

5th Grade Officer's Training

Eighty three fifth grade 4-H officers from eleven schools attended officer training on September 27, 2011. Collegiate and high school 4-H'ers came to teach the students about their duties as 4-H officers and share their 4-H experiences.



These students led a sample meeting after training.

The following classes had **100% participation** by their officers: Franceschini - Oglethorpe Ave.; Worthy - Timothy Rd.; Sims, Powell, and Holt – Whitehead Rd.; Burnette & Tyree-Alps Rd.; Dills – Barnett Shoals Rd..

75% participation included: Alexander & Moore – H.B. Stroud; Weinmeister – Cleveland Rd.; Layne – Timothy Rd., Taylor-Whitehead Rd.; Keenan & Bell-Whit Davis; and Ravenell-Barnett Shoals. Extra Club of the Month points were earned for having such excellent participation. Congratulations!

We would like to extend a special thank you to Oglethorpe Avenue Elementary for hosting the Officer Training event.



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Athens - Clarke County 4-H'ers Compete at District Forestry Judging



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MY NEXT CLUB MEETING IS NOVEMBER _____!





5th Grade Club of the Month Competition

Ice Cream Party! At the end of the school year, the 5th grade 4-H Club with the most points will win an Ice Cream Party. Each month, points are tallied up for each 5th grade 4-H Club and the top ten for the month are announced right here in the newsletter.

Listed below are the many ways for 5th grade 4-H Clubs to earn as many points as possible: Complete Friends books and turn them in at every club meeting ◊ Prepare classroom presentations ◊ Be on your best behavior at all times ◊ Turn in as many contest entries as possible ◊ Collect and turn in pop tabs ◊ Be sure your classroom has a 4-H themed bulletin board on display ◊ Participate in any 4-H activity outside of the classroom ◊ Wear green on Club Meeting days ◊ Be sure that all students in your class wears a name tag on Club Meeting days



Georgia 4-H Service Project

Each Year Georgia 4-H members participate in a service project to benefit Ronald McDonald Houses in Georgia. Ronald McDonald houses serve seriously ill children and their families while they are away from home receiving medical treatment. 4-H'ers are asked to save the aluminum pull-tabs from canned drinks and food cans for this project. Please turn in your tabs to your teacher before the 4-H Club meeting during the month. Counties with the most collected tabs will be recognized at Junior Conference at Rock Eagle on No-

Athens-Clarke County 4-H Archery Team Meeting



Are you interested in learning about archery and participating in Project SAFE competitions? Athens-Clarke County 4-H is planning to form an archery team. Learn about archery and shooting safety with our certified archery coach. Unlike most 4-H events, there will be costs associated with participation in this activity as participants will be expected to provide their own equipment (bows, arrows and safety equipment). There will be an organizational meeting for interested students and their parents on **Wednesday, October 19 at 6:00 p.m.** at the 4-H office. If you are interested in joining the archery team you and a parent/guardian must attend this meeting to learn about the requirements, costs, meet the coach and help make plans.

Let's Go Shopping

Do you love to shop? Do you want to know all the secrets to buying the best merchandise for your money? Then, 4-H Consumer Judging is the activity for you! In this year's contest, pizza, backpacks, cotton pants, and mutual funds will be the products to judge.

Practices for the Consumer Judging Team will begin on **October 4th**. Students practice every **Tuesday** from 4:15 to 5:30 at the 4-H office. The district competition will take place on November 15th in Gainesville, GA.



Upcoming Events & Due Dates

Peanutrition Recipes due..... November meeting
Consumer Judging Contest.....November 4
Cloverleaf CPA.....January 21
Cloverleaf DPA.....February 18
Cloverleaf Camp Sign-up.....February - TBA



Cloverleaf County Project Achievement

County Project Achievement is a fun opportunity for **5th & 6th**



grade 4-H'ers to share and compete with one another by choosing a project and presenting a demonstration with visuals. This event will take place on **Saturday, January 21st at Clarke Middle School from 9:30 am until 12:00 pm**. Any 5th or 6th grade 4-H'er who wishes to compete in this activity will need to sign up with their teacher. With 60 different projects from which to choose, there is something for everyone! More detailed information will be presented to you during your October and November Club Meetings. As a bonus, winners from the CPA competition in January will earn the opportunity to travel to Rock Eagle 4-H center in Eatonton, Georgia to compete at Cloverleaf District Project Achievement on **February 18**.

5th Grade Peanut Butter Sandwich Recipe Contest

If you love peanut butter sandwiches, this contest called Peanutrition is for you! Being as creative as possible and following the simple rules listed below, you can win a prize and earn points for Club of the Month!

1. Using peanut butter and any edible ingredients, write a recipe for a peanut butter sandwich. The recipe must also include a title, list of ingredients, and instructions on how to make your sandwich.
2. Following your recipe, make your sandwich!
3. Next, have someone taste your sandwich and have them write a brief description or make comments about your sandwich.
4. Turn in your recipe and taster's comments at your November Club meeting to be eligible to win prizes.

Categories to be Judged:

Most Nutritious *Most Unusual*
Most Ingredients *Most Creative*
Overall Winner

