



State 4-H Conference Workshops 2010



Tuesday July 13, 2010

8-10am –Keith Davis, Guest Speaker– P.U.S.H - Persevere Until Something Happens
What are the tangible, and intangible qualities that will cause a student to 'PUSH' thru peer pressure, poverty, depressed uneducated environments, and family crisis, and go on to thrive and achieve excellence. Also, as leaders, how do we motivate those around us and spark the of potential those who are seemingly meandering in mediocrity. Let's explore!

9-11am –What's My Carbon Footprint? - During this workshop, we'll learn more what a 'carbon footprint' is, how it relates to other effects that humans have on the earth. Participants will calculate their own footprint, and learn why different ways of calculating it produce different estimates. Then we'll learn about the different ways that we can change the size of different parts of our footprints, and about some new and old technologies that make this even easier! **Max 40**

8am -12pm - Welding Fun - Taught by Dr. Carlos Rosencrans
First timers interested in creating something out of metal- Come and learn to weld with Dr. Rosencrans. We will provide the very basics for stick welding. Learn how easy it is to run a bead, and connect two pieces of metal together. **You should bring old clothes (they must be cotton) and wear solid leather shoes.**

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1:30-3:30pm – Learning to Lead, Leading to Learn – Interested in becoming a member of the leadership team? Want to serve in a leadership role in 4-H or other organizations? During the workshop you will learn what you need to do to serve in these roles. You will be able to identify your leadership roles and how to use them in a leadership position and what you can learn from those you are leading,

1:30-3:30pm–Crime Scene Investigation – Hosted by the NMSU Police Department -
Participants will learn basic techniques for locating, collecting, and analyzing crime scene evidence used in courts of law. Identify boundaries of a crime scene and review the principles of searching the crime scene for different types of evidence, identifiable forensic material, and other items of evidentiary value. Fingerprinting, one of the key pieces of evidence, will be shown in a hands-on format as well as the AFIS System of Identification. **Max 30**

1-5pm – Food Preparation Jam – Hosted by Barbara Chamberlin and the Media Productions Department – Given a secret ingredient and four hours to prepare, can you craft an expert dish AND a YouTube video with cooking instructions? You'll have access to the Internet and four hours to learn about the ingredient, research possible recipes, prepare the dish, write a video script and record your 3-minute cooking segment. If you have an interest or some expertise in food preparation, script writing, web searching or video production, you have the makings to succeed in the Food Star Jam! **Max 20**



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9-11am - Volleyball Tournament – hosted by the Rodeo Coaches

Let's see which county is the best at volleyball. Come and team up with your fellow 4-H'ers for a fun and exciting Volleyball Tournament.

9-11am – Amazing Race – Description coming soon!

9-11am –Operation: Military Kids presents Sewing for Service Members. - Come support service members deploying throughout New Mexico. This will include a sewing session to make pillowcases for deployed service member's children, a project which 4-H has participated in nationally for the past five years. Also come learn about the Operation: Military Kids program and how you as a 4-Her can get involved.

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1:30-3:30pm –Pool Playing Workshop– If you enjoy playing pool either as a hobby or competitively this workshop is for you. During this workshop an instructor will be teaching various pool playing skills and techniques to win the game. **Max 35**

1:30-3:30pm –Want to RELAX??? Come and do Yoga! - Hosted by Dawn Patterson, College Instructor – During this workshop you will learn what yoga is and its relaxation techniques. You will also get to participate in a yoga session. **Max 50**

1:00-5:00 –Science Workshop #2 – Hosted by Peter Skelton and Jonathon Madrid - Did you hear about the big wind spill in New Mexico? If you didn't, this workshop will be a great opportunity to learn about renewable energy and see it put to productive uses. Build your own mini solar race car and have fun racing with sun power. **Max 20**



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Thursday July 15, 2010

8am -12pm - Welding Fun - Taught by Dr. Carlos Rosencrans

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9-11am – Think Tank –Hosted by Dr. Frank Hodnett – Do you have thoughts on what should be offered at the State 4-H Events and the State 4-H Program? This workshop is centered on listening to what you have to say to improve state 4-H events. Come and share your ideas!

8am-12pm –Presentation Jam– Hosted by Barbara Chamberlin and the Media

Productions Department –Come ready to make something inspiring. We'll loan you a laptop, give expert instruction in making digital presentations that zing, and issue a theme. You'll then search the web, and create an impressive, self-standing digital presentation. You should have some familiarity with computers, and feel comfortable searching the web and using a digital presentation program, such as PowerPoint. **Max 20**