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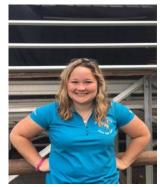


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## JUNIOR FAIR BOARD ANNOUNCES SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS









Javne Harris

**Cailey Rizzardo** 

**Coleson Rice** 

**Uriel Valdez** 

**YREKA, CA** – The 10<sup>TH</sup> District Agricultural Association Junior Fair Board selected four recipients for the 2020 Junior Fair Board scholarships for both Junior Fair Board members, and non-members that exhibit at the Siskiyou Golden Fair.

Jayne Harris, the current Junior Fair Board President, has been exhibiting at the Siskiyou Golden Fair for the past nine years, raising market steers and breeding heifers. Jayne is President of the California/Nevada Junior Hereford Association, and is the past Northern California Junior Beef Ambassador. She participated in FFA, cheer, volleyball and track and field at Yreka High School and is now attending Boise State University. Jayne received a \$500.00 scholarship.

Coleson Rice has been an exhibitor at the fair since 6 years of age. Coleson entered livestock as well as baked goods and art over the years. Coleson was active on the Junior Fair Board for two years, freshman and

sophomore year of high school. Coleson's favorite event put on by the Junior Fair Board is Pee-Wee Showmanship. He participated in Baseball and Basketball during his high school years and is attending Feather River College for a bachelor's degree in Equine and Ranch Management. Coleson received a \$250.00 Scholarship.

Cailey Rizzardo, the current Junior Fair Board Reporter, exhibited a market goat at the 2020 livestock grading and auction. Cailey is a 4-year member of the Etna FFA and was the Associated Student Body Vice President senior year. She participated in volleyball, basketball and track and field all four years of high school. Cailey is attending Simpson College studying Political Science with a concentration in Criminal Justice. Cailey received a \$500.00 Scholarship.

Uriel Valdez has participated in the Siskiyou Golden Fair for the past two years showing beef heifers. Uriel has a love for rodeo, and has entered bull riding and saddle cow at the fair, but also competed on the Yreka High School soccer and track and field teams. Uriel is working toward a degree in criminal justice starting this fall. Uriel received a \$250.00 scholarship.

The 10th DAA Junior Fair Board is actively recruiting members for the 2020-2021 Junior Fair Board and applications are due September 1, 2020.

Please stay healthy and strong Siskiyou County! We will be back to celebrate with you all on the historic grounds of the Siskiyou Golden Fairgrounds August 11-15, 2021.