PLAN OF WORK

PRIMARY FIELD: 4-H

COMPONENT: Projects

CROSS REFERENCE:

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STARTING DATE: Nov. 1, 1963

DATE OF WRITING: January 22, 1964

SUBJECT OF PLAN: PROJECTS

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County: MADERA

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ENROLLMENT IN MAJOR PROJECTS

	1957	1963	
Dairy	70	54	-16
Beef	68	106	+38
~~Entomology~~ Ag Engineering	56	146	+90
Sheep	45	115	+70
Forestry	18	39	+21
Vegetables	17	23	+ 6
Swine	16	23	+ 7
Field Crops	1	47	+46
Clothing	197	218	+21
Home Furnishing	23	36	+13
Food Prep.	203	186	-17
Food Pres.	18	33	+15
Junior Leader	63	65	+ 2

(Attach additional plain sheets as needed)

LONG-TIME OBJECTIVES AND TEACHING OBJECTIVES

SAME AS 1963

ANNUAL GOALS

Increase enrollments in orchard and crop management to 15 members.

Continue to work on increasing enrollment in the home furnishings project and the food preservation project (freezing).

Stop decline in enrollment in dairy projects. Increase enrollment in all other projects 2%.

Initiate dairy heifer replacement project.

Increase horse projects 10%.

Train leaders to meet above goals.

TEACHING PLAN (METHODS)

Learning experiences to be provided — activities-events (include timing)

Continue to use methods on 1963 plan of work.

Encourage members to think about carrying a special unit when needs of family are not met in printed project units. (Fall)

Food and nutrition fun meetings for members and leaders. (Spring)

Hold home furnishings training meeting for members and leaders for the purpose of discussing color and texture. (Spring)

Invite all interested people to attend field trips in sugar beets, orchard management and home furnishings.

Arrange for news articles on members carrying projects with small enrollments.

Organize a dairy heifer replacement committee to sponsor and conduct this project. Secure this committee from 4-H Leaders Council, farm organizations, Fair Board and Farm Advisors office. Include two older members from dairy project to assist and advise the committee. Set up rules and regulations of project. Determine selection process, feeding and management practices and

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marketing. This group will organize and conduct training for members. Training to include tours, field trips and discussions. Members will be taught necessary skills of selecting, feeding, management and marketing quality dairy replacement heifers over a period of three years.

Orchard management enlarged to include field crops. Rewrite project material to include all field crops. Hold meeting for all crops leaders and include older 4-H members. At this meeting, which will be held in February, create enthusiasm for record keeping and farm management. Ask for help in planning this training from farm management specialist. Work with ginning companies and farm organizations to help provide awards and recognition for exemplary accomplishment in this project field. Hold tour of projects in August. Invite members, leaders, parents and groups interested and participating. Send out special invitations, publish news stories, and discuss on radio and TV.

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Livestock Procurement.

Continue contacts and goodwill between purebred livestock breeders and 4-H Club program. Occasionally contact Dr. John Stasulat, George Strathearn, Willie Volkman, Melvin Preston, George Emde, Gilbert Weathers, Dick Phillips, Grover Turnbow (Triangle T Ranch), Guy Houk, Richard Baldy, Massolini, Shein Brothers, Sherman Thomas, Richard Baxter and all 4-H and FFA livestock producers. Let these breeders know how our projects are progressing and our future needs for breeding and market animal projects. Contact FFA instructors when livestock are needed and try to purchase jointly to reduce cost. Always use livestock procurement as a teaching tool on selection. Invite leaders to assist in locating and selecting their project member's needs. Continue to provide Madera County 4-H Club members purebred animals of the highest quality and reasonable price.

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