

Wilkes County

Wilkes County Extension Office Contact information

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Event Registration Information:

Registration fees must be paid by deadline date to be considered registered or a late fee will be charged. Refunds will be given if registration is cancelled before deadline date or if someone on the waiting list fills the vacancy. No refunds for unexcused absences, missed or skipped events. Registration over the phone is acceptable for activities requesting pre-registration with no money involved. Notify us if special accommodations are needed.

Dates to Remember

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| Mar 1-3 Mar 5 Mar 5 Mar 7 Mar 7 Mar 7 Mar 9 Mar 11 Mar 16 Mar 23 Mar 30 Apr 2 Apr 2 Apr 3 Apr 4 Apr 4 Apr 6 Apr 6 | Jr/Sr DPA 5th Grade Club Mtgs Poultry Judging Practice Begins 4th Grade Club Mtgs Senior Club Mtg County Council Meeting Wilkes County Fun BB Shoot Middle School Club Mtgs Carrolton GA Games BB Match Walton District BB Match Barrow County BB Match 5th Grade Club Mtgs Senior Club Mtg 4th Grade Club Mtgs County Council Meeting Spring Tour of Homes Senior Conference | May 8 May 9 May 11 May 19 May 30 May 31 Jun 3-7 Jun 3-7 Jun 10-14 Jun 17-21 Jun 21-23 Jun 24-28 Jul 1-5 Jul 8-12 Jul 15-19 | Senior Club Mtg 4th Grade Club Mtgs State Shotgun Match @ Rock Eagle Annual Awards Reception Farm Safety Camp Bulldog Buck Reward Trip Cloverleaf Camp Orientation Jr. Camp at Burton 4-H Center Sr. Extreme Camp @ Rock Eagle Sr. Extreme Camp @ Rock Eagle Wilderness Challenge Camp @ Wahsega 4-H Center State Council Sr. Camp @ Wahsega 4-H Center Sr. Camp @ Wahsega 4-H Center Cloverleaf Camp @ Jekyll 4-H Center | |
| Apr 4 Apr 4 Apr 6 Apr 6-7 Apr 9 Apr 10 | 4th Grade Club Mtgs County Council Meeting Spring Tour of Homes | Jun 24-28 Jul 1-5 Jul 8-12 | Sr. Camp @ Wahsega 4-H Center Sr. Camp @ Wahsega 4-H Center | |
| Apr 13 Apr 13 Apr 18 Apr 20 Apr 20 Apr 27 May 4 May 7 May 8 | Elbert County Shotgun Match Poultry Judging Contest in Oglethorpe Daisy Qualifier BB Match Washington County Shotgun Match State BB Match @ Rock Eagle State Archery Match @ Rock Eagle 5th Grade Club Mtgs Middle School Club Mtgs | | | |







Wilkes County 4-H Happenings—March 2024



The Wilkes County S.A.F.E. B.B. team members are Hunner Milles, Jacob Butler, Roch Filipiak, Daniel Skinner, Harley Moon, Diana Ouzts, Serenity Cooper, Lexi Moon, and Emma Medley. This team is coached by Jamie Jordan, Linda Jordan, and Reid Filipiak.

Cloverleaf Corner (Activities for 4th, 5th and 6th Graders)



Cloverleaf Camp—will be held July 8-12 at Jekyll 4-H Center. Cloverleaf Camp is open to 4th-6th graders (Youth must be at least 9 vrs old). You will make new friends, swim and have lots of fun activities. Cost is \$400.00 with deposit of \$100.00 due at sign-up. We have a few old). You will make new friends, swim and have it of \$100.00 due at sign-up. We have a few spaces left. Camp orientation is Monday, June 3 at 5:30 pm at 4-H office.

Tomato Plant Sale \$6.00 4-pk

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You will earn \$3.00 credit toward Summer Camp or Summer Activities for each 4-pack you sell. Turn in orders and money by Monday, March 22. Attention buyers: Plants need to be picked up at the 4-H Office in the Courthouse on April 4 or 5.

> Choose from 4-pk Cherry \$6.00 4-pk Better Boy \$6.00

Junior Journal (Activities for 7th and 8th graders)

Junior Camp-will be held June 3-7 at Burton 4-H Center. Open to 7th –8th graders. Cost is \$400.00 with deposit of \$125.00 due at registration. Includes visits to the beach, Tybee lighthouse, a Savannah dinner cruise with dancing, trolley transportation to and from River Street and a souvenir t-shirt. Limited number of spaces, first come, first served.

Wilderness Challenge Camp-will be held at Wahsega 4-H Center **June 17-21**. Open to > 6th-8th graders. Cost is \$400.00 with deposit of \$125.00 due at registration. Includes canopy zip lining, river swimming, whitewater rafting trip, and overnight backpack. Limited space, first come, first served.



Senior Journal (Activities for 9th - 12th graders)



Senior Camp-will be held June 24-28 or July 1-5 at Rock Eagle 4-H Center. Open to 9th -12th graders. Cost is \$400.00 with deposit of \$125.00 due at registration. Includes the cost of field trip to UGA campus and on-campus dining hall, other social and service activities. Limited space, first come, first served.

Senior Extreme Camp-will be held June 3-7 or June 10-14. Open to 9th-12th graders. This is a more primitive camping experience at Rock Eagle 4-H Center. Optional white water rafting trip is available. Cost is \$400.00 with deposit of \$125.00 due at registration.

Senior Conference—The statewide 4-H Senior Conference will be held Saturday and Sunday, April 6-7 at Rock Eagle 4-H Center. Early Bird registration is \$75. After March 22 registration will be \$80. The weekend will include classes on relationships, manners, etiquette, and dancing, semi-formal dance, and outdoor after-dance party including inflatable obstacles and slides, snacks, and a lot of fun. Space is limited. Registration is on a first-come, first served basis.



4-H News Activities & Events for 4-H'ers





Appetite for Adventure Cooking Club--(4th-12th graders) We meet once a month to sharpen your kitchen skills and prepare a quick afternoon snack. Meeting will be on Monday, March 25, 3:30-4:45pm. Van will pick up at school. Parents pick up at 4-H office. Registration is \$5.00. Space is limited. First come, first serve.



Poultry Judging-Come and learn about the poultry industry and how to judge chickens and eggs. Practices are every Tuesday beginning March 5 after school. The 4-H van will run after school. The area contest is Thursday, April 18 in Oglethorpe. No practice over Spring Break.



UGA Baseball Game-We will be traveling to Athens on Tuesday, April 9 (School Holiday) to watch UGA Baseball vs. Kennesaw. We will leave the 4-H office at 3:30 pm and return around 9:00 pm. Cost is \$10 and includes ticket for match, insurance, and transportation. Bring \$ for food at the game. Only 15 tickets available.



UGA Softball Game-We will be traveling to Athens on Wednesday, April 10 (School Holiday) to watch UGA Softball vs Georgia State. We will leave the 4-H office at 4:30 pm and return around 10:00 pm. Cost is \$10 and includes ticket for match, insurance, and transportation. Bring \$ for food at the game. Only 15 tickets available.



Shotgun Team-Practice every Sunday at 2:00pm at Wildlife Action. Registration is \$100.00. Please invite a friend to join. Must complete Hunter Safety Education Course to shoot.



4-H Awards Reception—Scheduled for Sunday, May 19 at WWCHS. All 4-H'ers who have competed in a competitive event will receive an invitation. Tickets will be on sale soon for \$5.00.



Spring Tour of Homes—8th graders and up. The Washington Women's Club needs hostesses and servers for the Spring Tour of Homes on Saturday, April 6. Please call the 4-H office for more details.



Livestock Projects—If you are thinking about showing beef cows, heifers, goats, or market hogs, please contact Ms. Audra at 706.678.2332.



Bulldog Buck Reward Trip—Detailed letters will go out in May to all those who have earned 20 Bulldog Bucks. Keep working hard to earn your trip to Splash N the Boro on Friday, May 31.



Farm Safety Camp-Kids completing kindergarten through 11 yrs old. Have fun learning about tractor, electrical, boating, fire and gun safety and much more on Thursday, May 30 at the McGill-Woodruff Ag Center. Registration is \$10.00 and due by Friday, May 10. Forms will be available after Spring Break.



Pop Tabs-Keep collecting your Pop Tabs to turn in at your next club meeting. All due by