

Some of the Sunflower 4-H Club who received awards.

Sunflower 4-H members win achievement awards

Four parents and six members of awarded a purple seal. Ashley An- Guard – Kinsey Volk. the Sunflower 4-H Club met on Oct. 28, at the United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall for the annual 4-H Achievement Awards program. Awards for the 2011-2012 4-H year were presented.

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Clover-Ryan Berls; Silver-Chris- porter's book. The Sunflower 4-H club was topher Berls and Ryan Volk; Silver

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Members who received County Makayla Fitzgibbons, Sean Sains, Project Awards included Kinsey Kinsey Volk and Ryan Volk were Volk, Ryan Berls, Christopher Berls awarded the perfect attendance pin. and Ryan Volk. Sunflower 4-H Club Achievement Pins presented were: also received an award for best re-

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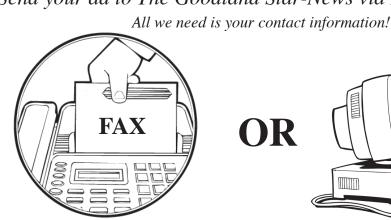
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work, don't be afraid to pretend you're not "home."

• End your work day. I struggle with this one, but I know it's important. It's not healthy to work around the clock. You have to know when to call it a day.

• Don't forget to network. When you're not surrounded with your peers, it's easy to become isolated and grow stale. Meet with people. Go to lunch. Get fresh ideas

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GHS Cowboys of the Week

Based on positive academic performance, attendance improvement, positive attitude or random acts of kindness, the student nominees this week are:



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Reader Recipes

Taco Stew

Ingredients

- 1 lb. ground beef • 1 can Rotel tomatoes
- 1 can tomato soup
- 1 can diced tomatoes
- 1 cup water 1 can corn, undrained

• 1 medium onion, chopped

• 1 can chili beans with gravy • 1 can kidney beans

• 1 package taco seasoning

- Brown ground beef, add onion and cook till onion is transparent. Combine all ingredients and simmer for 1 hour. Top with crumbled tortilla chips and sprinkle with cheese.



Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- 1. Cattail's locale
- 6. Belfry critters 10. Warmed the bench
- 13. Oil-yielding rock 14. Netman Arthur
- 15. Cher's ex Sonny
- 16. Middle Ages invader 17. Caboose's place
- 18. Black, to bards
- 19. Carpentry joint scandal?
- 21. Right-hand person
- 22. Tip of a wing tip
- 23. Caught in a trap 25. Railway car
- problem 29. Thresher's tool
- 30. Two-time Indy
- champ Luyendyk 31. Prefix with lateral
- 33. Strung along 37. Turf occupier
- 38. Catches a wave
- 40. In ___ (within a living organism)
- 41. Villain's look 43. Genesis victim
- 44. Times to call, in ads 45. Grid great
- Bradshaw 47. Main highway
- 49. Model T, e.g. 52. -Cat (winter vehicle)
- 53. Poor, as excuses
- 54. Borscht-making
- 59. Humorist Bombeck
- 60. Jessica of "Dark
- Angel' 61. Cheech of Cheech
- & Chong 63. Devil's doings
- 64. Virgin Is., e.g.



- American Profile Hometown Conter 65. Upper crust 66. "Norma __" (Field film)
- 67. Bow-toting god 68. Faked out, NHLstyle

DOWN

- 1. Colorado hrs. 2. Moby's pursuer 3. Affix an "X" to,
- mavbe 4. Serb or Croat 5. Regarding this
- 6. Tug's tow
- 8. Shrug-of-theshoulders comment
- point 7. On the briny
- 9. One of the tennisplaying Williamses
- 10. Edna Ferber novel 11. Battery terminal
- 12. Muted, with "down" 15. Snoopy's doc?
- 20. Bagel fillers 24. Be out of sorts
- 25. No beauty queens, these
- 26. Algerian port
- 27. Pitchfork prong 28. Sire a calf?
- 29. Fad critter of the late '90s
- 32. One in a dispute 34. Dumpy bar
- 35. "Your turn," in radio talk
- 36. Like a yenta

- 39. Much teen talk 42. Ministerial nickname
- 46. Cash back 48. Gadded about
- 49. Big name in sports cards 50. Grub or maggot
- 51. Shooting marble 52. Generals' insignia
- 55. River of Spain 56. Low-lying area
- 57. Estrada of "CHiPs"
- 58. Lo-cal
- 62. Sparks or Rorem

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