

2026 May Meeting Minutes
Youth Council Meeting
May 4, 2026



Call to Order 6:45 p.m.

4-H Pledge

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Ice Breaker

Reports

- **Secretary** – Report approved
- **Treasurer** – Treasurer provided report
- **Fair Board** – Show dates have changes, please make sure you are aware of the show schedule.
- **FFA** – The FFA Banquet was held and there are new representatives.
- **CALF** – CALF Farm and Ranch days is May 9th from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.
- **District 3** – Held the District 3 Jamboree which went well. District 3 elections are next week.
- **Shooting Sports** – No report
- **Livestock Advisory** – Next meeting is May 12th

Unfinished Businessp

- **June Show**
 - **Date:** June 5-6
 - **Set up date:** June 4th at 3:30 p.m.
 - **Concessions are being handled.** Thank you Extensions staff for facilitating this.
 - **Volunteers**
 - **Show day Volunteers**
 - Hog show needs adult leader board people
 - Each Super needs to find senior member ring help
 - Ribbon Runners – Ambassadors will help be ribbon runners
 - **Banners will be ordered next week**
 - **Buckles are done**
 - **Check on Ribbons**
 - **Judges all hired and confirmed**

New Business

- **June show decorations**
- **Set up Zoom calls for Show Leaders**
 - **May 21st** _____ **time 5:30 pm**
 - **May TBD before June Show**
- **June Show Fun Night after set up**
 - Youth council voted on having a Bounce House and BBQ depending on Bounce House being allowed and the cost. If it is not allowed or too expensive, we will have a water balloon fight and BBQ.

Adjourn 7:13 p.m.

Next meeting June 1, 2026

2026 Douglas County 4-H Schedule of Upcoming Activities and Deadlines



May

- May 1: **Deadline to Add (general projects only) or Drop projects**
- May 1: **Deadline to Add Animal IDs in 4HOnline (Swine, Cat, Breeding Sheep, Breeding Goat, and Breeding Beef)**
- May 1: **Deadline for Youth Council and Horse Steering Scholarship Applications to be submitted**
- May 2: Super Saturday Contests
- May 4: Youth & Leader's Council Meeting
- May 4: Horse Level 1 Ride Night
- May 6: Goat Practice
- May 7: 4-H Sheep/Goat Tag-in
- May 9: CALF Farm & Ranch Day
- May 11: Horse Ride Night
- May 12: Cowboys 4-H Dog Practice – Open to all Dog Project Youth – RSVP Required
- May 12: Livestock Advisory Committee Meeting
- May 13: Shooting Sports Advisory Committee Meeting
- May 17: Douglas County Buckle Series Show
- May 18: Deadline – Horse Camp and Working Ranch Horse Camp Registration by 3pm
- May 18: Horse Steering Committee Meeting
- May 20: Goat Practice
- May 21: Cloverbud Activity Night
- May 25: Extension Office Closed for Memorial Day
- May 26: Cowboys 4-H Dog Practice – Open to all Dog Project Youth – RSVP Required
- May 30: Douglas County 4-H Camelid Classic and Clinic
- May 30: Trailer Safety Class

June

- June 1: **Deadline to Add Llama/Alpaca IDs in 4HOnline**
- June 1: Youth & Leader's Council Meeting
- June 1: Horse Ride Night
- June 2: Fair Entry Opens
- June 2: Record Book Training
- June 2: Sheep Showmanship and Fitting Practice
- June 4: June Show Set Up
- June 5: Master Showmanship Clinic and Competition
- June 5-6: Youth Council June Show
- June 7: Poultry ID Day
- June 8-12: Horse Camp
- June 9: Cowboys 4-H Dog Practice – Open to all Dog Project Youth – RSVP Required
- June 9-10: Rabbit ID Day
- June 10: Goat Practice – Dairy Fitting
- June 10: Shooting Sports Advisory Committee
- June 13: Douglas County Buckle Series Show
- June 15-19: State 4-H Conference

June 16: Cowboys 4-H Dog Practice – Open to all Dog Project Youth – RSVP Required
 June 17: **Fair Entry Registration Closes at 5 p.m. – NO EXCEPTIONS**
 June 18: **Deadline to RSVP for Cloverbud Camp**
 June 19: Extension Office Closed – Juneteenth
 June 22: Market Rabbit ID Day
 June 22: Horse Steering Committee & Horse Ride Night
 June 23: Cowboys 4-H Dog Practice – Open to all Dog Project Youth – RSVP Required
 June 23: Sheep Showmanship and Fitting Practice
 June 24: Cloverbud Camp – Registration through 4HOnline
 June 24: Goat Practice – Q&A Tips, Tricks, and Practice
 June 26: Rocket Fly Day – Pending ability to launch due to fire restrictions
 June 27: Western Heritage Competition and Interviews
 June 29: Horse Ride Night
 June 30: Cowboys 4-H Dog Practice – Open to all Dog Project Youth – RSVP Required

July

July 1: **Member in Good Standing Verification**
 July 6: Youth & Leader's Council Meetings
 July 6: Horse Ride Night
 July 7: Indoor 4-H Dog Practice
 July 7: County Shoot – Air Rifle and Pistol Competition
 July 8: County Shoot – Archery Competition
 July 11: County Shoot – .22 Rifle, .22 Pistol, and Muzzleloader Competition
 July 12: County Shoot – Shotgun Competition
 July 14: Cowboys 4-H Dog Practice – Open to all Dog Project Youth – RSVP Required
 July 15: Livestock Written Test Night – Supreme Competition
 July 15: County Shooting Sports Awards Banquet
 July 17: Project Only Drop Off
 July 18: Exhibit Day
 July 18: Cloverbud Primary Fair
 July 24: County Fair Work Day