

**Programs Serving** 

# **Families**

April

2024

#### **Notes From the Extension Office**

Hello Roosevelt County Extension Members

Spring has officially sprung! There are quite a few events coming up including District IV meeting and Cultural arts on April 19th & 20th. The invitation is included in this newsletter. If you have question as always please call the Extension Office. Looking forward to fair time, if you have committed to working the voting booth please send me your schedules so I can send on to the fair board.

Sincerely,

Čharlsea Lee Admin. Assistant

Hello Spring!

As you all know New Mexico spring's are quite varied. Sometimes we have a real spring (like this year), sometimes we go straight from winter to summer, and sometimes we have those crazy days that incorporate all four seasons in one day. Whatever the case we are grateful for another day! I would like to take this opportunity to address something that you may have heard about. I have been asked by multiple people to approach the County Commission about adding some type of position whether it be full or part time to assist with our Family and Consumer Science needs in the county. I presented the idea to the commission at their last meeting and it seemed to be well received. I want to make no promises that we can get anywhere with this idea but if we don't ask we will never get someone to help us in that position. I wanted to make you were aware of what's going on and I will keep you posted as we go forward with this proposal.

As always, thank you for being a part of this great organization and let us know how we can help!

Sincerely,

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**Roosevelt County Extension Association** 

Upcoming Events
District IV Meeting & County/District IV Cultural Arts- April 19th & 20th– Portales, NM
(Friendship hosting)
County Council Meeting– May 6th @ 10:00 AM at the McAlister Room
(Friendship hosting)
Roosevelt County Fair- August 19th—25th
County Council Meeting– September 3rd @ 10:00 AM at the McAlister Room
(Homesteaders hosting)
Membership & Visitation luncheon- September 28th in Causey
(Causey hosting)
EANM State Meeting– October 10th–12th– Silver City, NM
County Council Meeting– November 4th @ 10:00 AM at the McAlister Room
(Working 9-5 hosting)
Christmas Luncheon- December TBA– Portales, NM
(Bethel hosting)

Since we are still down a Home Economist I wanted to share Mindy Turner, Curry County FCS agents' informative videos on YouTube!

## <u>To find the videos open YouTube and search " Curry County</u> <u>Mindy Turner" and it will come up with all the videos she has</u> <u>published!</u>

She just posted new videos on how to preserve those precious memories you all have accumulated!



## **Club Meeting Schedules**

 Bethel – 2nd Tuesday of every month McAlister Room at 2:00 PM
Causey — 2nd Friday of every month Causey Community Building
Working 9-5 — 3rd Tuesday of every month McAlister Room at 6:00 PM
Muddy Shoe Crew — 4th Thursday of every month McAlister Room at 6:00 PM

## **Friendship**

-June 12th, 2024

Denim Feather Making at the McAlister Room@ 1:00 PM -September 11th, 2024

Birthday Luncheon at Meredith's House @ 12:00 PM -November 13th, 2024

Girls Day Out at Cattle Baron @ 11:30 AM

## **Homesteaders**

-April 18th – Quick Cheese Making @ 9:30

-May 16th- Kitchen Counter Medicinal Herbs @ 9:30

-June 20th– Chuck Wagon Cooking @ 9:30

-July 18th– Garden Tour @ 9:30

## Blueberry Lemon Trifle

Too hot to turn on the oven? No Problem! These easy summer desserts are ready in a flash and don't even need to be baked. So keep cool and reward yourself with these no-bake recipes

#### Ingredients

3 Cups fresh blueberries 2 cans (15– 3/4 ounce each) lemon pie filling 2 cups lemon yogurt 1 prepared angel food cake ( 8 to 10 Ounces) cut into 1 in cubes 1 carton (8 ounces) frozen whipped topping, thawed

Optional: Lemon slices and fresh mint to top.



#### Directions

- 1. Set aside 1/4 cup blueberries for garnish. In a large bowl, combine pie filling and yogurt.
- In a 3-1/2-qt. serving or trifle bowl, layer a third of the cake cubes, lemon mixture and blueberries. Repeat layers twice. Top with whipped topping. Cover and refrigerate for at least 2 hours. Garnish with reserved blueberries and, if desired, lemon and mint.

#### **Nutrition Facts**

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## <u>Upcoming Event Info Cont.</u>

Activities are open to all Extension Members and Guests. If you have questions or need special assistance to be able to attend, please contact the office.





Canning Broth with: Master Canner Randi Jo Eidsmoe April 13th at the E.N.M.U. culinary building from 10 a.m.-1 p.m. 575-825-0148 Call Sarah Clark to reserve a seat. \$10.00 per person

This will be an intermediate level class on bone broth. Beginners are also welcome. Broth will be provided, please bring your own jar, any size Only 14 spots available R.S.V.P. by April 9th

Class will break for lunch Not provided

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**Upcoming Event Info** 

# District IV Meeting County & District Cultural Arts

April 19th & 20th, 2024 Jake Lopez Building

Kindly RSVP by April 12th to Meredith Eaton by text or call (978-846-0193) or the Extension Office at (575) 356-4417.

April 19th- Cultural Arts drop off from 8:00AM-2:00PM April 20th- Viewing of Cultural Arts and Registration at 9:00 AM Program begins at 10:00 AM

Fried Chicken for lunch provided, please bring 1 side and/or 1 dessert to share.

Each club is asked to provide 1 door prize. Items for Silent Auction accepted Friday & Saturday.



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