

GRADY COUNTY 4-H CLUB

# Clover Connection

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October 2025

Happy Fall  
Y'all



## 30<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL FALL 4-H PEANUT FUNDRAISER!

It's time for one of our favorite 4-H traditions — the **Peanut Fundraiser**! Help support Grady County 4-H and enjoy some delicious Georgia-grown peanuts from the **Georgia Peanut Commission**. We are selling 12 oz. re-sealable cans of **Plain Salted**, **Honey Roasted**, and **Butter Toffee** peanuts.

The fundraiser runs from **October 20<sup>th</sup> through November 19<sup>th</sup>**. All money and order forms are due at the 4-H Office no later than **5:30 PM on Wednesday, November 19<sup>th</sup>**. Peanut orders can be **picked up the same day from 1:00 – 5:30 PM** at the 4-H Office.

We also have **scholarships for our top sellers**! The 1st place winner will receive \$150, 2nd place \$125, and 3rd place \$100. Plus, anyone who sells **\$100 or more** will earn a special long sleeve 4-H t-shirt!

For those participating in **Shooting Sports**, you can use the Peanut Fundraiser as an activity. Selling **18 cans** counts as **1 activity**, and selling **3 cases (36 cans)** counts as **2 activities**. Each case contains 12 cans.

Let's make this our **best Peanut Fundraiser yet**! Thank you for supporting Grady County 4-H.

**All proceeds support local 4-H programs.**



## 4-H Shotgun Programs

### 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

Come learn more about these programs and get ready for another great season on the range!



## 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](http://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.



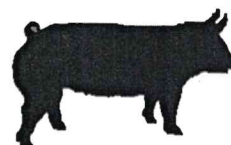
Stay safe, learn the rules, and get ready for a great season!

## '26 COUNTY MARKET HOG SHOW

**M**onday, **February 16<sup>th</sup>**. 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 **1<sup>st</sup>–12<sup>th</sup> grade** is eligible to participate.

There will not be an official weigh-in day this year. 4-H and FFA Advisors will weigh & tag your pigs at your home by the **December 5<sup>th</sup> entry deadline**.



## ❄️ Fall Forum 2025 ❄️

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

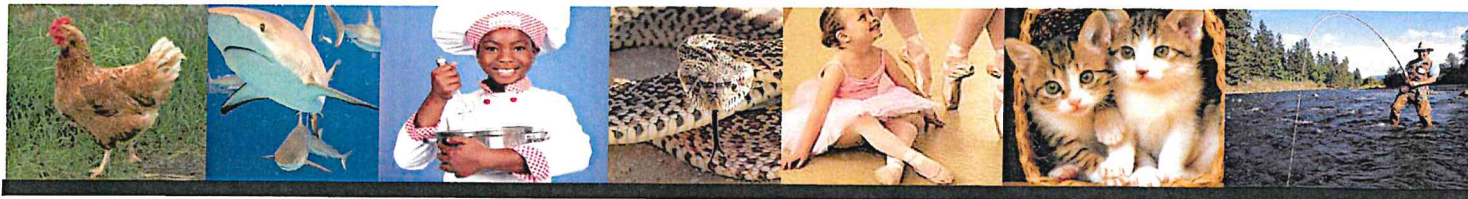
Fall Forum is open to **9th–12th grade 4-H'ers** and will feature workshops, recreation, and networking with 4-H'ers from across Georgia! This year's theme is inspired by *Home Alone* — **"You are Never Alone in Your 4-H Home!"**

### 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







# Cloverleaf Project Achievement

## Project Achievement Topics

### ★ Get Ready for Cloverleaf Project Achievement! ★

Calling all 4th–6th grade 4-H'ers! Georgia Cloverleaf Project Achievement is your chance to **show off what you love**, build confidence, and have a ton of fun doing it! You'll pick a topic you're excited about—like animals, sports, cooking, or anything else you enjoy—and create a short presentation to share.

The contest will be held **November 15th at Hutto Elementary School in Bainbridge**, and after all your hard work, we'll celebrate this summer with a **special reward trip** just for participants! It's a great way to make new friends, learn new skills, and **shine like a 4-H star!** ★



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| Agriculture Awareness            | Historic People                |
| Archaeology                      | Horse                          |
| Arts                             | Housing                        |
| Beef                             | Human Development              |
| Bicycle                          | Interior Design                |
| Cat Care                         | International                  |
| Clothing & Textiles              | Life Science                   |
| Communications                   | Marine & Coastal Ecology       |
| Companion and Specialty Animals  | Ornithology                    |
| Computer Information Technology  | Outdoor Recreation             |
| & Date Science                   | Outdoor Survival Skills        |
| Crafts                           | Paleontology                   |
| Creative Stitchery               | Performing Arts-General        |
| Current People, Places, & Events | Performing Arts-Instrumental   |
| Dairy                            | Performing Arts-Vocal          |
| Dairy Foods                      | Photography & Videography      |
| Dog Care & Training              | Physical Sciences              |
| Earth & Space Sciences           | Plants, Soils, & Fertilizers   |
| Engineering & Mechanics          | Poultry                        |
| Entomology                       | Public Speaking                |
| Environmental Science            | Rabbits                        |
| Etiquette and Travel             | Robotics                       |
| Food for Health & Sport          | Safety                         |
| Food Safety & Preservation       | Sheep & Meat Goats             |
| Food Lab: Between Meal Snacks    | Sports—Individual              |
| Food Lab: Food Fare              | Sports—Team                    |
| Forestry & Wood Science          | Swine                          |
| Fresh Water Fish & Shellfish     | Target Sports                  |
| Fruits, Vegetables, & Nuts       | Time & Money Management        |
| General Recreation               | Veterinary Science             |
| Health                           | Wildlife                       |
| Herpetology                      | Workforce Preparation & Career |
| Historic Places & Events         | Development                    |



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**TO MAKE THE BEST  
BETTER**



**HOW CAN YOU HELP  
YOUR COMMUNITY?**



Collect pop tabs for Ronald McDonald House in Georgia. Keep your tabs in a plastic Ziploc bag and bring them by the 4-H Office at the Agri-Center by **November 7<sup>th</sup>**.



Operation Christmas Child

To participate, just take a look at the enclosed instruction sheet on "**How to Pack a Shoe Box Gift**". We need all shoe boxes turned in to the 4-H Office no later than **November 14<sup>th</sup>**.

## 4-H Calendar

**October**

20-23 School Club Meetings  
23 Caring Clovers Crochet Club  
31 Boo on Broad

**November**

1 Mule Day Petting Zoo  
8-9 Jr. Conference @ Rock Eagle  
13 Cotton Boll and Consumer Judging Contest  
14 Operation Christmas Child Due  
15 Cloverleaf Project Achievement—Bainbridge  
19 Peanut Fundraiser Day  
17-20 School Club Meetings  
20 Caring Clovers Crochet Club  
20 Deron Rehberg's Retirement Celebration  
27-28 4-H Office Closed - Thanksgiving Holidays

*Planning  
for Summer?*



## SUMMER CAMP

**Cloverleaf Camp: July 6-10, 2026**

**Junior Camp: June 22-26, 2026**

**Senior Camp: June 29-July 3, 2026**