June 15th – July 31st, current 4-H members and alumni can submit a photo in their 4-H gear with one or more of their animals for a chance to win their local 4-H club a \$1,000 donation from Manna Pro plus the chance to win \$100 worth of Mann Pro products! Manna Pro will also be donating \$10 per photo submission to 4-H with a guaranteed donation of \$50,000. 50% of those funds will go back to state 4-H programs. Winners will be selected based on a random drawing.

Click here to learn more about the [Manna Pro and 4-H Partnership](#).

Click here to [Submit a Photo for the Calling All Champions Photo Contest](#).

2022 PHOTO CONTEST

Presented by the Virginia Association of Soil & Water Conservation Districts



Enter up to 10 digital images that represent this year's theme:

"Conservation Moments"

- Images must be taken in Virginia
- One Overall Winner, People's Choice, & Young Photographer will be selected
- Full list of rules and entry form can be found online:

WWW.VASWCD.ORG/PHOTOCONTEST



ENTRIES DUE
8.1.2022



VASWCD Annual Photo Contest: "Conservation Moments"

Due August 1st.

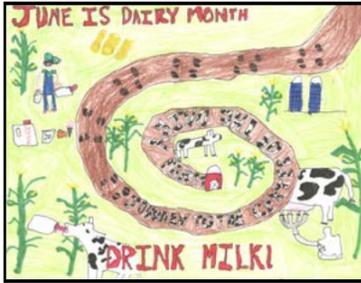
[Click here for more information and to submit photos.](#)

The VASWCD is committed to conservation of natural resources through stewardship and education programs and we want to see it through your eyes. The theme this year is "Conservation Moments". Capture those vibrant moments and express what conservation looks like through your lens! You can submit up to 10 photos. All photographs must be taken within the Commonwealth of Virginia. Photographs taken outside the state of Virginia will be disqualified.

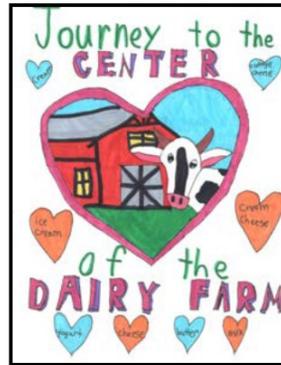
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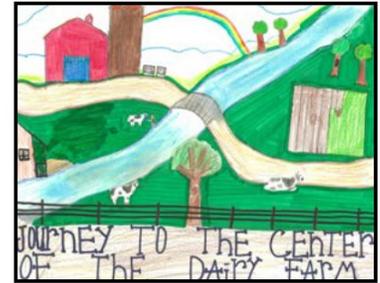
Junior Division



Charlie Harris
Goochland County



Lydia Driver
Rockingham County



Josie Martinez
Goochland County

Intermediate Division



Kristen Driver
Rockingham County



Cord Hornbaker
Clarke County

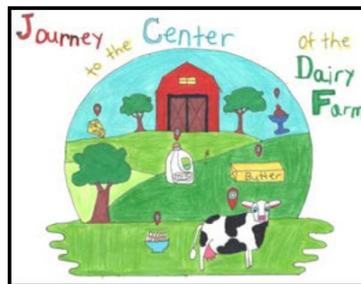


Abby Newton
Shenandoah County

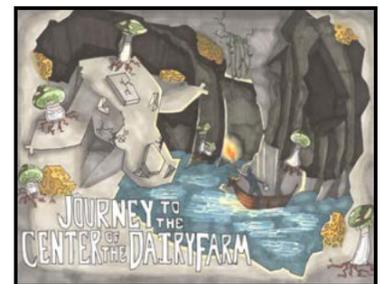
Senior Division



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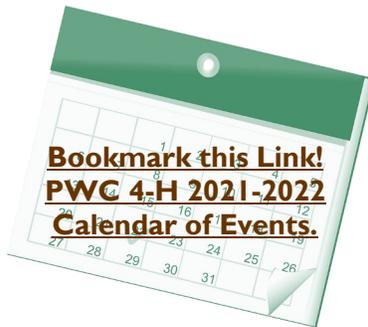
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2. Select the main menu (=) & tap on "AmazonSmile" within Programs & Features
3. Select "Prince William County 4-H Association" as your charity
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