



Dates to Remember:

- Sat, Feb 1; 10 am—12 pm
Beef Weigh-In
- Sat, Feb 1; 8:30 am
Game Jam
- Mon, Feb 3; 6:00 pm
Executive Committee
Youth at 6-All at 7
- Sat, Feb 8; 9 am—11 am
Hippology Contest
- Sat, Feb 15; 9 am—4 pm
Idea Fair
- Tue, Feb 18; 6 pm
Auction Meeting
- Thu, Feb 20; 6 pm
New Leader Training
- Wed, Feb 26; 6 pm
Fair Awards Meeting
- Wed, Mar 12—Fri, Mar 14
Spring Conference,
Candi and Reaza out of town
- Mon, Mar 17; 6:30 pm
New Leader Training
- Tue, Mar 18; 6 pm
Advisory Meetings
(Horse, Dog, HmEc,
SmAni, Livestock)
- Wed, Mar 19; 6 pm
S.E.T. Advisory Meeting
- Wed, Mar 19; 7:15 pm
Shooting Sports Mtng

Don't Forget these Major Events!

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Sat., Feb 1; 10 am

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**Horse Hippology
Contest**
Sat., Feb 8; 9 am

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**Idea Fair**  
Sat., Feb 15; 8 am

### Are You Keeping Up with Our Robotics Teams?



Frankly, I'm not even sure what it all means, but I know they are doing very well—especially for generally young teams. Two FLL (First LEGO League) teams, Girls on Fire coached by Molly Slough and the Redmond Twisters, coached by Dave Pardo qualified and attended the Intel Oregon *FIRST* LEGO League CHAMPIONSHIP Tournament in January. Girls on Fire including team members: Katie Slough, Maryanne Slough, Martha Schwarz, Heather Davenport, Teaghan Knox, Kinsey Popham, and Brenna Popham came away with a category first place win in Project Presentation! Very impressive! Congratulations ladies!

Additionally, we have a couple FTC (First Tech Challenge) teams participating around the state; both teams are from Sisters. Brotherhood of Steel coached by Joey Hougham and Outlaws from the Cascade Computer Club coached by Jirka Novotny are doing quite well also. Both teams have recently competed, the Outlaws in HoodRiver and Bend and Brotherhood of Steel in Bend and planning to compete in Corvallis in February.

Congratulations to all teams! And if you're not familiar with these programs you can check them out on ORTOP's sites: <http://www.ortop.org/ftc/> or <http://www.ortop.org/fll/> These *FIRST* Lego Robotics competitions are not just about robotics, but they include teamwork, presentations, interviews and more. Lots of hard work and effort goes into each competition. Congratulations to ALL participants!

### Seniors & Intermediates Complete Horse Bowl Competition—Several on to State Competition

Congratulations to all the participants in this year's horse bowl contest. Horse bowl is an equine knowledge based quiz bowl contest, where member compete for the most points and the opportunity to compete at State and even the National level.



### Horse Bowl Results 2013/2014

#### Intermediates

|           |          |       |
|-----------|----------|-------|
| Elizabeth | Ries     | CH, B |
| Holly     | Silvey   | RC, B |
| Danette   | Brown    | B     |
| Jessica   | Burnette | B     |
| Halee     | Snair    | B     |
| Randi     | Allen    | B     |
| Alyssa    | Minar    | B     |
| Adaline   | Meeks    | R     |
| Janelle   | Neumann  | R     |

#### Seniors

|           |          |       |
|-----------|----------|-------|
| Elizabeth | Larson   | CH, B |
| Lauren    | Walley   | RC, B |
| Lauren    | Curl     | B     |
| Region    | Hayden   | B     |
| Amie      | Simpson  | B     |
| Kathleen  | Mitchell | B     |

Highlighted winners are eligible to compete at Spring Horse Classic, please contact Candi immediately to let her know if you plan to compete.

**Deschutes County  
4-H  
Weekly Update**

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Also, check out these websites:

**Oregon 4-H**  
[oregon.4h.oregonstate.edu/](http://oregon.4h.oregonstate.edu/)

**Deschutes County Extension**  
[Extension.oregonstate.edu/deschutes](http://Extension.oregonstate.edu/deschutes)



**March Advisory  
Meeting  
Date Changed**

So sorry for the continued challenges; both Reaza and Candi have to be gone for an Extension Conference, so the March meeting had to be moved.

**Horse, Dog, Home Economics/  
Expressive Arts, Livestock and  
Small Animal Advisory meetings  
are now scheduled for:**

**Tuesday, March 18; 6 pm**

**North Sister Building on the  
Fairgrounds**

**On a Similar Note...**

**March 18  
Auction Meeting Canceled**

There will not be a March auction meeting. The next auction meeting will be Tue, Feb 18, no meeting in March, followed by:

- ⇒ Tue, April 15
- ⇒ Tue, June 17
- ⇒ Tue, July 15
- ⇒ Tue, Sep 16
- ⇒ Tue, Oct 21
- ⇒ Tue, Jan 20, 2015



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**Idea Fair—Coming FAST!  
Last Chance to Submit Class**

Are you interesting in teaching a class at Idea Fair? Over 120 volunteer instructors are needed and anything you want to teach is valuable to the youth and families who attend. Literally, anything you can imagine. This is a great opportunity for youth to teach too—team up and do a quiz bowl class or a showmanship class—you older members know this stuff front to back—let's share your knowledge. Invite your friends, veterinarians, contractors, etc. Contact Kim in our office for an instructor form and we'll get you signed up to teach today.

**Game Jam  
Returns to Central Oregon**

Lots of young people enjoyed the first ever Game Jam in Central Oregon last year and its success allows us to host again. If you have interest in technology or building video games, you don't want to miss this opportunity.

**OGPC in Redmond**

OGPC Game Jams are one-day events that provide teams of high-school and middle-school students an opportunity to create a design document and paper prototype of a game based on the team's chosen theme. Working with industry mentors, students will learn the basics of team communication, translating abstract ideas into concrete plans, rapid paper-prototyping of their designs, pitching their projects, and professional networking.

**Saturday, February 1, 2014**

Deschutes County Fairgrounds,  
North Sister Building

8:30 AM Check In

\$5 Cost—Lunch is provided

To pre-register, go to the following link:

<http://www.ogpc.info>

Trustworthy—Respect  
Responsibility—Citizenship  
Fairness—Caring

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**Have You Signed Up for Your Short-Term  
4-H Afterschool Class?**

Parks and Recreation in Bend and Redmond have upcoming afterschool opportunities your kids may not want to miss.

In Bend, you can register at:

<http://www.bendparksandrec.org/>

Click on the upper right corner R for register and enter the class number you are interested in.

In Redmond, you can register at:

<http://www.raprd.org/>

Click on online registration and enter the class number you are interested in.

These are fee based classes and their costs are listed...

**Gadgets & Gizmos**

A fun hands-on science, engineering, math, and technology experience. From GPS discovery to electronic circuitry, wind energy to bridge building and robotics to egg dropping—something new each week.

Redmond: #2673; \$79; 4/7-5/12

⇒ 3rd-6th grade; 4pm—5:30 pm

⇒ at the Activity Center

Bend: # 106502; \$75; Ages: 8-12; 3:30-5:pm

⇒ 2/20-3/20 at Highland Elementary

⇒ 4/3—5/8 at High Lakes Elementary

**Mythbusters! 4-H Science Fun**

Explore science the MythBusters way! With exciting hands-on experiments, you'll put myths to the test.

Redmond #3673; \$70; 2/18-3/18 or 4/8—5/20

⇒ 2nd-5th grade; 4:00-5:30 pm

⇒ at the Activity Center

⇒ Each session is different activities

Bend #106501; \$70; Ages 7-11; 2:00-3:30 pm

⇒ 2/19-4/16 at Ponderosa Elementary

⇒ 4/23-6/4 at Miller Elementary

**Cascade WILDS!**

Get outside, follow the trails and explore the survival ways of our ancestors. Build shelters, play games, craft primitive tools and more!

**In Bend ONLY.**

Grades 1-5; \$70;

⇒ At High Lakes Elementary

⇒ 2/26-4/16; #106605

⇒ At Jewell Elementary

⇒ 4/23-6/4; #106623

And on a similar note:

**Spring Break Day Camp**

⇒ for ages 7-12. #106503

⇒ 3/24-27; 9: am—2:30 pm; \$125;

⇒ Shevlin Park

**Photography Basics**

Discover photography and learn how to operate your camera, frame a quality photo and the many various adjustments and types of photos. Whether still, movement, nature or portrait—you will have a great start and lots of hands-on practice.

In Redmond ONLY.

Grades 5th-8th; \$79; #6668

4:-5:30 pm at the Activity Center on

2/13-3/20 or 4/10-5/15

