

## What do we do with those Pop Tabs?



What do we do with those pop tabs and why is your class collecting them? Students often ask just what do we do with them. The answer is simple. We recycle them. Recycling centers weigh aluminum and pay the contributor for the number of pounds of metal that are brought in to be recycled.

The Georgia 4-H pop tab project is a state wide community service project that was begun about 10 years ago. Students from all counties across Georgia collect those tabs and contribute to the project. After the aluminum is sold, the proceeds are then donated to the Ronald McDonald House Charities. Each year 4-H'ers have become more involved collecting more tabs which in turn will generate more money for the charity.

Imagine if you were sick and had to travel away from your home for medical treatment. Having your parents nearby would make that so much easier. That is what the Ronald McDonald House is—a place for families to stay when they have to be away from home for medical treatment. Our donations help to supply the house with the items needed for families when their child is ill.

Last year 4-H members across the state collected 17,170 pounds of pop tabs (our county collected 218 pounds). The aluminum was recycled amounting to \$10,443.93, which was donated to the Ronald McDonald House. 4-H members working together can accomplish great things. Keep those pop tabs coming in to benefit families at a time of need.



Some of the pop tabs collected by 5th graders.

### Pop Tab Collection Results

1. Ms. Pettway-Barnett Shoals.....124 oz.
2. Ms. Dills-Barnett Shoals ..... 106 oz.
3. Ms. Powell-Whitehead Rd.....72 oz.
4. Dr. Moore-HB Stroud.....68 oz.
5. Ms. Tereshinski-Whit Davis.....55 oz.

**5th grade classes turned in over 43 pounds of can tabs last month.**

Good work 5th Graders! Keep those pop tabs coming and maybe next month, your class' name will be listed here!



#### Upcoming Events & Due Dates

Sign-up for Cloverleaf CPA by.....December 12  
 Nutrition Posters Due.....December 12  
 Cloverleaf CPA .....January 21  
 Cloverleaf DPA.....February 18

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# THE CLOVERLEAF

## November 2011



### Challenge Bowl Competition



Eight students traveled to Perry, GA on Sunday, October 16 to the Georgia National Fair to compete in the Challenge Bowl competition. Challenge Bowl is a fast-paced competition similar to the game show Jeopardy. Students are tested on their knowledge of materials from

the following areas of instruction provided by Cooperative Extension: 4-H History, Agriculture & Natural Resources, and Family & Consumer Science.

Teams must have at least one team member from each of the age levels in 4-H. This year's teams began preparing for the competition and studying materials in July. Participating in Challenge Bowl for 2011 were: Rebecca Butler, Jalen Eberhardt, Chase Freeman, Asha Mathis, Manav Patel, Kaya Pollack, Kira Pollack, and Mackenzie Wurst. Congratulations to Clarke Team # 1 for finishing in 2nd place for the contest.

**My Next Club Meeting is January \_\_\_\_!**





## 5th Grade Club of the Month Competition Results for October

Congratulations to the following 5th grade 4-H Clubs for being in the Top 10:

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| 1. Ms. Powell-Whitehead Rd.   | 2570 | 6. Ms. Taylor-Whitehead Rd.    | 2055 |
| 2. Ms. Keenan- Whit Davis Rd. | 2490 | 7. Ms. Tereshinski-Whit Davis  | 2000 |
| 3. Ms. Holt-Whitehead Rd      | 2280 | 8. Ms. Lawson-H B Stroud       | 1820 |
| 4. Dr. Moore-H B Stroud       | 2085 | 9. Ms. Tyree-Alps Rd           | 1770 |
| 5. Mr. Sims-Whitehead Rd      | 2070 | 10. Ms. Williams-Cleveland Rd. | 1565 |
- Ms. Frazza-StJoseph

Also scoring over 1000 points: Ms. Bell-Whit Davis, 1495; Ms. Dills-Barnett Shoals, 1425; Ms. Worthy-Timothy Rd, 1410; Ms. Pettway-Barnett Shoals, 1375; Ms. Burnett-Alps Rd, 1345; Mr. Weinmeister-Cleveland Rd, 1305; Ms. Stan-Fowler Dr 1255; Ms. Alexander-H B Stroud, 1260; Ms. Perry-Whit Davis, 1190

## 5th Grade 4-H Healthy Living Poster Contest



Listen up 5th graders! This contest is your chance to show just how creative you can be. What a great way to help earn points for Club of the Month contest, too! Just enter a poster portraying the theme "Healthy Living" and by using the guidelines listed below:

- Poster must include 3 facts to help people make healthy choices in their daily lives.
- Posters must be between the sizes of 8 1/2 x 11 1/2 inches and 22 x 28 inches.
- Use crayons, markers, paints, or any other artistic media that you desire.
- Have FUN! Be as creative as you can!



Posters will be judged on Creativity, Accuracy of Information, and Visual Appeal. It is important to submit the poster to your teacher before December 12th.

## HOLIDAY CARD CONTEST



"What a wonderful group of entries!" That's what UGA collegiate 4-H'ers said about the holiday card contest entries. These volunteers sorted through the entries and prepared them to be sent to the state 4-H office for judging. Congratulations to the five entries that they selected to receive an ACC 4-H t shirt.

Isa Williamson  
Katie Tumlin

Elizabeth Silva  
Julia Lance

Lee Cook

## Are You Working on a Speech for Project Achievement?



Now that you have had a few weeks to think about it, are you making your plans to compete in Cloverleaf County Project Achievement? It's not too late. Check out the project listing and choose a subject in which you are interested. Project Achievement takes place on Saturday, January 21st at Clarke Middle School from 9:30 AM until NOON. Students present a 3-5 minute informative speech about their topic, using visuals such as posters or items to enhance their presentation. As a bonus, winners from the CPA competition in January will earn the opportunity to travel to Rock Eagle to compete in the District contest on February 18th. **Sign up for this exciting event by December 12th.** Students who compete at Project Achievement are rewarded by being allowed to register early for Cloverleaf camp.

## Project Achievement Word Search

Look for the following words about Project Achievement in this word search:

A C H I E V E M E N T R N E U  
P O S T E R U F H C O O V Y D  
B R O H S S F R E C I E H E R  
C B W N C N P J K T C C E C L  
F O N E G R O E C A R N X O C  
I C N T M R A U E S U E P N P  
N E Y C P G D E T C L I E T P  
Y D O B L O G F S A H D R A J  
X P D E R U D J L E E U T C P  
Q T W T X S S V D A R A Z T J  
Q K N J U E C I T C A R P X T  
A I H W P O D K O A S Y L O T  
C E P W E Z O C G N M Z P J F  
M M N B J B V E Q B Y I Z X G  
N S J J G U Q E C M C C J T C

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| Audience     | Achievement |
| Body         | Conclusion  |
| Expert       | Eye contact |
| Introduction | Poster      |
| Practice     | Project     |
| Research     | Rock Eagle  |
| Speech       | Topic       |

## Clover 5K Road Race

Seventy-seven runners participated in the 5<sup>h</sup> annual Clover 5K on 10-09-11. The Clover 5K was established by the class of 2007 as a way to give back to the 4-H program. Several of the members of the class of 07 returned to assist with the race. We are anticipating what the next senior class will do to leave a legacy for tomorrow's youth.

