

THE CANDLER CLOVER

September 2024

- October 1: Kiwanis Ogeechee Fair Mini-Booth Sign-Up Ends — call 912-685-2408—waitlist spots available
- October 1: Cloverleaf Cooking Fun Day @ 3:30-5:15 pm @ Candler Co. 4-H Office (4th-6th graders)
*call 912-685-2408 to sign-up by Thursday, September 26—limited spots available
- October 3-4: Cloverleaf Officer Trainings in ILC during Connections
- October 4: Georgia 4-H Holiday Card Artwork Contest Deadline—call 912-685-2408 for rules and info
- October 18: Georgia 4-H Pumpkin Growing Contest Weigh-In Deadline—bring pumpkins to 4-H office to weigh
- October 22: Project SAFE Shooting Sports Orientation @ Candler County 4-H Office—MANDATORY for participants
*6:00 PM—BB program (4th-9th grade), 7:00 PM—Shotgun program (6th-12th grade)
- October 25: Poinsettia Fundraiser Order Forms and Money due to 4-H Office
- October 25: Youth Pumpkin Decorating Contest Entry Deadline—call 912-685-2408 for details
- October 29: Cloverleaf Arts & Crafts Day @ 3:30-5:15 pm @ Candler Co. 4-H Office (4th-6th graders)
*call 912-685-2408 to sign-up by Thursday, October 24—limited spots available
- November 9-10: Georgia 4-H Junior Conference @ Rock Eagle (6th-8th graders) - \$105 to attend
*call 912-685-2408 to register by Thursday, October 24

NEXT 4-H MEETING: _____
Remember to Wear a GREEN or 4-H SHIRT!!



Scan QR Code to sign-up for 4-H events

COMMUNITY SERVICE
WRITE THANK YOU NOTES TO LOCAL
FIRST RESPONDERS
10 club points per note/card

SCHOOL SERVICE
DECORATE YOUR CLASSROOM DOOR
FOR NATIONAL 4-H WEEK
100 club points if entire class participates!

SAVE THE DATE:
4-H SUMMER CAMP—JUNE 23-27, 2025

Candler County 4-H

(912) 685-2408

Hours: Monday—Friday

8:00 AM-12:00 noon; 1:00 PM-5:00 PM

Closed from 12-1 for lunch

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Text @candler4hc to 81010

I have read my child's 4-H Newsletter:

(Parent/Guardian Signature)

Student Name: _____

Cut out and bring to your next 4-H Meeting for a Clover Coupon!

University of Georgia is an Equal Opportunity, Affirmative Action, Veteran, Disability Institution. If you need a reasonable accommodation or language access, contact Candler County Extension at least three weeks prior to program date.

4-H Mini-Booths at Kiwanis Ogeechee Fair

- Sign-up deadline is Tuesday, October 1. All guaranteed spots are filled, but waitlist spots are available.
- Set-up @ Kiwanis Fairgrounds in Statesboro on Saturday, October 12 @ 8:30-11:30 AM.
- Take-down @ Kiwanis Fairgrounds in Statesboro on Sunday, October 20 @ 2:00-4:00 PM.
- Additional display opportunities on Wednesday, October 23 @ MES/MMS and Thursday, November 21-Friday, November 22 @ MES/MMS.

Georgia 4-H Holiday Card Artwork Contest

Design a 4-H Holiday Card for the Georgia 4-H Foundation and have the chance to win \$100 if chosen as the state winner. **Artwork is due to the Candler County 4-H Office by Friday, October 4.** Entry Rules:

- Entries must be 4-H'ers original drawing on a 8.5" x 5.5" sheet of white, unlined paper. All entries must be colorful and creative. No digitally created entries will be accepted.
- All entries should include 4-H in the theme of the message or design.

Project SAFE BB & Shotgun Teams

- 4-H'ers in grades 4-9 can participate in 4-H BB team. Participants learn to shoot paper targets in 4 different positions and are coached by a parent.
- 4-H'ers in grades 6-12 can participate in 4-H Shotgun team. Participants learn to shoot clay targets.
- Anyone interested in participating in either of these programs must attend a MANDATORY Orientation on Tuesday, October 22 at the Candler County 4-H Office. BB participants will meet at 6:00 PM, Shotgun will meet at 7:00 PM. Registration for both teams will begin that night and end on Friday, November 1.

Junior Conference

4-H'ers in grades 6-8 can attend a statewide conference at Rock Eagle on November 9-10. This conference includes workshops, team building, recreation and more! The cost is \$105 and the registration deadline is Thursday, October 24. Sign-up at the 4-H Office.

4-H T-Shirts

New 4-H T-Shirts are available for purchase from the 4-H Office for \$20. Show your 4-H spirit all year long with a new 4-H T-Shirt!



Camp Corner

This summer, 4th-6th graders will be invited to attend 4-H summer camp at one of our 5 Georgia 4-H camp locations. In December, we will announce the location. Each month, we will give you a location clue.

Clue 1: Our camping location is **not** the largest 4-H center in the world. Which one can you mark out?



Basic Care for Your Dog

Do you have a dog? If so, it is important to know how to care for your furry friend properly.

Feeding: Puppies need 2-3 meals a day, which should reduce to two meals, and then one meal a day as the dog reaches adulthood. Feed your dog at regular times and provide fresh water during meal times. **Bathing:** Only bathe your dog when they are dirty or smelly. Brush your dog at least once a week to stimulate natural coat oils, prevent tangles, and check for external parasites. **Exercise:** Regular exercise is essential for your dog's health. Fun activities like fetch, swimming, and walking are great for both you and your dog.

-Elle Carter, Candler County Senior 4-H'er