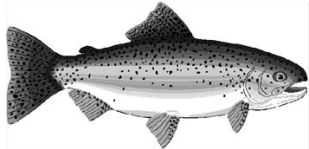


What is Nature Notes? Nature Notes is a monthly newsletter written and distributed by the Green River Valley Land Trust (GRVLT), a non-profit, non-advocacy conservation organization based in Pinedale, Wyoming.



Fish Tales

Available at the Library!

Mowing by Jessie Haas

Join Nora as she helps guide her grandfather through the hayfield on a horse-drawn mower! Will she find the killdeer nest? Ages 4 to 6

In the Tall, Tall Grass by Denise Fleming

Imagine you are a little caterpillar finding your way through the grass – what kinds of fun things would you find? Grades Pre-K to K

Lawn Boy by Gary Paulsen

Follow this 12 year old lawn boy as he spends his summer vacation mowing lawns, making money, and meeting all sorts of interesting people! Grades 4 to 7

Beaver Bites

Meet the staff of the Green River Valley Land Trust!

We all know the saying, "the grass is always greener on the other side." Lucky for us, our grass here in Sublette County is nice and green right now! What have you been doing to lately enjoy the outdoors?

Darby Davis, Development Assistant

Going on bike rides to my kids' secret fort

Amy Goodrich, Administrative Assistant

Playing with the kids outside

Lara Ryan, Executive Director

Drive around the county to see all of the signs of Spring



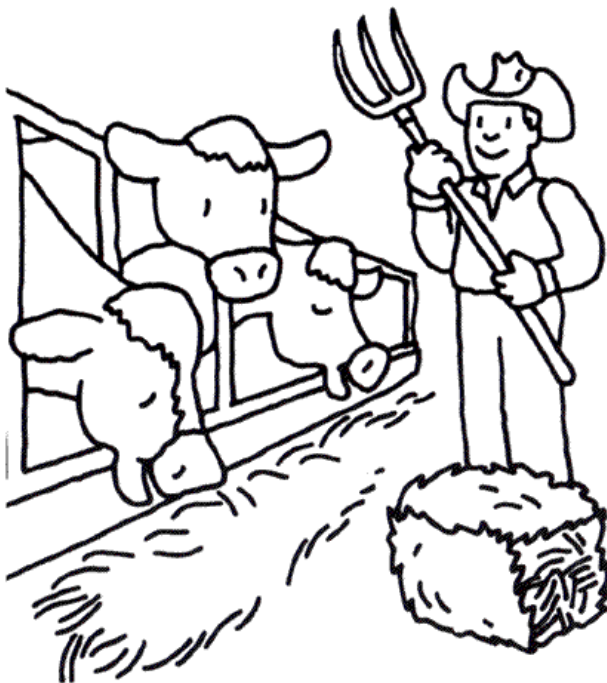
Katy Teson, Stewardship Coordinator

Riding and walking on the bike path

Jordan Vana, Director of Conservation

Spring cleaning & mowing

COWS EAT GRASS, HAY AND GRAIN.



Chew On This!

You might not like to mow the lawn, but a horse or cow would love to mow it for you! From the first sprouts out of the ground to when it is cut, grass and hay are important parts of life on the ranch! In fact, some people say that taking care of the grass is one of the most important parts of raising livestock because the animals need it for food.

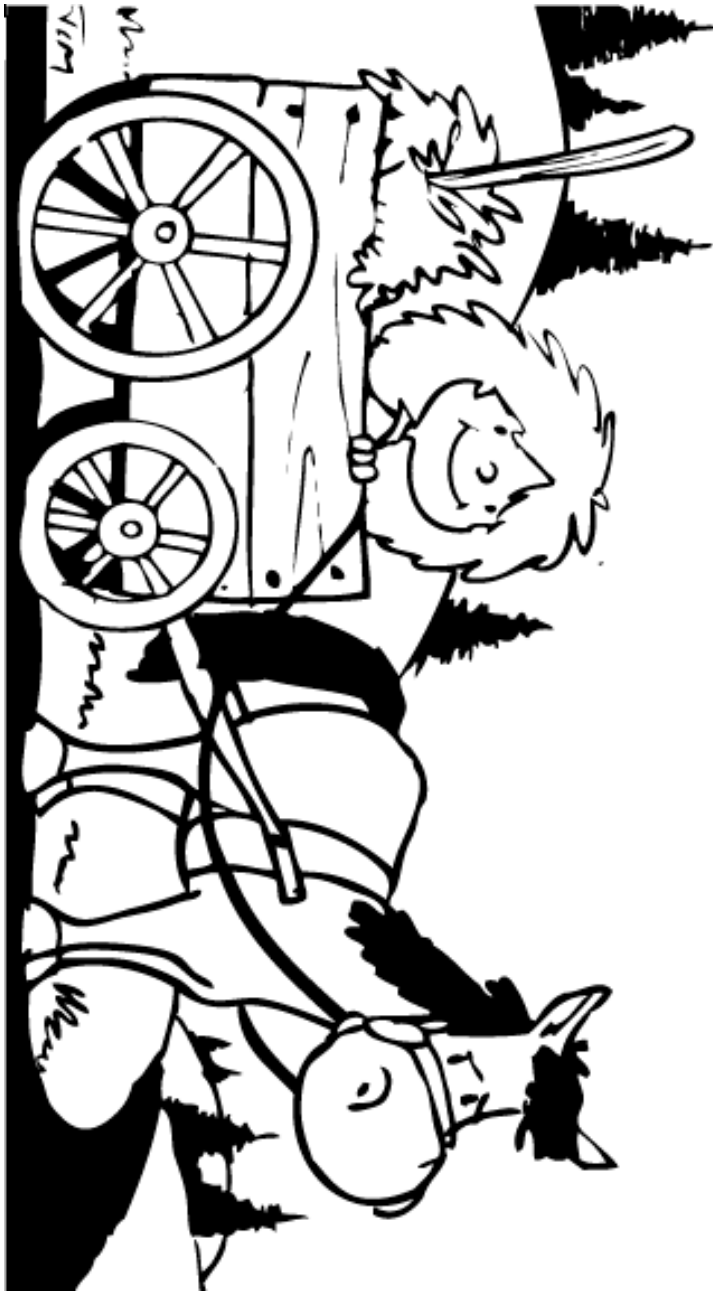
Once it is big and tall, grass for hay is cut and dried before forming it into large bales for storage. When it is all done, the cows, horses and other animals are ready to eat!

If the animals eat out in the pasture then they might not need hay at all. During other times of the year, like when the ground is covered in snow, hay will be a nice snack!

Upcoming Events...

GRVLT Nature Camp- June 28 to July 2, 2010

Registration Information is available NOW! Contact Darby at darby@grvlandtrust.org if you are interested in receiving more information and a registration packet.



Grab your crayons
and hop in the hay wagon!

Camper Corner

Have you ever identified an animal by its track or scat?

Searched for aquatic insects, used watercolors to paint a landscape of the mountains, and gotten to know the history of a rock?

Have you wondered how the Wind Rivers were created or how to tell a bird by its song?

These are just some of the exciting activities we will do at Nature Camp this summer!

From the stream at Town Park to the foothills of the mountains, Nature Camp will be a full week of nature, science, art, hikes and games! We can't wait to see you there and share the adventures.

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