

## DISTRICT III CALENDAR UPDATE

### *July 2009*

- Jul 6-10 District III 4-H July Summer Camp for youth 8-13, at the central 4-H Camp. 4-H membership is not required. Registration \$170. No transportation is provided. (Contact the Gooding County Extension Office, 934-4417)
- Jul 8 4-H Cake Decorating Class, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon., at Buhlwinkles on Main St. in Buhl. The cost is \$7. (Contact Teresa Tverdy, 734-9590)
- Jul 8 Pesticide Applicator License Exam, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon, in the CSI Taylor Building, Room #276, in Twin Falls. The exam fee is \$10 (no money will be collected at the exam session). A photo ID is required. Since dates are subject to change, call an ISDA representative 24 hours prior to the exam. (Contact Dustin Kenney 736-4759, Jim Childs, 736-4790, Randy Quigley, 736-5277)
- Jul 10 “Mom (or Dad) & Me” Food Preservation Workshop, 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., at the Minidoka County Extension Office. Participants will learn the basic food preservation skills of home canning, freezing, and drying. The class will be limited to 9 teams which can consist of moms and daughters or sons, dads and daughters or sons, grandparents & grandkids, any partner will do. The cost is \$20 per team, which includes a food preservation handbook. (Contact Rhea Lanting, 734-9590, Grace Wittman, 878-9461, or Donna Gillespie, 436-7184)
- Jul 14 Cassia County 4-H Communication Rodeo, starting at 10:00 a.m. at the Cassia County Extension Office. This is the kick-off event of the 2009 Fair. (Contact the Rosie Davids, 878-9461)
- Jul 14-16 Southern Idaho Livestock Judging Camp at the Jerome County Fairgrounds. Registration is \$100. Adult registration is \$65. (Contact the Gooding County Extension Office, 934-4417)
- Jul 15 Aberdeen R&E Center Twilight Tour, 5:00 – 8:00 p.m. (Contact Kristi Copeland, 397-7000 ext 102)
- Jul 18 Minidoka County 4-H Demonstration, Job Interview, and Public Speaking Contest, starting at 10:30 a.m., at the Minidoka County Fairgrounds McGregor Center. (Contact Jeni Bywater, 436-7184)

- Jul 20 “Mom (or Dad) & Me” Food Preservation Workshop, 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., at the Twin Falls County Extension Office. Participants will learn the basic food preservation skills of home canning, freezing, and drying. The class will be limited to 9 teams which can consist of moms and daughters or sons, dads and daughters or sons, grandparents & grandkids, any partner will do. The cost is \$20 per team, which includes a food preservation handbook. (Contact Rhea Lanting, 734-9590, Grace Wittman, 878-9461, or Donna Gillespie, 436-7184)
- Jul 21 4-H Outdoor Cooking, 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. at Rock Creek Park. The cost is \$10. (Contact Teresa Tverdy, 734-9590)
- Jul 21 Organic Cropping Systems Field Day, starting at 9:30 a.m., at the Kimberly R&E Center. Visit the University of Idaho’s organic field site: wheat, dry beans, and potatoes. The cost is \$10, which includes lunch. (For more information, contact Paula Jones, 237-4628 ext 104, [Paula.Jones@id.usda.gov](mailto:Paula.Jones@id.usda.gov), or Jen Miller, 850-6504, [jmiller@pesticide.org](mailto:jmiller@pesticide.org))
- Jul 22 Pesticide Applicator License Exam, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon, at the Minidoka County Fairgrounds. The exam fee is \$10 (no money will be collected at the exam session). A photo ID is required. Since dates are subject to change, call an ISDA representative 24 hours prior to the exam. (Contact Dustin Kenney 736-4759, Jim Childs, 736-4790, Randy Quigley, 736-5277)
- Jul 22-23 2009 Western States Extension Middle Managers Conference at the Semiahmoo Resort near Bellingham, WA. For conference details, go to <http://professionaleducation.wsu.edu/wrjism>.
- Jul 24-26 Fourth Annual Idaho Military Family Camp at the central Idaho 4-H Camp. Registration is \$40/person, babies up to one year old are free, and children must be accompanied by an adult. Idaho’s National Guard and Reserve service and family members who have experienced deployment, homecoming or military life, and spouses “who are on their own” with or without children are eligible to attend. (For more information, contact Sue Philley, 454-6556, or [sphilley@uidaho.edu](mailto:sphilley@uidaho.edu))
- Jul 28 Cassia County 4-H Style Revue, 7:00 p.m., tentatively scheduled to be held at Declo High School. Practice will begin at 4:00 p.m., judging at 5:00 p.m., and the Revue will begin at 7:00 p.m. (Contact Rosie Davids, 878-9461)
- Jul 29 Rockets in a Day Class, 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., at the Twin Falls County Fairgrounds. The cost is \$7, which includes the rocket and engine. (Contact Teresa Tverdy, 734-9590)
- Jul 30 Rockets in a Day Class, 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., at Buhlwinkles on Main St. in Buhl. The cost is \$7, which includes the rocket and engine. (Contact Teresa Tverdy, 734-9590)

### *August 2009*

- Aug 1 4-H Day Camp, 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., at the Twin Falls County Fairgrounds. (Contact Teresa Tverdy, 734-9590)
- Aug 1 Rocket Shoot-Off, 12:30 p.m. at the Twin Falls County Fairgrounds. (Contact Teresa Tverdy, 734-9590)
- Aug 2 Free “Babysitting Train-the-Trainer” Workshops, 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., ..... in Twin Falls. Topics will include first aid, fire safety, child development, and food and nutrition. Participants should bring a brown bag lunch. (For more information, contact Sue Philley, 334-2328, or [sphilley@uidaho.edu](mailto:sphilley@uidaho.edu))
- Aug 5 Pesticide Applicator License Exam, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon, in the CSI Taylor Building, Room #276, in Twin Falls. The exam fee is \$10 (no money will be collected at the exam session). A photo ID is required. Since dates are subject to change, call an ISDA representative 24 hours prior to the exam. (Contact Dustin Kenney 736-4759, Jim Childs, 736-4790, Randy Quigley, 736-5277)
- Aug 12 Super Sitter Babysitting class, 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., at the Twin Falls County Extension Office. The cost is \$25, and participants are asked to bring a lunch. The focus of the morning class is learning about babysitting, and in the afternoon, hospital EMT’s teach how to handle emergency situations. (Contact Rhea Lanting, 734-9590)
- Aug 13 Organic Field Day at the King’s Crown Organic Farm (corn, onions, potatoes, and squash), starting at 9:30 a.m., in Glens Ferry. The cost is \$10, which includes lunch. (For more information, contact Paula Jones, 237-4628 ext 104, [Paula.Jones@id.usda.gov](mailto:Paula.Jones@id.usda.gov), or Jen Miller, 850-6504. [jmiller@pesticide.org](mailto:jmiller@pesticide.org))
- Aug 18-20 Practical Food Safety and HACCP Workshop in Boise. Registration is \$560, with discounts for government employees or two or more employees from the same company. Scholarships are available, based on need. Continuing Education Units (CEU) are available upon request. For more information, go to [www.techhelp.org](http://www.techhelp.org). (Contact Paula Peterman, 364-6188, or [paulap@uidaho.edu](mailto:paulap@uidaho.edu))
- Aug 19 Pesticide Applicator License Exam, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon, at the Minidoka County Fairgrounds. The exam fee is \$10 (no money will be collected at the exam session). A photo ID is required. Since dates are subject to change, call an ISDA representative 24 hours prior to the exam. (Contact Dustin Kenney 736-4759, Jim Childs, 736-4790, Randy Quigley, 736-5277)
- Aug 21 Twin Falls County 4-H Public Speaking Contest, 2:00 p.m., at the Twin Falls County Extension Office. (Contact Teresa Tverdy, 734-9590)

Aug 22 Twin Falls County 4-H Style Revue at the Twin Falls Nazarene Church. Practice is at 9:00 a.m., judging is at 1:00 p.m., and the show is at 6:00 p.m. (Contact Teresa Tverdy, 734-9590)

### *September 2009*

Sep 5 District III 4-H Style Revue, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon, on the free stage at the Twin Falls County Fairgrounds. (Contact any Extension office)

Sep 9 Pesticide Applicator License Exam, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon, in the CSI Taylor Building, Room #276, in Twin Falls. The exam fee is \$10 (no money will be collected at the exam session). A photo ID is required. Since dates are subject to change, call an ISDA representative 24 hours prior to the exam. (Contact Dustin Kenney 736-4759, Jim Childs, 736-4790, Randy Quigley, 736-5277)

Sep 15-17 Fifth National Small Farms Conference “Roadmap to Success for Small Farmers and Ranchers” at the Hilton Hotel and Prairie Capital Convention Center in Springfield, IL. This is a train-the-trainer conference. More information can be found at <http://www.conferences.uiuc.edu/smallfarm>.

Sep 15-18 Lost Rivers Grazing Academy, “Intensive Management of Irrigated Pastures,” at the Nancy M. Cummings Research, Extension & Education Center. The full time fee is \$450 per person, or \$450 for first team member of a ranch/farm team and \$300 per additional team member. The daytime-only fee is \$125 per day or any part. The alumni fee is \$250, but no materials are included. The fees includes continental breakfasts, lunches, suppers, breaks, one set of course materials per ranch, and evening presentations. Class size is limited, and pre-registration is due by September 9. (Contact Chad Cheyney, 527-8587, [ccheyney@uidaho.edu](mailto:ccheyney@uidaho.edu); or Scott Jensen, 896-4104, [scottj@uidaho.edu](mailto:scottj@uidaho.edu))

Sep 20-24 National Association of County Agricultural Agents (NACAA) Annual Meeting in Portland, OR.

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Sep 27-30 National 4-H Dairy Conference in Madison Wisconsin. Applications are due by May 1. Contact any County Extension office for more information.

Sep 28-30 10<sup>th</sup> Annual National Outreach Scholarship Conference at the Georgia Center for Continuing Education on the University of Georgia Campus in Athens, GA. Go to [http://www.georgiacenter.uga.edu/conferences/outreach\\_conference/fees.phtml](http://www.georgiacenter.uga.edu/conferences/outreach_conference/fees.phtml) for more information.

*October 2009*

Oct 15-17 Idaho State 4-H Leader's Forum at the Red Lion Hotel in Idaho Falls.

**2009 COUNTY FAIR DATES**

Blaine County	August 3-8
Butte County	August 10-15
Camas County	July 29-August 2
Cassia County	August 10-15
Custer County	July 27-August 1
Gooding County	August 17-22
Jerome County	August 1-8
Lemhi County	August 22-29
Lincoln County	July 18-25
Minidoka County	July 27-August 1
Twin Falls County	September 2-7
Western Idaho Fair	August 21-30
Eastern Idaho Fair	September 5-12

/s/ Don Morishita, Interim District III Director, Twin Falls Research & Extension Center

**Please contact Mary Fenwick at 736-3605, or [mfenwick@uidaho.edu](mailto:mfenwick@uidaho.edu), for any additions or corrections to the calendar.**

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### JULY BIRTHDAYS

5 Rhea Lanting  
9 Shree Singh  
16 Richard Hayes  
29 Kathy Stewart-Williams