District I Report

November 3, 2008 - Mauri Knott
District I held a retreat at the monastery in Cottonwood. A lot of work was done to identify what direction we are heading as a district. A 4-H retreat was held on October 27, 28.

April 2, 2008-Jennifer Lustig
Have been busy with Enrollment and Leader Training. Also discussed the Clearwater County 4-H Position. A new person will begin in that position later in the year with emphasis on Community Development and 4-H. It was an internal transfer.

October 2, 2007-Mauri Knott
There were five successful horse camps held throughout the district this year, they are well received - very fun, effective learning opportunities for youth and leaders. The Panhandle and NCIA committees continue to meet regularly. A majority of the counties in District I have a 10% increase in enrollment. Yolanda Bone has been appointed as coordinator for the CYFAR grant for the Coeur d’Alene Reservation. 4-H Assistants in Boundary and Nez Perce counties are now 4-H Program Coordinators. Lewis County has a Vista volunteer.

April 11, 2007-Mauri Knott
The Panhandle Team continues to have bi-monthly meetings. The committee is working on educating livestock members and parents about livestock health and transportation laws by developing a handout. They offered North Idaho Teen Day on March 31st which was open to 4-H and non-4-H youth ages 13 and over. Workshops included personality profiling, parliamentary procedure basics, opportunities beyond the county level, and low-ropes challenge activities. The NCIA Team is excited to have Jennifer Lustig as the new Area Extension Educator. Lewis County held a successful Spring into 4-H Fun Camp in Kamiah. Latah & Nez Perce counties have held livestock and horse workshops and county activity day. Clearwater County is on a four day school week such as Boundary County. They are offering Friday 4-H Fun Days doing enrichment activities and having fun. The NCIA as a group are utilizing the EID program, not for all species, but all counties are utilizing the technology. The Farm & Forest Program featured 500 5th graders held in Latah County featuring farm and forestry workstations. Super Saturday will be held in Lewiston Saturday, April 14th and planning is underway for the CL2N 4-H Camp.