



# FALL BREAK FUN

We're "STEAM" ing (Science Technology Engineering Art & Mathematics) through Fall Break with fun activities for you! Space limited, so call or stop by to pay TODAY!



## DRONE DISCOVERY DAY

October 18—8:15 a.m. to 4 p.m.

## UGA SCIENCE & ATHENS ZOO DAY

October 19—8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

\$18 each or \$35 for BOTH days.

Space EXTREMELY limited, so do not delay!

## Have you signed up yet for 4-H specialty clubs?

These clubs and opportunities will each start up soon, so email tkimble@uga.edu with your name & contact info to sign up!

**Horse Club** for beginners and experienced riders

**BB Team** for 4th-8th grades (we also have shotgun team for 7th-12th grades)

**Livestock Showing** New this year — chickens & rabbits! Deadlines soon for cattle and hogs.

**Relay for Life** raises funds for the American Cancer Society; event held in late April

## Mark your calendar!

**Officer Training & Project Meeting** Sept. 26, 6:30-8 p.m. @Newton High. *Middle & high school leaders needed.*

**County Council** Oct 10 @Oxford City Hall, 6-7:30 p.m.

**Weekend in the Classic City** 9th-12th grades, Oct 21-23 @UGA, \$120

**Junior Conference/GLOW** 6th-8th grades, Nov 5-6, \$75 early registration

**Fall Forum** 9th-12th grades, Dec 10-11

**End of Year Banquet** Apr 25 @FFA Camp

**Be sure you wrote down other dates from throughout the newsletter!**

## 4-H Demonstration Dates & Information for all levels

Demonstrations can be on nearly any topic except junk food — what are you excited about and want to teach us?

Another way to decide on a demonstration is to think resources you have for research, which could include books, magazines or experts like a karate teacher for a karate project or a veterinarian for a dog project.



Check out our website for handouts and example videos:

[www.ugaextension.com/newton](http://www.ugaextension.com/newton)

Come to the Project Meeting on Sept. 26 at 6:30 p.m. at Newton High to learn about projects, or call to make an appointment at the office. We can help with topics, research, posters, or anything else!

Here are your other details by grade—call to register for any event!

**4th-5th grade:** Projects are 5-6 minutes long

County January 19 at Eastside High / District February 11 at Rock Eagle

**6th grade:** Projects are 5-6 minutes long

County Project Workshop, October 17 at the 4-H office, 8:30-4:30

District December 2-3 at Rock Eagle

**7th-12th grade:** Projects are 8-10 minutes for 7th & 8th; 10-12 minutes for 9th-12th. A portfolio of project work, leadership & service also required.

Portfolio Workshop, October 17 & 20 at the 4-H office, 8:30-4:30; Portfolio Reward Trip November 21 to Mall of GA; Finish Day December 19.

County January 9 or February 13 at County Council; District March 10-12 at Rock Eagle.

Call for details or to sign up for any event!

**BONUS ACTIVITIES...**

- (1) Want to volunteer at the Public Safety FallFest on Saturday, October 8? Help needed 12-6 p.m. Hope Allen will be volunteering with the Red Cross blood drive!
- (2) Tractor Supply has a pet day event on Saturday, September 17. You can assist with the Catlemen's table or exhibit your 4-H project! Great portfolio credit.
- (3) Have an opportunity to share? Email Ms. Terri each month at tkimble@uga.edu

# National 4-H Week

**OCT. 2** RECOGNIZE **4-H SUNDAY** IN YOUR PLACE OF WORSHIP FOR 500 POINTS. E-MAIL TKIMBLE@UGA.EDU FOR INFO.

**OCT. 3-7** MAKE ANNOUNCEMENTS ABOUT **4-H** AT SCHOOL FOR 200 POINTS PER DAY FOR EVERY CLASS!

**OCT. 3** WEAR CRAZY SOCKS AND/OR MISMATCHED SHOES BECAUSE 4-H AND YOUR FEET ARE TAKING YOU PLACES!

**OCT. 4** WEAR A **4-H** AND/OR GREEN SHIRT TO SCHOOL!

**OCT. 4** WEAR GREEN TO THE **NEWTON CO. COMMISSIONERS' MEETING** AT THE HISTORIC COURTHOUSE (7 PM) - 300 POINTS.

**OCT. 5** CELEBRATE NATIONAL 4-H YOUTH SCIENCE DAY BY STYLING **MAD SCIENTIST (CRAZY) HAIR!**



**OCT. 5-16** BUY A \$1 PAPER ICON AT THE **COVINGTON TRACTOR SUPPLY COMPANY**. 60 CENTS COMES TO NEWTON 4-H, THE REST TO GA & US 4-H.

**OCT. 6** DRESS LIKE A **FARMER** FOR 100 POINTS BECAUSE "4-H GROWS HERE"... DONATE A FOOD ITEM FOR THE FOOD PANTRY FOR BONUS POINTS!

**OCT. 7** IT'S **HAT DAY!** BE SURE YOU HAVE PERMISSION TO WEAR HATS TODAY.

**OCT. 8** YOU & AN ADULT CAN CLEAN A WATERWAY FOR **RIVERS ALIVE** TO EARN 500 POINTS. MEET AT **LONGHORN STEAKHOUSE** AT 9 A.M. WEARING CLOSED TOE SHOES, PANTS & THINGS YOU CAN GET DIRTY/WET. FREE SHIRT, SUPPLIES & BREAKFAST IF YOU PRE-REGISTER! SIGN UP BY CALLING 770-784-2010.

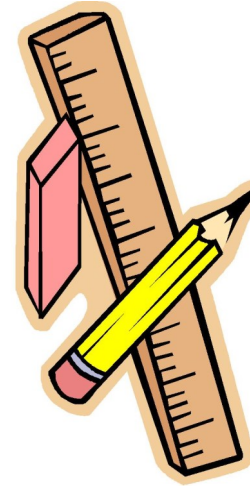
SEND PHOTOS AND/OR A COUNT FOR YOUR SPIRIT DAYS BY OCTOBER 15 TO TKIMBLE@UGA.EDU



## School supplies, pop tabs & more to help others

### EARLY DEADLINE: School Supplies for Louisiana flood victims

Louisiana 4-H is collecting school supplies for children affected by the recent flooding. In order to mail the supplies on time, we need your donations by Sept. 23! You may also donate funds toward shipping or to purchase more supplies by calling 770-784-2010.



### Pop Tabs for Ronald McDonald House

Local families never know when they'll need the services of a Ronald McDonald house while a child is undergoing medical treatment, so we LOVE that we're so close to hitting \$100,000 in total donations through our pop tab collections! We need ALL your tabs to hit this goal!



### Soup for local shelter & food pantry

As we think of fall weather, it's time to collect soup for the food pantry! All non-perishable items accepted. 100 points each.

"Loving Squares" for NICU  
Continue to bring in your knitted or crocheted "granny squares" (also called "loving squares" in the NICU) for the Piedmont Newton NICU. Babies and moms appreciate your donation!



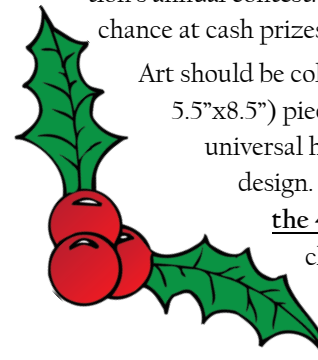
### Recycle for Newton 4-H

Take your sorted recyclables, especially cardboard and aluminum, to the Covington Sanitation Center at 5144 Turner St NE. After weighing them, record your totals in the book under "Newton 4-H" to receive credit.

## 4-H Holiday Card Contest

Design a holiday card for the Georgia 4-H Foundation's annual contest! You earn 100 points and a chance at cash prizes up to \$50!

Art should be colorful on an 8.5"x5.5" (or 5.5"x8.5") piece of white paper. Try to use a universal holiday theme and 4-H in your design. Entries must be received at the 4-H office by October 1! Include your name, address, phone and school.



## Summer Camp Payment Plans

If your camp savings handout did not come home with the newsletter, check out our website for another copy. All camp dates are in the handout; prices will be announced as soon as available.

We'd love to help you find a way to budget and fund-raise for summer camp!

Give us a call if you need any information or assistance.

