## **Sutter Buttes 4-H**

## "To Make the Best Better"

January 1, 2025



## Dear Community Supporter:

The Sutter Buttes 4-H Club is a youth organization which promotes the development of leadership, citizenship, and communication skills. Members participate in various projects in a "hands on learning" environment. They also are involved in a variety of community activities and service projects.

The Sutter Buttes 4-H Club hosts an annual community dinner and auction to raise funds for various club activities and community service projects as well as our scholarship fund. Every year we award scholarships to graduating seniors that have been members of our 4-H club and who have demonstrated outstanding leadership and citizenship.

This year our event will be held on *Tuesday, March 11<sup>th</sup>* at Sutter Union High School in the cafeteria. Dinner is free to those who attend. A live cake auction will be the center of attention where club members make special, homemade, cakes to be auctioned off to those in attendance. In addition, we will have a silent auction where various items and products donated by companies or individuals and will be displayed and available for bid at our event.

To make this event a success, we are seeking donations of money, goods and/or services. Money will be used to assist us with purchasing items for the dinner event or put directly into our fundraising account. Goods and/or services will be placed in either the silent or live auction. All donors will be recognized at the event for their contribution.

We hope you will consider contributing to our 4-H Club! If you have any questions, please contact me. I am happy to pick-up donations or give me a call to make other arrangements. All community donations will be collected by Friday, March 7<sup>th</sup> and must be accompanied by the auction contribution form.

Sincerely,

Melissa Laney
Silent Auction Chair

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December 30, 2024

To Whom This May Concern:

Members of the Sutter Buttes 4-H club have been approved to solicit donations on behalf of their club. Donations collected will be used at their upcoming fundraising dinner and auction being held on Tuesday, March 11, 2025. This annual event raises funds that are used to support club activities, community service projects, and provides scholarships to graduating seniors who have demonstrated great work and service in the Sutter Buttes 4-H club.

4-H is a national youth organization. The purpose of 4-H is to build capable, confident, and caring young individuals who are prepared to meet the challenges of a rapidly changing world. This is accomplished by engaging youth in hands-on learning experiences led by caring adults. In Sutter and Yuba Counties, there are 12 4-H clubs that reach nearly 600 youth members and 200 adult leaders.

4-H is a recognized 501(c)(3) organization. It is part of the Regents of the University of California ("The Regents") which is the legal entity composing the University of California system, it consists of ten campuses and the Office of the President. The University of California is the land grant university for the State of California created by the State Legislature in 1868 and was originally recognized by the IRS as exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) in 1939.

The Office of the President is the central administrative office of the UC system. Within this office is the Division of Agriculture and Natural Resources ("ANR") which operates the 4-H Youth Development Program, including over 800 4-H clubs throughout the State of California. The 4-H clubs' activities are tax-exempt under the umbrella of the university's section 501(c)(3) status. The University of California's FEIN number is 94-3067788.

Please contact Melissa Laney at (530) 301-2235 or <a href="melissalaney@me.com">melissalaney@me.com</a> with any questions. Thank you for your time and consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

Mary Zoller

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