

COBB 4-H

NEWSLETTER

January | 2024 5th Grade

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I pledge my **HEAD** to clearer thinking, my **HEART** to greater loyalty, my **HANDS** to larger service, and my **HEALTH** to better living, for my club, my community.

for my club, my community, my country, and my world.



My leader's name is:

My next meeting date is:

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Cobb County 4-H Project Achievement Public Speaking Contest

You've heard about it... Ready to compete? This is the last call for Cloverleaf County Project Achievement (CPA) public speaking competition. The competition will be held at Dowell Elementary on Thursday, January 18th at 6:30 pm. Dowell is located at 2121 W. Sandtown Rd SW, Marietta, GA, 30064. All 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th place winners will advance to the district competition and trip to NCG Cinemas on February 10, 2024. Register by submitting the digital registration form using the QR Code or tiny URL. The deadline to RSVP is Monday, January 15th. So RSVP quickly!

http://tiny.cc/4HCPA2023





Cloverleaf Summer Camp Registration

Registration for summer camp at Rock Eagle 4-H Center, June 17-21, 2024 will open at 8:00 am on Monday, February 5th at the Extension Office. Don't miss out on fun, friends, canoeing, two waterslides, recreation, and more! See the camp application for registration details. Spaces are limited!

Limited scholarships are also available. Scholarship applications are due on Monday, February 5th. No late applications will be accepted! Contact the Extension Office at (770) 528-4070 for a scholarship application, visit our website at www.ugaextension.org/cobb, or email Chloe Patterson at chloe.patterson1@uga.edu for more information.





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Friends Book Camp Essay

Do you enjoy writing? In addition to applying for a camp scholarship with Cobb County 4-H, you can also enter a statewide drawing for a camp scholarship by writing a persuasive camp essay. You must have the following:

- Heading
- Inside Address
- Salutation
- Body
- Closing
- Signature



All camp essays are due at your February 4-H meeting!

4-H Plant Sale - "Bee the Change"

4-H Plant Sale: Are your parents looking for a new way to spruce up your yard? Want to earn \$50 to go towards summer camp or any other 4-H activity? Pre-orders for the Cobb 4-H Plant Sale are now being taken at the Extension Office. Purchase plants for your family to make your yard springtime ready all while helping raise funds for Cobb 4-H! You can also encourage others to purchase plants to help raise funds for 4-H to help you win the top prize! Be sure that they put your name and school at the top of the sales sheet. The top seller will earn \$50.00 towards any 4-H event of his or her choice. The deadline to turn in all pre-orders is Friday, March 1st at 5:00pm.

To find the brochure go to ugaextension.org/cobb.

Horse Judging and Hippology

Do you want to learn more about the health of horses? How horses should look according to their breed? What all the ins and outs of horses are? Then come join our Horse Judging and Hippology teams!

Horse judging is for students who would like to look at different horses and judge them based on breed standards. Hippology explores all about the care and keeping of horses including nutrition, anatomy, riding equipment and so much more! Join our Hippology or Horse Judging teams and travel to the University of Georgia's campus this spring to compete in the Horse Judging and Hippology Contests!

Open to 4th-12th graders. Practices begin Thursday February 1st 2024. Email keaton.hamid@uga.edu if interested.

Science Corner

Did you know?

The Angler fish can thank its luminosity to the glowing bacteria it carries around on its face.

Did you know?

There are more microorganisms in your gut than there are stars in the galaxy.

Did you know?

The average human body carries ten times more bacteria cells than human cells.

Did you know?

Every square inch of skin on the human body has about 32 million bacteria on it!

Wildlife Judging

Are you interested in learning more about Wildlife and animal species in your community? Are you competitive and want to join a 4-H judging team? Wildlife Judging may be the team for you! Join the fun as we learn about different animal species and their habitats while looking at skulls and furs. Learn management for wildlife including the land, water, and population. This will help develop decision-making, leadership, and written and oral communication skills.

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