



# COBB 4-H

## NEWSLETTER

October | 2024

Elementary School

### **National 4-H Week**

October 6th-12th is National 4-H Week! We can't wait to celebrate the best week of the year with the 2024 "Beyond Ready" theme. We will be highlighting how 4-H prepares youth to be ready – ready to be engaged members of their families, schools, communities, and their futures. Help Cobb 4-H celebrate your love for 4-H by wearing green on Wednesday October 9th! Join one of our specialty clubs and most importantly, share some 4-H experiences with others!



### **LifeSmarts Family Trivia Night**

Get ready to flex those brain muscles at Cobb 4-H LifeSmarts Family Trivia Night! Join us on October 14th from 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm at the Cobb County Extension office for an evening of fun, food and friendly competition. All proceeds help support Cobb 4-H competitive teams. Questions? Contact Kathleen.mcelroy@cobbcounty.org or colleen.bakhsh@cobbcounty.org.

Registration: Call 770-528-4070 Cost is \$20 per team up to 6 team members

### **4-H PLEDGE**

I pledge my **HEAD** to clearer thinking,  
my **HEART** to greater loyalty,  
my **HANDS** to larger service,  
and my **HEALTH** to better living,  
for my club, my community,  
my country, and my world.



My leader's name is:

My next meeting date is:



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### Front Door Produce Fundraiser

Support our Cobb County 4-H Program! The "Green Box" includes 20 lbs. of fresh Georgia Grown produce, priced at \$30. Our online form for orders will be open between October 28 and November 14, 2024. The link will be available on the UGA Cobb Extension Website as well as posted in our Front Door Produce event on our UGA Cobb County Facebook page and Cobb 4-H Facebook page. Your farm fresh produce will be delivered to the Cobb County Extension office and you will be notified for pick-up the week of November 18, 2024. This will be right in time for Thanksgiving.

The "Green" Box can include:

- Bell Pepper
- Cucumbers
- Yellow Squash
- Zucchini
- Green Beans
- Corn
- Cabbage
- Satsumas



### Tractor Supply

Each spring and fall, Tractor Supply helps raise money for 4-H programs through the sale of Paper Clovers in their stores. Join us to support Cobb 4-H programming by buying a paper clover at the register or online while shopping at Tractor Supply November 29th – December 15th!



Launching on October 7th, Tractor Supply will be selling limited-edition collectible 4-H holiday ornaments in all their stores nationwide. These ornaments will have three unique designs, and we are excited at the prospect of these ornaments becoming a family tradition for 4-H'ers for years to come. 100% of ornament purchases will support 4-H.

Please consider visiting Kennesaw Tractor Supply Company located at 3064 Cobb Pkwy NW, Kennesaw, GA 30152 to support Cobb County 4-H!



### All About Bats

Are bats blind? Can bats get caught in your hair? How many mosquitoes can a bat eat in an hour? How big is the biggest bat in the world? Do bats actually drink blood? Let's learn all about bats with games and crafts! Sponsored by Cobb 4-H and the Georgia Bat Working Group.

For more information, please call (770) 509-2711.

Date: October 15, 2024  
 Location: Sewell Mill Library  
 Time: 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm



### Pop Tabs

Help us support the Georgia Ronald McDonald house with your pop tabs! Store them in a Ziploc bag and bring them to your next 4-H meeting. We collect them all year long!



## Science Corner

Which class of animals has the following list of characteristics?

- cold blooded
- lays eggs
- bodies are covered with dry scales



There are nearly 600 different species of carnivorous [plants that actually eat insects and small animals.

