The Paulding Senior Clover Connection

THE PORTFOLIO EDITION-4-H Newsletter for Paulding County Senior Club for Grades 9-12 - December 2018

Upcoming 4-H Events

December 12: SR Meeting, 4-6pm – gift exchange (see right)

December 20: DPA Final Portfolios Review, 9am-4pm, schedule with Extension office: Sign up!

December 21: DPA Portfolios Due to Extension Office, 5pm

December 22 – December 30 and January 1: UGA Paulding Co. Extension Office Closed — Happy Holidays!!!

January 9: SR Meeting, 4-6pm

January 9: Shotgun Team interest meeting-7 pm, Extension Office

January 26: Cloverleaf DPA, Teen Leader Opportunity-Must be certified Teen Leader to assist-Sign up!

February 6: SR Meeting, 4-6pm (NEW DATE—1st Week)

February 18-22: Paulding County Winter Break
We will schedule DPA Dress Rehearsals and DPA Food Lab practice this week.

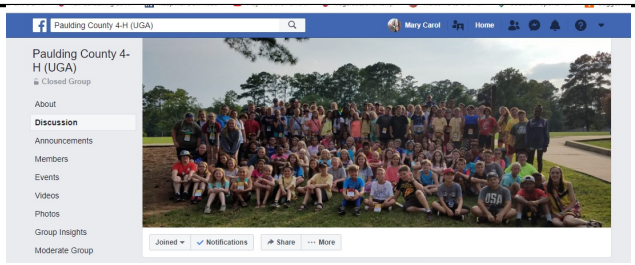
Georgia 4-H project achievement

Portfolios are due by December 21!!!

We will provide final review appointments on December 20. Please sign up for a 30 minute appointment- Sign up online!. Bring your signed coversheet, a printed draft of your portfolio, and a jump drive with your digital copy of your portfolio (or email it to us in advance at paulding4h@uga.edu) for a final review with 4-H Staff.

Need photos for your portfolio?

Join the Paulding County 4-H group on Facebook to find photos for your portfolio from 4-H Activities throughout the year. Search Paulding County 4-H (UGA) and request to join.



Pledge our HANDS to Larger Service

January's Community Service

⇒ **Cans of soup** for Helping Hands of Paulding Co.
⇒ **Art supplies** for 4-H crafts & Awards Night banners
⇒ **Pop tabs** for the Ronald McDonald House Charities
⇒ **Used printer cartridges** — to help support PC 4-H

The totals are in ...

578 pounds of pop tabs have been collected by Paulding County from March 2018 to November 2017. After recycling, this brought in $304.00 from us for the Ronald McDonald House Charities through Georgia 4-H!

We placed highest for Northwest District with our 578 pounds. Keep up the great work!

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Keep in touch with 4-H – Please help us stay connected, If you haven't turned in your enrollment card with your current email or it has changed, please contact us at paulding4H@uga.edu. You should be receiving email reminders-check your junk mail if you haven't received them! Also, our **REMIND notifications this year for Senior Club is @pc-sr4h texted to 81010.**

Paulding County 4-H SAFE Shotgun Team

The 4-H Paulding County Shotgun Team is a part of Project S.A.F.E. - Shooting Awareness, Fun and Education. If you are in the 7th -12th grade and want to learn safe hunting and shooting methods as well as meet new people, this may be a great 4-H opportunity for you!

The interest meeting will be January 9 at 7 pm. Team Coaches will discuss practice schedules and competitions; fees; and equipment requirements. Please sign up online by January 4 or contact the Paulding County Extension Office to sign up:
About S.A.F.E. shotgun: http://georgia4h.org/programs/focus-areas/healthy-living/recreation-leisure/project-safe-shooting-sports/disciplines/shotgun/.

Are you thinking about running for NW Senior Board?

Here are the requirements to apply to be on the 2019-2020 NW District Senior Board:

- *DPA portfolio must be completed and turned into the Extension office on time:* ***December 21 by 5pm***
- *Email your* ***completed*** *DPA speech/discuss lab-performance to Ms. Josie by* ***January 14, by 5pm. Your completed speech/lab performance is a requirement to request an application.***
- *Senior Board applications are due via email to Ms. Josie on* ***February 5 by 5pm.***

Outdoor Recreation – Madison Clevenger

Climbing with a rope… or not

Rock climbing is not for the faint-hearted. This sport requires much strength and mental determination. While some people assume that all rock climbing is difficult, there are different styles that any climber can take part in. Top-roping is utilized by most beginners, since the climber is attached to a rope that passes through an anchor system. It's considered one of the more easier forms of rock climbing, because the climber is supported. In bouldering, the climber does not use a rope or harness, so raw strength and advanced technique is needed. Bouldering walls are typically shorter than those seen when top-roping, and there is usually a padded mat. Lead climbing may be the most difficult of the three, because climbers are supported only if they place their rope in walled anchors. With this style, climbers need more strength and endurance, because lead climbing is basically bouldering over a longer distance. These are a few of the most common rock-climbing styles that one may see, so next time you visit a mountain or national park, consider the natural rock that surrounds you. You never know how many climbing routes may exist that may or may not require a rope for the adventure.

Discover Yourself in 4-H

Teen Leaders Needed for Cloverleaf DPA!

Certified Teen Leaders with DPA experience are needed to attend Cloverleaf DPA in **Rome on Saturday, January 26, 2019.** We will need help with taking pictures, leading and engaging 4-H'ers to rooms, assisting with carnival games and service learning, monitoring hallways, and assisting Cloverleaf 4-H'ers and their families. We will meet at the Paulding County courthouse at **7:15 am sharp on January 26.**

To sign-up complete the Sign Up Genius !
Attire: *Teen Leader Nametag, 4-H shirt, and pants/nice jeans only (please no holes, fades, etc.)*

Senior Club Officers for 2018-2019:

President: *Colleen Gilroy '19* **Vice President:** *Ashley Heerlein '19* **Secretary:** *Juliette McKinley '21*
Reporter: *Madison Clemente '20* **Community Service Chair:** Kelly Bray '20

4-H Motto: "To Make the Best Better" 4-H Slogan: "Learn by Doing"

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