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October: Breast Cancer Control Month

Breast cancer is a significant cause of death among women in the United States, second only to lung cancer. With improved techniques, breast cancer can be detected and diagnosed earlier than ever before and without discomfort or radiation. Drugs are now used in the management of almost all stages of the disease.

There are two combinations to which new treatments usually are compared. The first combination consists of cyclophosphamide (Cytoxan), methotrexate (Rheumatrex), and 5-fluorouracil (Efudex). The second combines cyclophosphamide, 5-fluorouracil, and doxorubicin (Adriamycin). Paclitaxel (Taxol) is used with other drugs to reduce the cancer's recurrence rate and mortality. Docetaxel (Taxotere) is sometimes used to treat disease that has spread from the breast to other parts of the body. Estrogen antagonists such as tamoxifen (Nolvadex) are used in postmenopausal women with advanced disease. Tumors that contain excessive amounts of the protein HER-2 may respond to trastuzumab (Herceptin). Surgery may be needed to remove cancerous cells from the breast. Radiation is sometimes used to destroy remaining cancer cells.

County 4-H honors members, leaders

The 2000 4-H Colorado County Awards Banquet was held at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 30, at the Columbus Junior High, Riverside Campus.

Receiving awards were:
Leader of the Year: Joan Trojacek, Frelsburg 4-H; and Monica Stock, Weimar Wild Clover 4-H.
Friend of 4-H: Ted Brandt, shooting sports coach.

Most Involved Member: Brandy Tuck, Live Oak 4-H, Columbus.

Outstanding Club: Frelsburg.
Bronze Star (2): Kristy Kulhanek, Frelsburg; Meagan Ross, 4-H Challengers.

Silver Star (1): Chris Kulhanek, Frelsburg.

Gold Star (2): Kaylee Robinson, 4-H Horse Club; Matt Ross, 4-H Challengers, Columbus.

I Dare You Award: Patti Koch, Live Oak, Columbus.

Perfect attendance at council meetings, individuals: Matt Ross, 4-H Challengers, Chris Kulhanek, Jacob Weishuhn and Lora Weishuhn, Frelsburg.

burg; and Brandy Tuck, Live Oak. clubs: Bluebonnet 4-H, 4-H Challengers, Frelsburg and Live Oak.

In addition to these awards, members who completed 4-H record books were awarded pins for their achievements: Kaylee Robinson, Brandy Tuck, Matthew Ross, Patti Koch, Lora Weishuhn, Margie Leopold, Erica Trojacek, Stacy Markwardt, Chris Kulhanek, Kristy Kulhanek, Jacob Weishuhn, Meagan Ross, Lauren Trojacek and Hillary Thompson.

Members who completed project record forms receiving certificates: Trent Kucherka, Garrett Poncik, Trent Popp, Shelby Rich, Christi, Jonathan and Nicole Surovacak and Kyle Vincent for shooting sports.

4-H members who represented Colorado County at District and State events were recognized with a certificate: Jenna Gerik, LaKerica Hancock, Patti Koch, Chris Kulhanek, Kristy Kulhanek, Stacy Markwardt, Ashley Parker, Simone Petrosky, Kayla Pfeiffer, Garrett Poncik, Trent Popp, Kaylee Robinson, Matthew Ross, Meagan Ross, Sarinah Taylor, Chaston Thomas, McCesly Thomas, Hillary Thompson, Whitney Thompson, Erica Trojacek, Lauren Trojacek, Brandy Tuck, Cassie Urban, Joel Usher, Richanne Waddle, Cassy Weido, Jacob Weishuhn and Lora Weishuhn.

Leaders receiving certificates for their service to the 4-H program were:

34 years: Claudine Shorter, Eagle Lake; **32:** Bob Sronce, Colorado Horse; **22:** Lucy Sklar, Frelsburg; **21:** Darnell Varley, Sheridan; **19:** Erma McGrew, Eagle Lake; **12:** Ted Brandt, shooting sports; James Jahn, shooting sports; Gwendolyn Knight, Eagle Lake; **10:** Betty Coreathers, Riverside; Annie Mac Hargrove, Riverside; Lucy Markwardt, Frelsburg; Billie Rosenbaum, Colorado Horse; Ben Rosenbaum, Colorado Horse;

Nine: Teresa Fitzgerald, Riverside; Carmen Jackson, Sheridan; Tammy Sodalak, Bernardo; Cindy Weishuhn, Frelsburg; **Eight:** Becky Koch, Live Oak; Shirley Poppe, Wild Clover; Sharon Ross, 4-H Challengers; Beverly Tuck, Live Oak; **Seven:** James Ross, shooting sports; **Six:** Glenda Axel, Riverside; Dorothy Flores, Rice; Wanda Faldyn, Frelsburg; Richard Poncik, shooting sports; Sheryl Prihoda, Wild Clover; Barbara Waddle, Riverside; **Five:** Kathy Bottard, Sheridan; Dennis Dabney, 4-HIM; Suzanne Dabney, 4-HIM; Ruth Poncik, shooting sports; Monica Stock, Wild Clover;

Four: Joan Brune, Frelsburg; Shannon Gerik, Live Oak; Brent Gorman, shooting sports; Patti Gorman, shooting sports; Missy Jurica, Colorado Horse; Sally Kulhanek, Frelsburg; Bonnie Roesler, 4-HIM; Joan Trojacek, Frelsburg; Linda Woodell, 4-H Challengers; **Three:** Sandra Buhler, Colorado Horse; David Kulhanek, shooting sports; Cathy Leopold, Bluebonnet; Robin Maertz, Bernardo; Tamela Stancik, 4-H Challengers; Rose Urban, 4-H Challengers; Tricia Vasut, Bluebonnet; Leanne Waligura, Bluebonnet; Sandy Wied, Bernardo; **Two:** Eugene Kazmir, Sheridan; **One:** Kristen Baumbach, Colorado Horse; Johnna Benton, Colorado Horse; Peggy Braden, Live Oak; Kamala Hillmer, Colorado Horse; Deborah Petrosky, Live Oak; Charlene Surovacak, 4-HIM; Barbara Weishuhn, Frelsburg.

Officers of each individual 4-H Club were also recognized.



Frelsburg 4-H was chosen as the Most Outstanding Club. Members are, in front, from left, Lora Weishuhn, Erica Trojacek, Stacy Markwardt, Lauren Trojacek and Jacob Weishuhn. In back are Ross and Barbara Weishuhn, Chris Kulhanek, Lucy Markwardt, Sally Kulhanek, Kristy Kulhanek and Adult Leader Joan Trojacek.

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Awards were presented to, in front, Matt Ross and Kaylee Robinson, Gold Star Award; Chris Kulhanek, Silver Star; Patti Koch, I Dare You; and Kristy Kulhanek and Meagan Ross, Bronze Star Award. In back are Susan Ashbrook of U.S. Rep. Ron Paul's Office; Colorado County Commissioner Pct. 3 Tommy Hahn; Brandy Tuck, Most Involved 4-H Member; and Commissioner Pct. 2 Herbie Helcamp.



Claudine Shorter of Eagle Lake was recognized for 34 years of service to 4-H, while Joan Trojacek of the Frelsburg 4-H was recognized as a 4-H Leader of the Year. Not pictured is Monica Stock of the Weimar Wild Clover 4-H also recognized as Leader of the Year.

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