Happy 4-H Clover Month

Bring Your Cloverbud To Learn About 4-H

March is all about the 4-H Clover. There are lots of activities happening. We welcome you to take part in 4-H activities this month.

March 11, 2017	County Contest
March 16, 2017	Summer Camp Registration
March 15, 2017	Livestock Club
March 21, 2017	Cooking Club with Gnomestead Hollow Farms
March 23, 2017	Teen Club
March 25, 2017	Cloverbud Activity at the Carroll County Library
March 28, 2017	Cooking Club with Gnomestead Hollow Farms





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Contact Us

Give us a call for more information about our clubs, activities or if you would like to start a short-term 4-H Project.

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4-H CLOVER NEWS

Carroll County , VA

March 2017



Camp Registration Is Just Around the Corner!

Mark Your Calendars for March 16, 2017, 5-7 pm at the Carroll County Extension Office

Can you believe it is already time to start planning for 4-H Summer Camp? Time has flown by and this year's camping experience will be even more exciting and beneficial for our campers. We will be camping with both Scott and Lee County. Our counselor's have already been selected and they are gearing up for an exciting week of camp. We hope you are getting excited as well.

There will be some changes to our registration process this year as the 4-H Center has made some changes to the camping program. Those changes affect how you will register for classes.

- ◆ Campers will no longer choose classes prior to camp. On Monday (of the camping week), campers will sign-up for classes at the 4-H Center. There will be a rotation for the camping color groups through: class sign-ups, swim test, camp store, and a recreation overview. During the class sign-up rotation, campers will choose the classes they want to take. Don't worry spaces will be divided up equally between the color groups to allow each group a fair chance at getting the classes they want.
- Horses will be part of the Small and Large Animal Care class this year.
- ♦ The 4-H Center is adding at least three new classes this summer:
 - 1. Painting- students will get to create their own painting and take home with them
 - 2. Multimedia/Technology: Camp Blog, Slideshow, etc. This class will incorporate the use of iPads for photography, slideshow production, videos, and more.
 - 3. Outdoor Living Skills: This class will also cover nature science/environmental education topics.

More changes are continued on the next page.



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Camp Changes continued...

The 4-H Center is eliminating Swimming, High Ropes, and Fishing as camp classes. Now you can explore some other class options and more campers will have access to these three classes all week.

- With the morning class time, the air temperature is usually still cool. Swimming students also are sometimes uncomfortable in other classes after being cold & wet in the swimming class. Don't worry, you will have plenty of time to swim in the afternoon during your rec time.
- Zip line is going to become a camp wide alternate rec. Activity.
 All 12-13 year-old campers who want to zip line will have the opportunity during a recreation period. Campers will sign-up for the zip line on Monday if they are interested.
- Fishing will be offered as a camp wide opportunity during available recreation periods.
- ** These are exciting changes because campers have more choices at camp to explore during class and rec time.

Club Level Competition for Schools and Clubs Was On Fire!!

It has been a great time watching the students in the schools perform at their best for a chance to compete in our County Contest. We have many great students here in Carroll County. Not all are pictured here, but I would like to thank teachers at Laurel Elementary, Gladesboro Elementary, St. Paul School, Gladeville Elementary, Hillsville Elementary, and Carroll Middle School for working to get students prepared for this year's competition.

Presentation Winners Who Will Compete in the County Contest

- Haven Elliott

 Laurel Elementary
- Samantha Manuel

 Laurel Elementary

Students are yet to be determined from the 4th and 5th graders at Gladesboro Elementary. Students will be presenting this week for a chance to represent their school at the County Contest and beyond.

Carroll Middle School 7th Graders Spoke Their Heart and Won!

The following students will go on to represent Carroll Middle School in the Intermediate Public Speaking Category at the County Contest

Natalie Vega Bailey Vaughn

Madison Stockner Breanna Goins

Maggie Terry

If you are a person with a disability and desire assistance or accommodation, please notify Jonette Mungo, 4-H Agent, at the Carroll County Extension Office at (276) 730-3110/TDD*) during business hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. *TDD number is (800) 828-1120.

Laurel Elementary Dramatic Reading Winners

Not pictured here are the 5th Grade Winners

- Landon Funk
- Katie Graham
- Ricky Mezacampbell





These third grade students participated in the Dramatic Reading competition and did a fantastic job. They are too young to compete in the County Contest, but the practice they gained this year will prepare them for great things next year. Plus they all received a unique 4-H bracelet as a reward for their hard work.

St. Paul Dramatic Reading Winners

- Katherine Lindamood
- Ashlyn Quesinberry
- Jaden Turner
- Bradyn Durham
- Danielle Leonard
- Connor Mayes
- Alex Nichols
- Madison Wardwell

County Contest

March 11, 2017 from 10-12 noon at the RAE Center

Come out and support out county's youth as they compete in the areas of Dramatic Reading, Presentations, and Public Speaking. Winners of the County Contest will go on to compete in the Area Contest which will be held here in Carroll County on April 8, 2017 at the Carroll County High School. If you and/or your organization would like to help with that event please call Jonette Mungo, 4-H Agent, at 276-730-3112.