

GRADY COUNTY 4-H CLUB

Clover Connection

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November 2025



Please come join Deron Rehberg's Retirement Celebration on Thursday, November 20, 2025 from 3pm to 6pm.

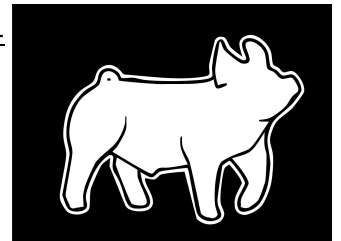
REMINDER: Peanut money and order forms are due no later than 5:30pm on Wednesday, November 19th. Peanut orders can be picked up the same day from 1:00pm-5:30pm at the 4-H office.



2026 County Market Hog Show

Monday, **February 16th**. The ownership and tagging deadline for showing in the county show is Friday, December 5, 2025.

4-H Age Rule: Anyone who is in the 1st-12th grade is eligible to participate.



HAPPY THANKSGIVING



Modified Trap

The Modified Trap season begins **February 5, 2026!** This program is open to **6th–12th grade 4-H’ers** who want to learn and grow in shotgun sports. Participants will need to bring their own gun; **shells and skeet are included** in the team registration fee. There will be **two first-time shooter practices** on **January 20th** and **January 27th** — a great way to get comfortable before the season starts!

Skeet, Trap & Sporting Clays

Our **advanced shotgun program** begins **February 3, 2026**, and is open to **7th–12th grade 4-H’ers**. This program offers exciting opportunities to sharpen shooting skills and compete at higher levels.

Organizational Orientation Meeting:

- ✓ December 2nd
- ✓ 6:00 p.m.
- ✓ Grady County 4-H Office



HUNTER SAFETY CLASS REGISTRATION

All **6th–12th grade 4-H’ers** on the **Grady County 4-H Archery, Modified Trap, Skeet, Trap & Sporting Clays Teams** must complete the **Georgia Hunter Safety Course**.

- **Online Option:** Visit georgiawildlife.com/hunting/hunter-resources to complete the course. After passing, log into **GoOutdoorsGeorgia** to print your certificate.
- **In-Person Option:** Scan the QR code to sign up for the in-person class in **Cairo, GA**, or check with **Ranges at Oakfield** in **Thomasville** for other in-person options.



Stay safe, learn the rules, and get ready for a great season!

2025 COTTON BOLL & CONSUMER JUDGING TEAM



We are proud of our entire Cotton Boll & Consumer Judging Team. Team members are: Piper Andrews, Emma Ausburn, Lucas Ausburn, Sadie Chambers, Kady Childs, Collier Collins, Elizabeth Collins, Ben Dean, Kyra Downard, Dakota Faircloth, Jacob Faircloth, Ellie Harrison, Reagan Maige, Devon Rehberg, Joshua Starling, and Thornton West.

3rd Place Senior Team: Kyra Downard, Thornton West, Collier Collins & Devon Rehberg

2nd Place Junior Team: Kady Childs, Emma Ausburn, Dakota Faircloth & Jacob Faircloth

FALL FORUM 2025



December 13–14, 2025
Rock Eagle 4-H Center

Fall Forum is open to **9th–12th grade 4-H’ers** and will feature workshops, recreation, and networking with 4-H’ers from across Georgia! This year’s theme is inspired by *Home Alone* — **“You are Never Alone in Your 4-H Home!”**

Registration:

- Open to current 9th–12th graders (2025–2026 school year)
- **Fee:** \$95 (includes Saturday lunch/dinner, lodging, and Sunday breakfast)
- **Registration Deadline:** **Wednesday, November 26, 2025, at 5:00 PM**

PEANUT RECIPE CONTEST

Contest Information: The contest will be held at the 4-H Office on Wednesday, **December 17th from 4:00–5:30 pm.**

If you plan on competing, please call the 4-H Office at 377-1312 by Monday, December 15th to register.

Contest Rules:

Cloverleaf (Grades 4-6):

1. Each participant must submit and make a recipe for his/her favorite peanut butter sandwich in the county contest.
2. Any recipe with inedible items will be disqualified.
3. The recipe should list ingredients for 1 sandwich, as well as directions for assembling the sandwich. Recipes can be written or typed.
4. Recipes will be judged on nutrition,



appeal, creativity, recipe presentation, recipe content, and appropriateness for category.

5. Winners will be selected in a county contest as follows: One Overall Winner and winners in the 3 categories of Most Nutritious, Most Unusual, and Most Creative.

Junior Division (7th-8th graders):

1. Each participant must submit and make a recipe for his/her favorite uncooked snack containing a peanut product.
2. The recipe should be for 1 serving and must include a minimum of either 1/4 cup peanuts (any kind: raw, roasted, salted, dry roasted, chopped or ground); or 2 T. peanut butter or other peanut products. Recipes can be written or typed.
3. Recipes will be judged on nutrition, appeal, creativity, recipe presentation,

recipe content and appropriateness for category.

4. Winners will be selected in a county contest as follows: One Overall Winner and winners in the 3 categories of Most Nutritious, Most Unusual, and Most Creative.

Due to the fact that someone has to taste your creations, please follow good sanitary practices when preparing your recipes.

This contest counts as an activity for Cloverleaf 4-H'ers shooting Archery and is considered a State Level activity for Junior 4-H'ers.



MILKMAKE CONTEST

The Grady County 4-H MilkMake Contest is a fun Food & Nutrition Activity for Cloverleaf and Junior 4-H'ers. This means any 4-H'er in grades 4-8 who love milkshakes can participate in the contest.

The contest will be held at the 4-H Office on Wednesday, **December 17th from 4:00–5:30 pm.**

What to do:

1. Each participant must submit and make a recipe for a milk-based drink including milkshakes and smoothies for the county contest.
2. The main ingredient should be milk and the recipe should include the amount of ingredients, number of servings and directions for preparing the drink.

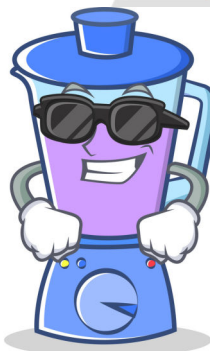


3. Recipes can be written or typed.
4. Recipes will be judged on nutrition, appeal, creativity, recipe presentation, and recipe content.

During the contest, you will make your milkshake and our Senior DPA participants will judge your shakes.

All participants will receive a door prize for participating and the top 6 winners in each age division will receive a MilkMake Recipe Contest color changing cup.

This contest counts as an activity for Cloverleaf 4-H'ers shooting Archery and is considered a State Level activity for Junior 4-H'ers. This is always a fun and very tasty contest and we are looking forward to tasting your wonderful recipes. If you



have any questions regarding the contest, please give us a call at the 4-H Office.

Happy
Blending!



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4-H's Motto: "To Make The Best Better"

4-H Calendar

- November**
- 17-20 School Club Meetings
 - 19 Peanut Fundraiser
 - 20 Caring Clovers Crochet Club
 - 20 Deron Rehberg's Retirement Celebration
 - 27-28 4-H Office Closed - Thanksgiving Holidays
- December**
- 4 Cairo Christmas Parade
 - 13-14 Fall Forum @ Rock Eagle 4-H Center
 - 15-18 School Club Meetings
 - 17 Peanut Recipe/MilkMake Contests
 - 19 Jr/Sr Portfolios Due!!
 - 25-Jan. 1 4-H Office Christmas Holidays
- 2026**
- January**
- 17 State Indoor Archery Match
 - 24 Clovers and Co
 - 30- Feb. 1 SWD Jr/Sr DPA @ Rock Eagle
- February**
- 9-12 School Club Meetings
 - 15-16 Grady County Hog Show and Sale
 - 18-21 State Livestock Shows - Perry
 - 26 4-H Day at the Capitol



SUMMER CAMP

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Cloverleaf Camp: July 6-10, 2026

Rock Eagle 4H Center

Junior Camp: June 22-26, 2026

Burton 4H Center

Senior Camp: June 29- July 3, 2026

Camp Jekyll

THANKSGIVING word search

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