

Happy New Year!

This time of year is always exciting because it gives everyone a chance to evaluate the past year and determine ways to make the New Year better – to improve an area of your life, to overhaul something completely, or to keep on as we have been with a few tweaks here and there.

At the 4-H Branch we are of much the same mind, what with our new website, the new initiatives starting this year –Year of the Club Experience, Consumer Decision Making Workshop – and the new guidelines regarding the *4-H Magazine*.

The *4-H Magazine* is something that we all look forward to receiving and it is a project that is most fun to put together; however, being that we only want the best to go out to you, the 4-H family, we have been taking a bit more time to ensure that everything with the magazine is perfect.

In an effort to speed this process up so that you can have your hands on the magazine as soon as possible, we are asking for everyone to make note of the



NEW MAGAZINE DEADLINES.

Instead of the previous dates of March 1, August 1 and November1, we will now require for articles and photos to be submitted a week early:

FEBRUARY 22, JULY 25, OCTOBER 25

It is our hope that by pushing up the deadline, we will be closer to hitting our goal of having the magazine in your mailbox during the first week of April (Spring issue), September (Fall issue) and December (Winter issue). And despite the deadline changing, the address for where to send your submissions has stayed the same: **info@4h.ab.ca**.

Thanks you in advance for your cooperation, we look forward to the results.

Sincerely,

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