

# 4-H clubs win many awards at Co. Fair



Above, from left; Katie Tatman, Billi Avila, Jacob Tatman, Nicole Hargrove, and Sarah Tatman with their awards from the 2004 Columbia County Fair. Not present for pictures; Kaitlyn Carr, Marissa Clement and Amanda Watts. Local 4-H clubs include Rock Creek Critters, All Creatures Great and Small, Goat Ropers and Buxton's Boers & Bunnies.

Due to space limitations, only results within the Independent's circulation area have been included here.

## PRESENTATIONS – INDIVIDUAL PUBLIC SPEAKING

**Junior Blue Award** – Haylie Burgess, Rainier; Lida Means, Scappoose; Emily Curis, St. Helens; Emma Kyle-Milward, St. Helens; Lindsay Paulson, St. Helens; Kristen Perry, St. Helens; Madi Simpson, St. Helens; Mickilynne Simpson, St. Helens; McKenzie Tarkalson, Vernonia; Catherine Allen, Warren; Sydney Hart, Warren; Kacy Helwig, Warren.

### ART PAINTING

**Intermediate Line Drawing: Blue Award** – Rachel Harris, St. Helens; Susan Strouf, St. Helens; Mackenzie Carr, Vernonia; Sara Kellogg, Warren.

**Senior Water Color/Tempura/Other: Reserve Champion** – Torie Clement, Vernonia.

**Champion** – Torie Clement, Vernonia.

**Blue Award** – Torie Clement, Vernonia; Michele Kirsch, Columbia City.

**Intermediate Casting/Modeling/Assemb: Blue Award** – Mackenzie Carr, Vernonia.

### FOOD AND NUTRITION

**Cookies (bar, drop or no bake), Phase 1-3: Blue Award** – Kyle Sallee,

Warren; Mitch Holmes, Longview; Jeff Stennick, Rainier; Cali Hanna, St. Helens; Mackenzie Carr, Vernonia.

**Quick bread, muffin method: Reserve Champion** – Mackenzie Carr, Vernonia.

**Blue Award** – Mackenzie Carr, Vernonia; Lida Means, Scappoose; Cali Hanna, St. Helens; Lindsay Paulson, St. Helens; Kristen Perry, St. Helens.

**Shortened Cakes, Phase 4-5: Blue Award** – Merrick VonPoppenheim, Scappoose; Morgan VonPoppenheim, Scappoose; Marissa Clement, Vernonia.

**Foam Cake, Phase 4-6: Red Award** – Marissa Clement, Vernonia; Torie Clement, Vernonia.

**An International Food, Phase 6: Blue Award** – Amy Jauron, St. Helens; Marissa Clement, Vernonia; Torie Clement, Vernonia.

**Favorite Recipe Collection, Phase 1: Blue Award** – Sophie Means, Scappoose; Cali Hanna, St. Helens; Mackenzie Carr, Vernonia; Kacy Helwig, Warren; Kyle Sallee, Warren.

**Favorite Recipe Collection, Phase 5: Blue Award** – Marissa Clement, Vernonia.

**Junior Tablesetting Contest: Red Award** – Lindsay Paulson, St. Helens; Kaitlyn Carr, Vernonia.

**Intermediate Judging Contest: Red Award** – Merrick VonPoppenheim, Scappoose; Morgan VonPoppenheim, Scappoose; Marissa Clement, Vernonia.

## COMMUNICATION

**Junior Posters, Educational: Blue Award** – Haylie Burgess, Rainier; Emma Kyle-Milward, St. Helens; Mackenzie Burgess, Rainier; Caley Callbeck, Rainier; Hannah Rinck, Rainier; Kaitlyn Carr, Vernonia.

**Junior Records: Blue Award** – Billi Avila, Buxton; Nicole Hargrove, Buxton; Victoria Willson, Deer Island; Haylie Burgess, Rainier; Evinn King, Rainier; Ashley Savage, St. Helens.

**Intermediate Records: Red Award** – Rachel Harris, St. Helens; Kim Stringfield, Vernonia; Nolan Brady, Warren; Andrew Miller, Warren.

**Junior Animal Info Posters – Pygmy Goats: Reserve Champion** – Kaitlyn Carr, Vernonia.

**Blue Award** – Christina Aplet, Scappoose; Kaitlyn Carr, Vernonia.

## CONTAINER GARDENING

**Junior Ornamental, Houseplant: Blue Award** – Kaitlyn Carr, Vernonia.

**Intermediate Ornamental, Houseplant: Blue Award** – Mackenzie Carr, Vernonia.

## BEEF

**Junior Hereford Cow: Champion** – Eric Schmidlin, Vernonia.

**Reserve Champion** – Eric Budge, Vernonia.

**Blue Award** – Eric Schmidlin, Vernonia; Eric Budge, Vernonia.

**Crossbred Summer Yearling Heifer: Blue Award** – Steven Greisen, Scappoose; Beau Miller, Scappoose; Chelsea Yarbor, St. Helens; Kaci Budge, Vernonia; Heidi Larson, Warren.

**Crossbred Junior Yearling Heifer: Blue Award** – Bryan Budge, Vernonia.

**Market Steer – All Breeds: Reserve Champion** – Bryan Budge, Vernonia.

**Blue Award** – Katie Melton, Warren; Bryan Budge, Vernonia; Amelia Gibson, Rainier; Matthew Gibson, Rainier; Eric Schmidlin, Vernonia; Jared Bradley, Warren; Kelsey Bradley,

# Vernonia Football Camp coming up

The third annual Vernonia Football Camp will be held, August 9 through 12, at Vernonia High School football field.

Grades 3 – 8 will meet at 5-6:30 p.m. and grades 9 – 12 will be 7-9:00 p.m. The cost will be \$30 payable to Vernonia High School. All funds will go to the Vernonia football teams.

Participants should bring shorts, a t-shirt and, preferably, cleats. Coaching will be provided by junior high and high school coaches.

Registration for fall football for grades 3 through 6, will be

on Monday, August 9 at the football camp.

Providence Medical Group will be offering free physicals for students at Vernonia High School on Tuesday, August 10 from 8:15 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Appointments must be scheduled in advance. All necessary paperwork and scheduling can be done at the District Office.

For more information or to help with the Little Guy Football programs, call Coach Tony Pupo at 503-755-2210 or 503-913-4145.

Warren; Nathan Hannah, Warren; Stacey Kuhn, Warren; Heidi Larson, Warren; Stacy Larson, Warren; Kyle Melton, Warren; Zach Melton, Warren; Kyle Moore, Warren.

**Intermediate Showmanship: Blue Award** – Joel Stebbins, Rainier; Megan Parks, St. Helens; Andrew Elkins, Rainier; Amelia Gibson, Rainier; Matthew Gibson, Rainier; Chelsea Yarbor, St. Helens; Eric Budge, Vernonia; Kaci Budge, Vernonia; Jared Bradley, Warren; Kelsey Bradley, Warren; Stacey Kuhn, Warren; Stacy Larson, Warren; Zach Melton, Warren.

**Senior Showmanship: Blue Award** – Nathan Hannah, Warren; Katie Melton, Warren; Ashley Elkins, Rainier; Katie Greisen, Scappoose; Steven Greisen, Scappoose; Beau Miller, Scappoose; Brittany Westerdahl, Scappoose; Bryan Budge, Vernonia; Eric Schmidlin, Vernonia; Heidi Larson, Warren; Kyle Melton, Warren; Kyle Moore, Warren.

## PIGEONS

**Doves, Old Hen: Red Award** – Amanda Watts, Vernonia.

**Senior Showmanship: Champion** – Amanda Watts, Vernonia.

**Blue Award** – Amanda Watts.

## DAIRY CATTLE

**Other Breeds, 3 & 4 Year Old Cow: Blue Award** – Kari Budge, Vernonia.

**Senior Showmanship: Blue Award** – Kristen Elkins, Rainier; Kari Budge, Vernonia; Heidi Larson, Warren.

## CAVIES

**Abyssinian, Senior Boar: Champion** – Billi Avila, Buxton.

**Blue Award** – Billi Avila, Buxton.

**American, Junior Sow: Blue Award** – Ashley Savage, St. Helens; Katie Tatman, Vernonia.

**Red Award** – Katie Tatman, Vernonia.

**American, Senior Sow: Reserve Champion** – Amanda Watts, Vernonia.

**Blue Award** – Katie Tatman, Vernonia; Amanda Watts, Vernonia.

**American Satin, Junior Boar: Blue Award** – Katie Tatman, Vernonia.

**American Satin, Senior Boar: Champion** – Jacob Tatman, Vernonia.

**Blue Award** – Jacob Tatman, Vernonia.

**Crossbred, Senior Boar: Reserve Champion** – Billi Avila, Buxton.

**Blue Award** – Billi Avila, Buxton.

**Production Records: Champion** – Katie Tatman, Vernonia.

**Blue Award** – Katie Tatman, Vernonia.

**Junior Showmanship: Red Award** – Billi Avila, Buxton.

**Intermediate Showmanship: Red Award** – Zachery Westerdahl, Scappoose; Michelle Pardue, St. Helens; Jacob Tatman, Vernonia; Katie Tatman, Vernonia.

**Senior Showmanship: Champion** – Amanda Watts, Vernonia.

**Blue Award** – Amanda Watts, Vernonia.

## SHEEP

**Other Breeds, Yearling Ewe: Blue Award** – Jacob Tatman, Vernonia.

**Crossbred Meat Breeds, Yearling Ewe (Color inc): Champion** – Katie Tatman, Vernonia.

**Blue Award** – Robbie Greisen, Scappoose; Brittany Westerdahl, Scappoose; Katie Tatman, Vernonia.

**Intermediate Showmanship: Blue Award** – Nicholas Green, Clatskanie; Robbie Greisen, Scappoose; Mary Jo Itel, Scappoose; Courtney Savage, St. Helens; Chelsea Yarbor, St. Helens; Katie Tatman, Vernonia; Stacy Larson, Warren.

**Red Award** – Jewelee Stebbins, Rainier; Tyler Lessard, Scappoose; Rachel Weston, St. Helens; Jacob Tatman, Vernonia.

**Additional awards will be published August 19.**

# 4-H Poker Ride in St. Helens.

Columbia County 4-H Horse Leaders will hold a Poker Ride August 7 on Dowd Road in St. Helens. Registration will start at 9:30 a.m.

There will be lots of prizes and a food stand. Entry will be \$5 a hand or five hands for \$20. Prizes will be awarded at 2:00 p.m. This event will be a benefit for the 4-H Horse Leaders.

From Hwy 30, take Sykes Road to the "Y", go right at the "Y" onto Brooks-Dowd Road, go 2-1/2 miles up Dowd. Watch for signs. For more information, call Bob at 503-407-1424.

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