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4-H Members Celebrate 10th Anniversary of showing at Fairgrounds

Six members have shown at Fairgrounds each year since it opened in 2006

LITTLETON, CO – Arapahoe County Fair is celebrating its 10th year at the permanent fairgrounds on Quincy Avenue. The fairgrounds opened in 2006 and Arapahoe County has continued to expand and grow the 4H program, and a special group of six 4-H members have exhibited their projects at the Fair for the last 10 years.

- Esther Gaffney is a 13-year member of the Smoky Hill 4-H Club and is currently taking college courses. She has done clothing and decorate your duds projects. She also has been on the Arapahoe County 4-H Junior Leaders Council for several years and the state 4-H Officer Team 2015-2016.
- Emily Gray is a 10-year member of the Lucky Clovers 4-H Club. She recently graduated from Eaglecrest High School and plans to attend the University of Northern Colorado. Projects she has done include cake decorating, expressive arts, arts and craft, wildlife, gardening, leadership, consumer savvy, pets, home environment, rabbits, foods and rocketry.
- Brice Hanlon is a 10-year member of the Champion Drive 4-H Club. He also is a recent high school graduate from Byers High School and plans to attend Auctioneer School. He has focused on beef projects throughout his time in 4-H.
- Dominic Morris is a 10-year member of the Quint Valley 4-H Club participating in beef, swine, sheep and goat projects.
- Brianna Osborn is an 11 year member of the Antelope Crossing and Elk Creek 4-H Clubs. She recently graduated high school in Bennett and is planning to attend CSU. Projects she has done include photography, shooting sports, goats, dogs and cake decorating. Brianna has been on the Arapahoe County 4-H Junior Leaders for several years, serving as President for the last two years.
- Stephen Walton is a 12-year member of the Walton Family 4-H Club and will be a high school senior this year. He has completed modelcraft, arts and crafts, wildlife, foods and decorate your duds projects and has been on the Arapahoe County 4-H Junior Leaders for several years as parliamentarian. Stephen was diagnosed with Cerebral Palsy at age two and has gained confidence, leadership and decision-making skills during his time with 4-H.

The Arapahoe County Fair will be held July 28-31, with 4-H activities throughout. For a full schedule of events and ticket information, visit www.arapahoecountyfair.com.

To download photos of these members, please visit:

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