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FOR 8TH ANNUAL

High Desert Youth Range Camp

High School Students (grades 9-12 at time of application)
from Oregon, Idaho and Washington

June 19-22, 2019

Northern Great Basin Experimental Range
near Burns, Oregon



Total cost to the camper is only \$50.00, as each camper will receive a scholarship to attend camp for \$125.00. All meals are provided.

Receive College Credits

And Awards!

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YOUTH RANGE
CAMP**

For more information:
<http://oregonstate.edu/dept/EOARC/range-camp>



What to expect at Range Camp Day by Day

Wednesday June 19: Welcome to the Rangeland!

- Introductions, Expectations and Camp Orientation
- Setting up Team Management Areas
- Team Building and Leadership
- The Secret Life of Sagebrush
- Soils and Everything that Grows in Them
- Around the Campfire Fun and Activities—Night time Navigation



Thursday, June 20: Getting out on the Land

- The Amazing Plants of the High Desert
- Mapping—All about finding your way on the Rangeland
- Sagebrush Ecosystems—What to Manage & How to Manage?
- Invasive Weeds—How they Change the Management Picture
- Around the Campfire Fun and Activities –Dutch Oven Cooking



Friday, June 21: Getting out on the Land

- Juniper Ecosystems—How Fire Affects the Land
- Wildlife the High Desert Ecosystems Support
- Livestock Management on the Rangeland
- How well did you learn your plants?
- Around the Campfire Fun and Activities— Critters In the Night



Saturday, June 22: The Final Fun

- Hike to the Butte!
- Rangeland Management Plans by Teams
- Closing Ceremonies: Awards and Thank Yous— Families are Welcome to join us for Awards



Tyler Ernst, Tillamook, OR was selected top 2018 camper to attend the 2019 Society for Range Management Youth Forum in Minneapolis, MN. She is sponsored by Society of Range Management Pacific Northwest Section

Questions? ...Contact:

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HDYRC is held at the Northern Great Basin Experimental Range (NGBER), about 35 miles west of Burns, OR, and encompasses more than 16,000 acres.