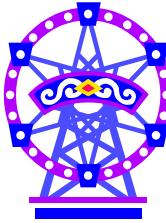




GEORGIA NATIONAL FAIR

The Junior/Senior 4-H trip to the Georgia National Fair is set for Friday, October 6th. For those who have signed up and paid, you will need to meet at the 4-H office at 8 AM. Plans are to return to Douglas around 7 PM that evening. Don't forget that you will need lunch and spending money.



CLOVERLEAF DPA TEEN LEADERS

Certified Teen Leaders who plan to attend Cloverleaf DPA MUST participate in helping Cloverleaf 4-H members prepare for DPA. Please plan afternoons when you can come after school to assist these young 4-H'ers with their project preparation.

4-H HOLIDAY CARD CONTEST

Remember! Entries for the Georgia 4-H Holiday Card Contest are due this Friday, September 29th.

COCA-COLA & KRISPY KREME FUNDRAISER

Summer camp this year will be at the Fortson 4-H Center. Campers will enjoy a week of fun activities like visiting Stone Mountain, playing in the wave pool or riding the water slides at White Water Water Park, canoeing, a camp fire, and a whole lot more! Summer camp usually costs around \$350-\$375.

To help reduce your camp cost, take advantage of the 4-H Coca-Cola Truckload Sale and Krispy Kreme Donut Sale. The sales begin now and end Monday, October 16th. Please collect the money when you make the sale. All order forms and moneys are due on **October 16th by 4 PM**. The donuts and the drinks can be picked up at the 4-H office on **Friday, November 3rd** from 2-4 PM. For each case of drinks you sell, \$3 will be applied to your camp cost. For each dozen of donuts you sell, \$2 will be applied to your camp cost. The more you sell, the lower your camp fee will be. So have your parents pick up an order form from the 4-H office today.



NATIONAL 4-H WEEK

National 4-H Week will be observed **October 1-7**. 4-H Week is a time to promote 4-H to the public and make people more aware of the 4-H programs offered in Coffee County.

Junior and Senior 4-H members have recorded public service announcements that will be played on local radio stations, so be sure to listen throughout the week. We want to thank the following for recording PSA's this year: Ashton Ates, Amelia Crockett, Ashlynn Fletcher, Bethany Land, Ishika Sadarangani, Zykerria Sims, Sariah Wells, and Evie Woodward.

ADOPT-A-HIGHWAY WORKDAY

Please be sure to have the **first workday which is scheduled for Thursday, October 5th**, starting at 4 PM, on your calendar. We usually finish around 5 PM. Please arrive early so that you have enough time to sign in and get your safety vest on before we begin the workday. You earn 25 points toward the 4-H reward trip for each workday in which you help.

JUNIOR CONFERENCE

Lets get together for a weekend at Rock Eagle 4-H Center where you will be "Rollin' into 4-H". We will meet new friends, do service projects, participate in workshops and an exhibit fair, have a dance, and see Clovers & Company perform. Get Registered Today! **The cost will be \$74 until October 9th**. After that it will be \$79 until October 18th for regular registration. Late registrations will be \$84.



PET THERAPY VISITATION

Due to Hurricane Irma, we had to postpone the Pet Therapy Visitation at Manor House Senior Living Center on September 12th. We have rescheduled it for Tuesday, October 10th, at 4 PM. Please come join us on **October 2nd at Shady Acres and again on October 10th at Manor House** for this great community service project.



CERTIFIED TEEN LEADER TRAINING

Junior and Senior 4-H members who have never had the Certified Teen Leader Training need to **pay the \$10 registration fee by Wednesday, October 4th**, for the next training opportunity. The **training will only be held when we have six or more participants to come on the scheduled training date. The next training date is scheduled for Tuesday, September 5th beginning at 4 PM and lasting until at least 7 PM.** You cannot participate in out of county events like Cloverleaf DPA if you are NOT a Certified Teen Leader.

STATE GOAT SHOW

The State 4-H/FFA Goat Show will be held at the Georgia National Fairgrounds on October 5-7. Showmanship classes will be held on Friday, October 6th, with the wether show immediately following. Does will be shown on Saturday, October 7th. If you are in Perry for the fair, please stop by the livestock arena and support the members participating.

4-H participants include: Saylor Brulte, Cole Carver, Avelyn Dockery, Kyleigh Gay, Leo McIver, Riley Jo Polk, Adrianna Rivero, Alexandra Rivero, Jonathan Sayer, Joshua Sayer, and Skyler Woods.

GEORGIA NATIONAL FAIR ENTRIES

Each year, Georgia 4-H members are encouraged to enter contests at the Georgia National Fair. This year, the following students will be participating in contests: **Pantry Pride Contest:** Abby Hamilton; **Variety Show:** Katie Gillis, Anna Grace, Grantham, and Evie Woodward; **Mini-booth Contest:** Abby Hamilton, Alexandra Rivero, Micheal Woods, and Evie Woodward. **Public Speaking Contest:** Katie Gillis; **Recycling Contest:** Anna Grace Grantham, Jake Grantham, Abby Hamilton, and Ishika Sadarangani. We wish each of these participants the best of luck in their competitions.

GET CONNECTED

Junior 4-H members and parents (parents of 7th-8th grade 4-H members) are encouraged to sign up to receive 4-H text messages through the Remind App. All you have to do is send the text message "@coffee4h" to the number **81010**.

You or your parents may ask to join the 4-H list serve so you can receive information about 4-H events. Email Mrs. Lisa at the 4-H office at [<uge4069@uga.edu>](mailto:uge4069@uga.edu).

Also, you can ask to join the Coffee County 4-H closed group on Facebook.

4-H OFFICER'S TRAINING

We want to thank the Junior/Senior 4-H members who helped with the 4-H Officer's Training Workshop on Tuesday, September 19th. The training took place at the First Baptist Church in Douglas starting at

4-H CLUB CALENDAR

September 2017

- 25 CCA 4-H Meetings
- 26 Coke/Krispy Kreme Sale Begins
- 26 Home School 4-H Club Meeting, 2 PM, 4-H office
- 28 Junior 4-H Club Meeting, 4 PM, 4-H office
- 29 First Academy 4-H Meetings
- 29 4-H Holiday Card Contest Entry Deadline, 4-H office

October 2017

- 1-7 National 4-H Week/Georgia 4-H Week, Statewide
- 2 Pet Therapy Visitation, 4-4:30 PM, Shady Acres
- 2-31 Cloverleaf Project Achievement Preparation, 4-H office
Certified Teen Leaders Needed to Help!
- 4 Certified Teen Leader Training Reg. Deadline, 5 PM
- 5 Adopt-A-Highway Workday, 4 PM, 4-H office
- 5-7 State 4-H Lamb & Goat Shows, Perry, GA
- 5-15 Georgia National Fair, Perry, GA
- 6 School Holiday-Public School
- 6 Jr/Sr 4-H Trip to the GA National Fair
- 7 Community Wellness Day, CRMC
- 9 Junior Conference Early Bird Registration Deadline
- 10 Pet Therapy Visitation, 4 PM, Manor House
- 12 Junior 4-H Club Meeting, 4 PM, 4-H office
- 14 Tractor Supply Paper Clover Sale, 10 AM-4 PM
- 15 GNF-Clovers & Co. Performances, Perry, GA
- 16 Coke/Krispy Kreme Orders/Money Due, 4 PM
- 16 Certified Teen Leader Training, 4-7 PM, 4-H office
- 17-19 Sunbelt Agricultural Exposition, Moultrie, GA
- 18 Junior Conference Registration Deadline
- 19 Parent/Teacher Conference-FA
- 20-23 Fall Break-First Academy
- 23 CCA 4-H Meetings
- 24 Home School 4-H Club Meeting, 2 PM, 4-H office
- 26 Junior 4-H Club Meeting, 4 PM, 4-H office
- 27 First Academy 4-H Meetings

November 2017

- 2 Kiwanis Club Chicken-Que Fundraiser
- 3 Coke/Krispy Kreme Pick-up, 2-4 PM, 4-H office
- 4-5 Junior 4-H Conference, Rock Eagle 4-H Center
- 4 Daylight Savings Time Ends
- 11 Cloverleaf DPA, Lyons
- 14 CCA Parent/Teacher Conference
- 16 Adopt-A-Highway Workday, 4 PM, 4-H office
- 16 Junior 4-H Club Meeting, 5 PM, 4-H office
- 20-24 Thanksgiving Break, School Holidays
- 22-24 Thanksgiving Holidays, 4-H office closed
- 27 CCA 4-H Meetings
- 28 Home School 4-H Club Meeting, 2 PM, 4-H office
- 28 Pet Therapy Visitation, 4 PM, Manor House
- 30 Junior 4-H Club Meeting, 4 PM, 4-H office

December 2017

- 1 First Academy 4-H Meetings

5:30 PM with dinner.

Junior/Senior 4-H helpers included: Ashton Ates, Amelia Crockett, Ashlynn Fletcher, Anna Grace Grantham, Alexandra Rivero, Ishika Sadarangani, Janilla Warren, Sariah Wells, Micheal Woods, & Evie Woodward.

This newsletter is designed for Coffee County Junior 4-H members and their parents to inform them of upcoming events and information on 4-H and it's activities. It was created by Kevin Tatum, CEA, and edited by Lisa Craigue, CES, and Liz Batten, CEPA. Call (912) 384-1402 for more information or visit our website at [<coffee4h.org>](http://coffee4h.org).