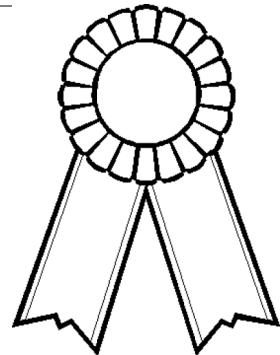




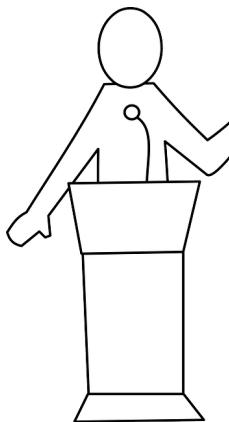
Troup County 4-H

December 2015

DPA Mega-Crunch Saturday January 9th 2016 9am



All DPA competitors mark your calendars for the Mega-Crunch Saturday January 9th at the Extension Office. From 9am until lunch we will be making sure all 5th and 6th Grade students have their posters ready and have the opportunity to practice their presentations. Teen leaders and older 4-Hers are encouraged to attend and help our younger students. Lunch will be served. After lunch will be time for 7th-12th grade students to work on their portfolios. 5th and 6th Grade students must fill out and mail, fax, scan and email or hand deliver the following "intent to compete" information to **THE EXTENSION OFFICE** (please don't return the forms to the school) on or before the workshop on January 9th. Portfolios are due January 11th. Junior/Seniors remember if you want your portfolio reviewed for feedback it must be turned in the Extension Office by December 17th. Final cost will be determined no later than January 1st.



Cloverleaf DPA Intent to Compete Due to the Extension Office on or before January 9th 2016

Name: _____

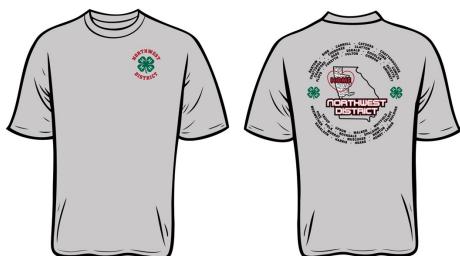
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Project Title and Brief Description:

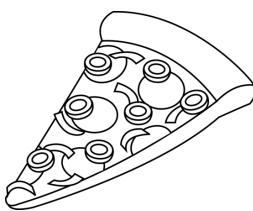
4-H T-Shirts

Time to get your 4-H gear! Northwest District is selling awesome 4-H t-shirts pictured below. The cost is \$10 a shirt. Order forms are available in the Extension Office. Order forms must be received by January 21st 2016. There will also be county t-shirts from previous years of various sizes and styles for sale for \$5 at the DPA Mega-Crunch.



Pizza in the Park

Our monthly service project is back! January 16th 2016 11am. We will meet at the West Point River Park at the pavilion at the east entrance and cleaning up the trails. Following clean up, lunch will be pizza in the park. Please let the Extension office know if you plan to attend so we can bring enough pizza! Also remember to dress for the weather. Hope to see you there!



To Register for an event or for more information contact the Troup County Extension Office.

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Life Smarts

Life smarts is an online competition where you show your real life skills in finance, consumer skills, technology, health and the environment. The contest consists of teams of 4 and is a series of quizzes taken online. The state contest will be in February and the winning state team goes on to compete in nationals held in Denver CO in April. Our first meeting on January 7th at 5:30pm we will get everyone registered. After you are registered you will be able to access the daily practice quizzes and other resources. We will meet for additional practices and then meet at the office on February 16th at 5:30pm to take the state tests! Everyone is invited to participate. Since the contest is online, only the practices on January 7th and February 16th will be required.



LifeSmarts
Learn it. Live it.

Parents

Are you interested in being involved with all our fun 4-H activities? 4-H is hiring a part-time (19 hours a week) program assistant. You can also apply to become a screened volunteer and be eligible to assist with our fun 4-H activities and trips! For more information contact the Extension Office.



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