

EXTENSION CALENDAR

All programs and events will be held at the Lancaster Extension Education Center unless otherwise noted.

JANUARY

- 24 Crop Protection Clinic 8:15 registration/8:50 start
- 24 Family & Community Education (FCE) Council Meeting, *Stauffer's Café & Pie Shoppe* 12:30 p.m.
- 25 "One of Rural America's Greatest Challenges" FCE & Community Leader Training 1 p.m.
- 25 Dine Out for 4-H's CWF, *Runza, 84th & Holdrege* 5-8 p.m.
- 26 "Ten Ways to Boost Ag Profits by \$20 per Acre" Workshop 9:15 a.m. check-in
- 26 4-H Horse Stampede Entries Due to Extension Office
- 27 4-H Horse Knowledge Club Meeting 7 p.m.
- 29 Private Pesticide Applicator Certification 8:30-11:30 a.m.

FEBRUARY

- 1-28 Nebraska 4-H Month
- 1 Private Pesticide Applicator Certification 6:30-9:30 p.m.
- 1 Commercial Pesticide Applicator Initial Training and Testing 9 a.m.
- 1 4-H Achievement Night, *Westbrook Music Building* 6:30-8 p.m.
- 3 Commercial Pesticide Applicator Recertification Training 9 a.m.
- 8 4-H Trap Shoot Meeting 7 p.m.
- 10 "Raising Small and Tree Fruits for Home or Commercial Use," Acreage Insights - Rural Living Clinic 7-9 p.m.
- 10 4-H Horse Knowledge Club Meeting 7 p.m.
- 11 Extension Board Meeting 8 a.m.
- 11 No-Till Farming Workshop 9:30 a.m.
- 13 4-H Teen Council Meeting 3 p.m.
- 21-27 Dine Out for 4-H's CWF, *Bruegger's Bagels*
- 22 Commercial Pesticide Applicator Recertification Training 9 a.m.
- 22 4-H Speech & Public Service Announcement (PSA) Workshop 7 p.m.
- 23 Chemigation Certification Training 6:30 p.m.
- 23 Private Pesticide Applicator Certification . 8:30-11:30 a.m. & 6:30-9:30 p.m.
- 24 Commercial Pesticide Applicator Initial Training and Testing 9 a.m.
- 24 4-H Horse Knowledge Club Meeting 7 p.m.

"Equine 102 - The Working & Riding Horse" Class

UNL and Purina Mills will hold an equestrian academy, "Equine 102 - the Working & Riding Horse" Tuesday nights from Feb. 1 to March 8. Classes meet 7-9:30 p.m. at the UNL Animal Science Complex, 38 & Fair Streets, Lincoln. Open to all youth and adults. For more information, go to animalscience.unl.edu/horse/horse102.htm or contact Marty at 441-7180.

Horsin' Around '05 Conference Feb. 5-6

UNL Cooperative Extension presents the 12th annual Horsin' Around Conference Feb. 5 & 6 at the UNL Animal Science Complex, 38 & Fair Streets, Lincoln. Featured presenter is Shane Dowdy on Western Pleasure. Open to all youth and adults. Preregistration closes Jan. 28. For more information, go to animalscience.unl.edu/horse/horsinaround.htm or contact Marty at 441-7180.

Nebraska Horse Expo March 11-13

The 2005 Nebraska Horse Expo will be March 11-13 at the Lancaster Event Center. The Expo brings together horse enthusiasts from all disciplines for three days of entertainment and information. Special clinicians and speakers include horse trainer Curt Pate, Susan Harris and horse trainer Kevin Wescott. There is a photo contest open to all ages. For more information, go to nebraskahorsecouncil.org.

This Nebraska Student Spent Her Summer With NASA

MELLISA ACKERMAN, a junior from Alliance majoring in math and French at the University of Nebraska—Lincoln, was one of 12 NASA interns selected from 1,500 applicants last summer. Now, she is continuing her NASA research on campus. Next summer, she plans to study in France and hopes to attend graduate school in the future. Whatever her goals, Ackerman knows her professors will be there to support her. *"Professors matter. I see Dr. Woodward, a week. Dr. Lyons helped me the NASA internship. They've here let students know they my advisor, at least twice as I wrote my essay for had an impact on my life."*

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