Pluses and Wishes

Congratulations! The 4-H year is almost over. Now that the 4-H year is winding down, it is time for us to reflect on our 4-H year. One way to do this is to make a list of “pluses and wishes”.

The purpose of this activity is not to dredge up and rehash unpleasant or unsuccessful incidents. Rather than writing down or listing all the things that went wrong, all the “disasters” that may have befallen us, all the details that may have tripped us up (What a downer!)... we should encourage our group to note what went well, and what we wish for the future.

Take a moment in your 4-H club or project group to discuss what went well with your 4-H members. As a group activity, have them tell you activities that were successful, or things that turned out wonderfully… or even better than expected. Parents and leaders can contribute to this list as well. A list of “Pluses” gives us a reason to celebrate and include time to recognize all the wonderful efforts of the members, parents and leaders.

Then generate a list of “Wishes”. What do you wish to happen in the next 4-H year? Once again, guide the members away from making negative statements and create the list using positive and encouraging words. Create a new vision for something to happen successfully and wonderfully, or differently, in the future. From this kind of activity comes the potential to create the world of your dreams. The list can result in new ideas for Community Service activities, 4-H Club social events, program ideas for the community club meeting, project field trips and other learning situations that could enhance the 4-H members’ year.

Keep the lists. The “pluses” will be fun to look back on in the future, and the “wishes” will be useful when the club is setting goals and planning the program for next year.
Dear Parents, Leaders and Members,

As we wind down from a busy 4-H year, I want to remind each of you of the importance of saying “thank you” to anyone who has assisted you or your club in meeting your goals for the 4-H year. One of the most valuable forms of doing this is writing a thank you note. I hope you find the following helpful…

How to Write a Thank You Note - Amanda Tyahur

Everyone should know how to write a good thank you note because it is polite; it shows you value a person. It expresses appreciation for what they gave to you.

Thank you notes are a polite, formal way of thanking someone. When someone does something for you in everyday life you thank them. This courtesy is just as important in written correspondence. When someone receives a thank you note from another they feel stronger about that person’s character.

Thank you notes let the people you are giving them to know that you value them and what they think of you. Most people like to receive thank you notes because it shows that they are valuable to you.

Thank you notes, more than anything else, show appreciations for something a person has given; this could be anything from a gift to attendance at an occasion. Thank you notes are very personal and they take time and thought to create, so when a person receives a well thought-out note, they feel your appreciation even more.

Thank you notes are polite ways of showing people you value and appreciate them. They are personal & make the receiver feel special. Everyone should know how to write a good thank you note for these reasons.

Basic Structure:

1) Say thank you!
2) Make it personal
3) Give your thoughts on the gift or event
4) Say thank you Again!
5) Closing: I love you all, etc.

Helpful Hints:

> When you are writing a thank you note, always plan ahead. Figure out how much time the thank you note will require to make. Be sure the message is clear and that all the information needed is in a logical sequence. You don’t want to confuse the reader. Plan what response you want your reader to have. Think of how you would feel to receive a thank you note like the one you are sending.

> Keep it short and sweet yet vivid and complete. Don’t make your thank you note too long; a short paragraph invites reading and makes a stronger impression. Stick to the point or your message may be lost. Always remember: less is sometimes more. Let what you are saying express how you feel.

> A good way to tone up your thank you note is to accent the positive and to eliminate the negative. People avoid pessimistic writings and seek out optimistic writing (you don’t want to depress your reader!).

For Example:

1) I’m reminded that we should remain in contact throughout the year.
2) I am reminded of how little we see each other & that we should take the time throughout the year to be together as a family.

“Western Warehouse” ~

Offers 15% Discount to all active 4-H/FFA Members!

Western Warehouse in Prescott Valley is offering a 15% discount on the total purchase of items when you let them know that you are currently an active member of Yavapai County 4-H or any Yavapai County FFA Chapter. This offer is good throughout the year.
Many of Camp Verde’s residents were greeted with a knock on their door on a Sunday afternoon in April. Members of the Camp Verde Cowboys 4-H Club were participating in our First Annual Food Drive. Our goal was to collect 1,250 pounds of food over the last few months and in order to reach this goal, the kids were divided into teams and driven around to local neighborhoods to collect canned goods. The club reached and exceeded their goal by collecting 2,280 pounds of food! We would like to thank all of the residents who helped out in donating to our food drive. All food items will stay here in this community and have been donated to the Bread of Life Food Bank. After the kids worked for two hours collecting food, they were treated to a Pizza Party followed by a silent auction. Since October, when the kids enrolled in 4-H, they have been earning “Clover Cash” by fulfilling requirements of the club. A large portion of the silent auction items were donated by local businesses and the 4-H leaders. On behalf of the 4-H Club, we would like to extend our sincere thanks to the following businesses for helping to make this event possible: Camp Verde Feeds, Gibbs Western Wear, CVS Pharmacy, and Ellie Espinoza. Another huge appreciation goes out to all the wonderful leaders who have been volunteering their time, energy, and money to make this 4-H club very successful. These leaders include: Kristi Mulcaire, Daria Weir, Greg & Karen Terry, Luree Harrington, Danny & Merandie Parker, Stacey Chambers, Maggie Woodbury, Tom Middlebrook, and Mary Bassous. We would also like to thank all the residents of Camp Verde for supporting our 4-H club and making a difference in the lives of our youth.

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- From the May Clover Corner News from National 4-H

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Along with handy personal care items, the gifts included Montana postcards, treats and warm wishes. Some Montana businesses donated items, but Hannah mostly bought goodies, partly so they’d fit in her boxes.

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Congratulations to all of your success at EXPO 2007!!

HORSE CLASSES:
Halter:
Grand Champion Sr. - Shelby Wendel, Prescott Rough Riders
Reserve Grand Champion Sr. - Grace Somers, Back in the Saddle
Grand Champion Jr. - Mariah Finger, Chino Valley Breakaways
Reserve Grand Champion Jr. - Mary Alice Wisecarver, Lonesome Valley Wranglers

CATTLE CLASSES:
Feeder Steer:
Grand Champion - Nick Chapman, Mayer FFA

Market Steer:
Grand Champion - Jarid Michael, Chino Valley FFA
Reserve Grand Champion - Austin Michael, Chino Valley Breakaways

Breeding Heifer:
Grand Champion - Jarid Michael, Chino Valley FFA
Reserve Grand Champion - Jarid Michael, Chino Valley FFA

Cow/Calf
Grand Champion - Kimberly Tritz, Chino Valley FFA
Reserve Grand Champion - Jarid Michael, Chino Valley FFA

Beef Showmanship
Grand Champion Novice - Anthony Sandoval, Mayer FFA
Reserve Grand Champion Novice - Katherine Alder, Lonesome Valley
Grand Champion Jr. - Austin Michael, Chino Valley Breakaways
Reserve Grand Champion Jr - Sadie Somers, Chino Valley Breakaways
Grand Champion Sr - Kimberly Tritz, Chino Valley FFA
Reserve Grand Champion Sr - Jenna Miller, Cottonwood Clovers

Special Recognition:
Mandi Michael - Jordan Anderson, Shamrock Hustlers
Best Rate of Gain - Katherine Alder, Lonesome Valley Wranglers
Yavapai Bred n Fed - Ridge Hackett, Chino Valley Breakaways

“Putting on the finishing touches”

INDOOR EXHIBITS:
High Point Sr - Katherine Alder, Lonesome Valley Wranglers
Reserve High Point Sr - Katie Radosavic, Cornville Conquistadors
High Point Jr - John Alder, Lonesome Valley Wranglers
Reserve High Point Jr - Amber Kruger, Chino Valley Breakaways
Best of Show Home Economics—John Alder, Lonesome Valley Wranglers
Best of Sow Individual Educational Display - Katie Radosavic, Cornville
Best of Show Group Educational - Lonesome Valley Wranglers
Best of Show Communications & Art - Amber Kruger, Chino Valley Breakaways
**May/June/July**

**Cooperative Extension 5**

**SHEEP CLASSES:**

**Market Lamb:**
- Grand Champion - Elizabeth Cuka, Chino Valley Breakaways
- Reserve Grand Champion - Mindy Roberts/Cornville Conquistadors

**Breeding Sheep:**
- Grand Champion Breeding Ewe - Stacy Miller/ChV. Breakaways
- Res. Grand Champ Breeding Ewe - Elisabeth Cuka/ChV Breakaways
- Grand Champion Breeding Ram - Stacy Miller/ChV Breakaways
- Res. Grand Champ Breeding Ram - Stacy Miller/ChV Breakaways
- Champion Flock - Stacy Miller, Chino Valley Breakaways
- Champion Suffolk Ewe - Stacy Miller, Chino Valley Breakaways
- Champion Suffolk Ram - Stacy Miller, Chino Valley Breakaways
- Champion Crossbred Ewe - Bailey Gonzales, Chino Valley Breakaways
- Champion Pen of 3 - Mindy Roberts, Cornville Conquistadors
  - Justine Hewitt & Abby Culp, Ch V Breakaways

**SMALL STOCK CLASSES:**

**Showman Turkey:**
- Grand Champion Novice - Mikel Stapp, Lonesome V Wranglers
  - Res Grand Champion Novice - Cailey Kreikemeir/ChV Breakaways
  - Grand Champion Jr. - Elisabeth Cuka, Chino Valley Breakaways
  - Reserve Grand Champion Jr - Bailey Gonzales, ChV Breakaways
  - Grand Champion Sr - Stacy Miller, Chino Valley Breakaways
  - Reserve Grand Champion Sr - Kimberly Tritz, Chino Valley FFA
  **Yavapai Bred & Fed - Exhibitor:** Elisabeth Cuka, Chino Valley FFA
  **Yavapai Bred & Fed - Breeder:** Barbara Killian, K Lazy J Farms

**Showmanship:**
- Grand Champion Novice - Mikel Stapp, Lonesome V Wranglers
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  - Grand Champion Jr. - Elisabeth Cuka, Chino Valley Breakaways
  - Reserve Grand Champion Jr - Bailey Gonzales, ChV Breakaways
  - Grand Champion Sr - Stacy Miller, Chino Valley Breakaways
  - Reserve Grand Champion Sr - Kimberly Tritz, Chino Valley FFA

**Showman Waterfowl:**
- Champion: Deziree Davidson, Lonesome Valley Wranglers
- Reserve Champion: Andrew Collins, Cornville Conquistadors
- Standard Poultry: Alyssa Vargha, Shamrock Hustlers
- Bantam Poultry: Alyssa Vargha, Shamrock Hustlers
- Laying Hen: Alyssa Vargha, Shamrock Hustlers
- Doe & Litter: Alyssa Vargha, Shamrock Hustlers

**Showman Pigeon:**
- Champion: Deziree Davison, Lonesome Valley Wranglers
- Reserve Champion: Morina Pierce, L.V. Wranglers
- Grand Champion Jr. - Andrew Collins, Cornville Conquistadors
- Grand Champ Jr - Alyssa Vargha, Shamrock Hustlers

**Showman Rabbit:**
- Champion: Deziree Davison, Lonesome Valley Wranglers
- Reserve Champion: Morina Pierce, L.V. Wranglers
- Grand Champion Jr - Alyssa Vargha, Shamrock Hustlers
- Reserve Grand Champion Jr: Aubree Vargha, Shamrock Hustlers

**Showman Cavy:**
- Grand Champion Sr. - Grace Somers, Chino Valley Breakaways
- Grand Champion Jr. - Amber Krueger, Chino Valley Breakaways
- Reserve Grand Champion Jr. - Toni Hull, Chino Valley Breakaways
- Grand Champion Novice - Emmett Densmore, Ch V Breakaways
- Reserve Grand Champion Novice - Emory Addy, Ch V Breakaways

**Showman Poultry:**
- Grand Champion Sr - Deziree Davison, Cornville Conquistadors
- Reserve Grand Champion Sr - Tyler Vargha, Shamrock Hustlers
- Grand Champion Jr. - Amber Krueger, Chino Valley Breakaways
- Reserve Grand Champion Jr. - Alyssa Vargha, Shamrock Hustlers
- Grand Champion Novice - Emmett Densmore, Ch V Breakaways
- Reserve Grand Champion Novice - Mary Alice Wisecarver, LV Wranglers

**Showman Waterfowl:**
- Grand Champion Sr. - Deziree Davidson, LV Wranglers
- Reserve Grand Champion Sr. - Tyler, Vargha, Shamrock Hustlers
- Grand Champion Jr. - Alyssa Vargha, Shamrock Hustlers
- Reserve Grand Champion Jr. - Aubree Vargha, Shamrock Hustlers

**Showman Turkey:**
- Grand Champion - Andrew Collins, Cornville Conquistadors
- Reserve Grand Champion - Stephanie Riviere, Shamrock Hustlers

**Best of Show:**
- Rabbit - Kate Hull, Chino Valley Breakaway Latigos
  - Poultry - Alyssa Vargha, Shamrock Hustlers
  - Cavy - Grace Somers, Chino Valley Breakaways
  - Pigeon - Andrew Collins, Cornville Conquistadors
  - Waterfowl - Deziree Davidson, Lonesome Valley Wranglers
  - Turkey - Andrew Collins, Cornville Conquistadors

**Champion:**
- Laying Hen - Alyssa Vargha, Shamrock Hustlers
- Bantam Poultry - Alyssa Vargha, Shamrock Hustlers
- Standard Poultry - Alyssa Vargha, Shamrock Hustlers
- Doe & Litter - Alyssa Vargha, Shamrock Hustlers

**Market:**
- Grand Champion Turkey - Stephanie Riviere, Shamrock Hustlers
- Reserve Grand Champion Turkey - Tiffany Riviere/Shamrock Hustlers
- Grand Champion Duck - Alyssa Vargha, Shamrock Hustlers
- Reserve Grand Champion Duck - Aubree Vargha/Shamrock Hustlers

**Round Robin Small Livestock:**
- Grand Champion Sr. - Deziree Davidson, Lonesome Valley Wranglers
- Reserve Grand Champion Sr - Morina Pierce, LV Wranglers
- Grand Champion Jr - Alyssa Vargha, Shamrock Hustlers
- Reserve Grand Champion Jr. - Andrew Collins/Conville Conquistador

**Wayne Johnson Memorial Award:** Deziree Davidson, LV Wranglers
SCHOLARSHIPS:
Yavapai Cty 4-H/FFA Expo - $1,000: Matt Cometh, Yavapai Rovers
Yavapai Cty 4-H/FFA Expo - $ 750: Kimberly Tritz, Chino Valley FFA
Yavapai Cty 4-H/FFA Expo - $ 750: Kaycee Barnes, Chino Valley FFA
Yavapai Cty 4-H/FFA Expo - $ 500: Jenna Miller, Cottonwood Clovers

HERDSMANSHP:  Triangle 4-H
2007 VERDE VALLEY FAIR YOUTH AWARDS

**Dairy Goats**
Best of Show - Josh Wheeler, Cornville Conquistadors

**Caprine (Meat Goats, Dairy Goats, & Angora Goats)**
Senior Showmanship - Katie Radosevich, Cornville Conquistadors
Junior Showmanship - Joshua Wheeler, Cornville Conquistadors
Novice Showmanship - Jon-Marc Sangiovanni, Cornville Conquistadors

**Market Goat**
Grand Champion - Nicholas SanGiovanni, Cornville Conquistadors
Junior Showmanship - Nicholas SanGiovanni, Cornville Conquistadors

**Feeder Goats**
Grand Champion - Tristin Green
Reserve Grand Champion - Shannon Knowles

**Pygmy Goat**
Best of Show - Summer Davis, Camp Verde Cowboys
Senior Showmanship - Sami Drake, Camp Verde Cowboys
Junior Showmanship - Summer Davis, Camp Verde Cowboys
Novice Showmanship - Travis Zale

**Angora Goats**
Best of Show - Katie Radosevich, Cornville Conquistadors

**Dairy Cattle**
Best of Show - Victor Aguilar
Novice Showmanship - Victor Aguilar

**Breeding Beef**
Best of Show - Laura Chandler-Lockett
Senior Showmanship - Tyler Johnson
Junior Showmanship - Ashley Roth

**Breeding Sheep**
Best of Show - Elizabeth Skornik
Senior Showmanship - Kendall Goodman
Junior Showmanship - Sidney Gottspencer, Camp Verde Cowboys
Novice Showmanship - Gage Foshe, Cottonwood Clovers

**Breeding Swine**
Best of Show - Seth Terry, Camp Verde Cowboys
Senior Showmanship - Jenna Miller, Cottonwood Clovers
Junior Showmanship - Seth Terry, Camp Verde Cowboys
Novice Showmanship - Deshon Tripp, Camp Verde Cowboys

**Market Steer**
Grand Champion - Tyler Johnson
Reserve Champion - Eric Banuelos
Senior Showmanship - Cheyenne Robinson
Junior Showmanship - Alli Welch
Novice Showmanship - Ashley Roth
Best Rate of Gain - Tanner Rezzonico

**Market Swine**
Grand Champion - Shayna Sterrett
Reserve Champion - Anthony Ramos, Camp Verde Cowboys
Senior Showmanship - Cheyenne Robinson
Junior Showmanship - Seth Terry, Camp Verde Cowboys
Novice Showmanship - Deshon Tripp, Camp Verde Cowboys

**Market Sheep**
Grand Champion - Gianina Sangiovanni, Cottonwood Clovers
Reserve Champion - Cheyenne Robinson
Senior Showmanship - Megan Daniels
Junior Showmanship - Sidney Gottspencer, Camp Verde Cowboys
Novice Showmanship - Kayla Niederer, Camp Verde Cowboys

**Herdsmanship**
Beef - Camp Verde FFA
Swine - Camp Verde 4-H
Sheep - Mingus FFA
Goat - Camp Verde 4-H
Small Stock - Mingus FFA

**Animal Costume Contest**
Shailee Ferguson

**Round Robin Senior Showmanship**
Large Stock - Cheyenne Robinson
Small Stock - Katie Radosevich, Cornville Conquistadors

**Educational Exhibits**
Best Overall Educational Exhibit - Katie Radosevich, Cornville Conquistadors
Best Overall Youth Group Exhibit - Jazmine Davis & Raven Saunders, Camp Verde Cowboys
Best Overall Educational Group Exhibit - Cornville Conquistadors Goat Club

**Speaking Awards**
Outstanding Public Speaking - Katie Radosevich, Cornville Conquistadors

**Pigeon**
Best of Show - Andrew Collins, Cornville Conquistadors
Junior Showmanship - Andrew Collins, Cornville Conquistadors

**Game Birds**
Best of Show - Andrew Collins, Cornville Conquistadors
Junior Showmanship - Andrew Collins, Cornville Conquistadors

**Poultry**
Best of Show - Raven Saunders, Camp Verde Cowboys
Senior Showmanship - Jenny Barton
Junior Showmanship - Josh Wheeler, Cornville Conquistadors
Novice Showmanship - Dustyn Burruss

**Cavy**
Best of Show - Jenna Jones
Junior Showmanship - Jon-Marc Sangiovanni
Novice Showmanship - Jenna Jones

**Rabbit**
Best of Show - Marc Guy, Camp Verde Cowboys
Senior Showmanship - Faith Goima-rac, Cornville Conquistadors
Junior Showmanship - Robert Valen-tine, Cottonwood Clovers
Novice Showmanship - Marc Guy, Camp Verde Cowboys

**Waterfowl**
Best of Show - Tony Garcia
Senior Showmanship - Tony Garcia
Get ready for next year………!

Updated Foods and Nutrition projects & Sewing projects!

**New Curriculum for Other “Indoor Projects”**

**WHEN:** August 15, 2007 from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

**WHERE:** Shelby Hansen Room at the Prescott Extension Office

Leaders, there is some great curriculum available for these projects. Set aside the evening of August 15th to learn about the new curriculum. The first hour will be devoted to informal discussion about the different projects. We have purchased a copy of the new curriculum for you to view.

You will be able to take home project requirement sheets and information on where to order these materials. The second two-hours will be devoted to hands-on teaching of lessons from the Six Easy Bites foods and nutrition curriculum series developed by the national Cooperative Curriculum System. If you are interested in attending this evening of fun learning, please call the Extension Office to register.

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**Yavapai County 4-H Awards and Recognition Reception**

…. is tentatively scheduled for October 6, 2007.

We are looking for a 4-H Club/4-H Clubs to host.

Please contact Pam at (928)445-6590 x 226 or Stephanie at (928)646-9113 x 16.

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**Horse Committee Meeting**

June 19: Year End Awards

Shelby Hansen Memorial Room

Prescott Frontier Days Rodeo Grounds

6:00 p.m.

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**4-H Volunteer Background Checks Required**

To protect the youth of our communities, the University of Arizona is requiring background checks for volunteers. This policy went into effect March 1, 2007. All new applicants and those who have been inactive for three years or more are required to have the background check. Additionally, all 4-H shooting sports project leaders must have background checks. The cost for the background check is $10. The background check form is downloadable from the county extension website under “New Volunteers” at [http://cals.arizona.edu/yavapai/4hyd/4hforms.html](http://cals.arizona.edu/yavapai/4hyd/4hforms.html).

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**4-H Volunteer Orientation**

Announcing….. four 4-H Leader Orientation Trainings held for all new 4-H leaders, those leaders who haven’t yet attended an orientation and those seasoned leaders who wish to come. In other words it is open to all 4-H Leaders! This will be an interactive, hands-on training that will cover What is 4-H?, Managing a Club, Curriculum, Policies and Procedures, and Child Protection. The trainings will be held in Prescott and also in the Verde Valley. Registration and additional information will be posted at [www.cals.arizona.edu/yavapai/4hyd](http://www.cals.arizona.edu/yavapai/4hyd).

**Dates**

August 22, 2007 - Verde Valley - Location to be announced

August 23, 2007 - Prescott - Shelby Hansen Room, Prescott Frontier Days Rodeo Grounds

October 17, 2007 - Verde Valley - Location to be announced

October 18, 2007 - Prescott – Shelby Hansen Room, Prescott Frontier Days Rodeo Grounds
STAR (State Teen Adult Retreat) 
July 27-29, 2007 
University of Arizona Campus 
Deadline to Register is July 9 
Contact either Yavapai County Extension Office for Registration Information 

STAR (State Teen Adult Retreat) … provides transactional or "how to lead" leadership experiences. The focus of this year’s STAR will be on youth and adult volunteer teams emphasizing the 4 Essential Elements of 4-H with “Meeting Etiquette”.

Etiquette related to:
1) Meeting others in organizational settings,
2) How to do the “elevator” speech and be an advocate for 4-H,
3) Using technology appropriately, “Netiquette”, and
4) Dress for success, how to present one’s self in various situations in dress and appearance.

This weekend retreat provides a train the trainer youth-adult partnership where teams of at least 1 - 2 adults and 2 - 4 youth will learn and then apply these skills back in their communities, groups, and counties. Suggested team size is 3 - 5 total, with 1 adult.

STAR starts on Friday evening, July 27, has a full day of training opportunities for teams of youth and adult volunteers on Saturday, will have a Saturday "formal" luncheon to practice skills in a banquet-type setting, and will end on Sunday before 12 noon. Incorporated throughout will be an opportunity for the youth and adults to have input into the state 4-H leadership program opportunities as well as have fun! A chance to learn more about college life by living in dorms, and being on campus will also teams to learn more about all the state and national 4-H opportunities through a share session. The teams will participate in a youth-adult council meeting to provide direction, do action planning, and also determine how to take back home what’s been learned.

An optional opportunity to participate from STAR in the Arizona Diamondbacks Day on Sunday, July 29th is being negotiated. Watch for more details on tickets and transportation options. The cost to participate in STAR is $50 per team member.

REMEMBER THE COUNTY FAIR ON SEPTEMBER 20 - 23, 2007!

REMINIDER: You can enter the County Fair as another chance to show off your talents and animals. For those of you with animals, it is a great place to practice; those of you who have indoor exhibits, we are very much in need of a strong showing in that area. There are great prizes including some cash pay outs from the County Fair people. The indoor exhibits also give out some cool looking plates and it's a lot of fun also.

Questions? Contact Elizabeth Lind, Indoor Exhibits, 4-H, County Fair Supervisor @ 928-583-0250. 

Premium Books can be viewed & printed from http://www.yavapaidownsatpv.com
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