



## 4-H & Youth

### 1999 Official Lancaster County



#### 4-H Council Ballot



See biographical information on candidates (below)

##### Northwest Youth (vote for one)

Megan Bergman

##### Southeast Adult (vote for one)

Keith Dey

##### Southwest Youth (vote for one)

Jesse Schrader

##### Lincoln Adult (vote for one)

Cindy Fiala

##### Lincoln Youth/At Large Youth (vote for three)

Kathleen Arends

Becky Fiala

Vicki Green

Marta Madsen

##### At Large Adult (vote for one)

Larry Pershing

**Voter declaration:** I hereby declare that I am a resident of Lancaster County and am at least 14 years of age.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP Code \_\_\_\_\_

Return with marked ballot by **August 8** to:

UNL Cooperative Extension in Lancaster County

444 Cherrycreek Road

Lincoln, NE 68528-1507

or deposit in boxes at the county fair office or information booth on 2nd floor of the 4-H Building.

(Name will be separated from ballot by election clerk.)

## Biographical information

### Megan Bergman

6 year 4-H member. School activities include German Club, Drama Club, National Honor Society, track and cheerleader. Church, Sunday School, 4-H Council-2 years, Ambassador, Teen Council, CWF trip, emcee at many 4-H activities, Fair Fun Day tour guide, assists at county activities.

### Becky Fiala

6 year 4-H member. School activities include band, TOADS (Teens Opposed to Alcohol and Drugs), TOADS team leader and art club. 4-H junior leader 3 years, Teen Council, camp counselor, Fair Fun Day tour guide. Helps with church nursery, Sunday School, church, soccer.

### Jesse Schrader

9 year 4-H member. School activities include speech, bridges club, orchestra, choir and campus life. Church choir and occasional quartets. 4-H Council-1 year, Ambassador, Teen Council secretary 1 year, camp counselor 3 years, Staff In Training at 4-H camp, ExpoVisions, Kansas City Conference, assists at many 4-H activities.

### Vicki Green

5 year 4-H member. School activities include student council, student council secretary, Peer helper. Church-choir and youth group. 4-H junior leader, CWF trip, Teen Council, Character Counts! training. Involved in many community service activities with 4-H.

### Kathleen Arends

5 year 4-H member. School activities include student

council, Pound Pals, all city girls choir and band. Church choir. Community activities - pet therapy at nursing homes, Children's Museum volunteer, Cathedral Art Show, dance. 4-H Teen Council, Clover College instructor, helped at Snack Shack & Rock Café at county fair.

### Marta Madsen

8 year 4-H member. School activities include orchestra, synchronized swim team, choir and German Club. Church choir, youth group, children's music pianist, Sunday School assistant teacher, Bible School helper. 4-H Clover Bud Jr. Leader, grant writer city mission project, Fair Fun Day tour guide, Character Counts! training and presenter. Assists with many county 4-H activities. HOBY leadership conference.

### Keith Dey

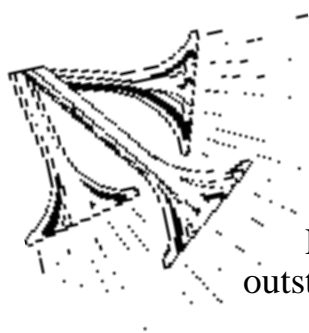
6 year 4-H volunteer. Horse VIPS committee, horse county fair superintendent 2 years. Involved in other community and 4-H activities. Enjoys music, skiing and golf.

### Cindy Fiala

3 year 4-H volunteer. 4-H Alumni. CWF Fundraising committee chair. School volunteer, room mother, community services activities with 4-H club.

### Larry Pershing

7 year 4-H volunteer. 4-H Council member, livestock booster club, sheep VIPS, Clover Kid VIPS, goat VIPS. Interested in helping youth develop life skills. Lancaster County volunteer of the month. (LB)



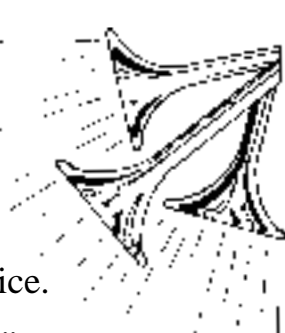
## 4-H Celebration

Sunday, August 8, 1 p.m.

4-H Arena, State Fair Park

Recognizing members and leaders for outstanding achievement and years of service.

Join the "Old Fashioned Family Fun".



Families will be selected from the audience to participate in "Family Fun Activities". Come and celebrate the achievements. Help give the 4-H members and leaders the recognition they deserve and the "thanks" they have earned. (LB)

## Showmanship workshops to be offered

If you would like to learn or better your showmanship skills, plan on attending the 1999 4-H and FFA Showmanship Workshops July 21 and 22 at State Fair Park.

During these workshops, the youth will learn proper show techniques such as setting animals up, grooming and much more. We will also discuss possible questions showmanship judges may ask and review the parts of an animal.

### Day 1

Beef Workshop, July 21, 9 a.m. to noon, East Arena and Beef Barn

Swine Workshop, July 21, 1-3 p.m., Swine Barn

### Day 2

Sheep Workshop, July 22, 9 a.m. to noon, Sheep Barn

Goat Workshop, July 22, 1 to 3 p.m., Goat Barn



Youth are encouraged to bring their animals with them. You may attend one or all of the workshops. No registration is required. All youth are welcome to attend. If you are not enrolled in a livestock project and would still like to learn, bring yourself and a friend. If you have any questions, call Deanna or Tim at 441-7180. (DK/TV)

## Beef artificial insemination workshop

An artificial insemination workshop will be held July 15, 8 a.m. to noon, at the Lancaster Extension Education Center. This workshop is being held to help educate some of the future cattle producers of the advancements in cattle breeding and the proper methods and techniques of them.

In this workshop many aspects and steps of artificial insemination will be covered. The workshop will cover genetic and sire selection, based on individual EPD's and ability of a sire to fit and improve your cow herd. The areas of estrus synchronization, heat detection and insemination will be covered with an emphasis on management of breeding stock as well as the reproductive physiology.

For registration or questions about the workshop, please call Tim or Deanna at 441-7180. Call and register by July 13. (TV/DK)

Take time at the Lancaster County Fair to vote for the 1999 4-H Council.

Ballots will be available at

the 4-H Office, State Fair Park and at the information booth, 2nd floor of the 4-H Building.

We need your vote! (LB)



## Fair Fun Day volunteers needed!

When? Friday, August 6

Where? Lancaster County Fair

Time? 9:30-11:30 a.m. and/or 1-3 p.m.

Activity? Leading tours around the fair for kindergarten through 4th grade children

Helping with registration, snacks or activities

Who? Teens or interested adults

Training? Will be provided the day of the activity

Call 441-7180 to volunteer. You may sign up for all day or for either time slot. Please indicate whether you would like to be a tour guide or other helper. If you have any questions, contact Tim Vaughn, Fair Fun Day coordinator. (TV)

## Food booth training

What: A workshop for ALL food booth volunteers. Even if you have attended before, you are encouraged to come this year.

Where: State Fair Park, 4-H Demo Rooms, just south of the 4-H Rock Café in the 4-H Youth Complex. (Check fair book map.)

When: Thursday, July 29, 6-8 p.m.

Workshops: Customer Service

Making Change and Taking Orders

Food Safety

Your Responsibilities as a Volunteer

Visit: Food Booths

Bonus: Certificate of Completion and lots of fun (LB)



## County fair livestock bedding

No straw will be allowed for bedding during county fair.

Wood chips will be available for purchase or you may bring your own. This includes all species. If you have any questions, call Deanna at 441-7180. (DK)

## Volunteers are needed and appreciated!

If you are 12 years of age or older, you can help as:

• **Fair assistant**—help judges and superintendents with exhibits Tuesday, August 3, 4-8 p.m. or Wednesday, August 4, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

• **Fair Fun Day helper**—give tours to daycare groups of the fairgrounds and activities Friday, August 6.

• **Food booth worker**—help in the 4-H food booths. Please call Rosie VerMaas at 792-2517 or the extension office at 441-7180 to sign up. Thanks a million! (LB)