COUNTY COUNCIL

NEWS

September | 2024 County Council

Upcoming Club Meetings

County Council 4th-12th Grade 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm October 1, 2024 November 5, 2024

Horse and Pony Club 4th-12th Grade 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm September 10, 2024 October 8, 2024

Cultured Ag Club 4th-12th Grade 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm September 18, 2024 October 16, 2024

LifeSmarts 6th-12th Grade 9:00 am - 12:00 pm September 23, 2024

Cobb County Extension Contact Information:

678 South Cobb Drive Suite 200 Marietta, GA 30060

Website: ugaextension.org/cobb Phone: 770-528-4070

Welcome Back to 4-H!

Welcome back to 4-H for the 2024-2025 school year! The Cobb 4-H staff is looking forward to an exciting year of new opportunities and possibilities with each of you this school year!

Portfolio Workshop

7th-12th graders – Get a jump start on your portfolio by coming to our September portfolio workshop on Friday, September 27th at the Extension Office from 9:00 am-4:00 pm. Lunch will be provided. Email Ms. Chloe at chloe.pattersonl@uga.edu to RSVP. RSVP no later than Wednesday. September 25th!

Teen Leaders Wanted

Teen Leaders are needed for Cloverbud programs throughout the year. Cloverbuds is a STEAM program for children in kindergarten - 3rd grade. We meet at the Extension office from 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm on the following dates: September 11, October 9, November 13, December 11, January 15, February 12, March 12, April 16, and May 14. Please email Ms. Colleen at colleen.bakhsh@cobbcounty.org if interested in volunteering for any of the dates as a teen leader for this program.

Consumer Judging

Like to Shop or to Save Money? We have the perfect judging team for you! Join the Consumer Judging Team this fall. Practices will be on Thursdays at the Cobb County Extension office located at 678 South Cobb Drive Suite 200 Marietta, Ga 30060. The first practice will be Thursday, September 5th from 6:30 pm-8:00 pm. Open to 4th-12th graders! For more information contact Kathleen McElroy at 770-528-4070 or kathleen.mcelroy@cobbcounty.org.

<u>Teen Leader Training</u>

Want to build on your leadership skills? Cobb 4-H will be offering the Georgia 4-H Certified Teen Leader Training Course for 6th - 12th graders to learn to work with younger 4-H'ers, add new games and 4-H songs to your toolbox, on Friday September 27, 2024. All 4-H'ers that complete the teen leader training course will be official Georgia 4-H Certified teen leaders. This comes with a teen leader nametag that will be available at a later date and you will be able to serve as teen leader at district and state 4-H events. Teen Leader Training will take place at the Cobb County Extension office located at 678 South Cobb Drive, Suite 200 Marietta, Ga 30060. 4-H'ers should be dropped off at the Cobb County Extension office at 9:00 am and picked up at the same location at 4:00 pm. Lunch will be provided. For more information contact Ms. Chloe at 770-528-4070 or chloe.pattersonl@uga.edu.





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Cupcake Decorating Contest

Do you have a young baker in your family? Our contest on Sept. 20th might be for you. Open to 2nd-5th graders. Participants pay fair admission and \$5 registration fee. Registration is due Tuesday, September 17th or until spaces fill. Winners will receive admission and ride tickets to the North Georgia State Fair! The surprise theme will be revealed at the beginning of the contest!









North Georgia State Fair Exhibit Prize Drawing

Open to K-12th graders. Enter your flower show and non-commercial exhibits to enter a drawing for a chance to win a North Georgia State Fair PRIZE PACK that includes fair admission and rides!

For more information, check out the North Georgia State Fair website https://www.northgeorgiastatefair.com and Facebook page or contact Kathleen McElroy at 770-528-4070 or

kathleen.mcelroy@cobbcounty.org.



<u>Kroger Rewards</u>

Do you and your family shop at Kroger? Just by doing your regular shopping, you can support our 4-H club! Help Cobb County 4-H raise money for 4-H programming and our specialty clubs by linking your Kroger Plus Card to Cobb 4-H. Follow the easy steps below to support our club today:

- Register online at krogercommunityrewards.com
- If you have an existing Kroger account, log in. If not, register your Kroger rewards card by clicking register.
- Click on Enroll Now
- Search for Cobb County 4-H
- Click enroll and you are done!



<u>LifeSmarts Family Trivia Night</u>

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

Bats at the Library

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. Intended for elementary school children.

Location: Mountainview Library Date: September 25, 2024 Time: 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Space is limited and priority is given to those who are registered. Follow link below to register.

https://www.cobbcounty.org/events? field_location_reference_target_id=7026&page=2

For more information, please call 770-509-2725.

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!

