

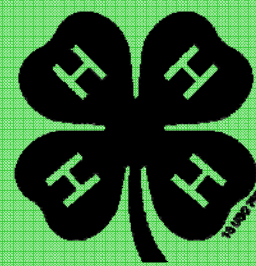
Coweta 4-H Herald

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Leaping into Middle School

Fifth graders: We hope you're just a little bit sorry to see the year draw to a close. The 4-H staff certainly is! However, we want you to know, 4-H goes all the way through high school, even until college! How can you remain a part of this great organization? Next year, there won't be 4-H during school hours, but we have a great club just for you called the Coweta Frogs. The Frogs meet monthly in the evening. There are no registration fees and no amphibians. We will have great classes, contests, service projects, and of course, loads of FUN! Beginning in August, just after you have returned to school, you are invited to join us. Meeting dates, times, and location will be posted on our website, www.ugaextension.com/coweta this summer. Or call our office at (770) 254-2620 for more information.

\$5 off Adventure Camp for 5th-8th Graders



In April's newsletter we asked for your help with the Great American Cleanup here in Coweta County. We will be beautifying the grounds around our home – the new Coweta County Extension office. The event will be Saturday, May 15th, 9 am until 12 noon. As we will be digging holes and planting, closed toe shoes, gardening gloves, and shovels are strongly suggested. Please call our office at (770) 254-2620 to let us know you are coming! To show our appreciation for your hard work, fifth through eighth graders who participate will receive a \$5 gift certificate towards this summer's Adventure Camp. What exactly is Adventure Camp, you ask? Some of the most fun you will have in 4-H! Check inside your newsletter for a registration form, pick one up at the Extension Office, or go online at www.ugaextension.com/coweta. This year's theme is Farmville 4-D and spaces are limited.

Calling all Shutterbugs!

Deadline: June 21st



Are you a talented photographer who carries their camera wherever they go? Or how about a 4-H'er who's not only in front of the camera, but behind it, too? Then you've probably already taken some great shots to submit to the 2010 Georgia 4-H Photography Contest.

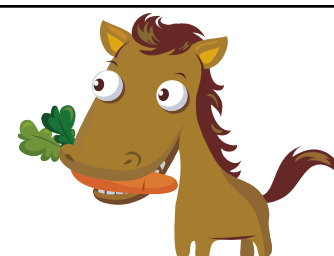
The contest is open to all 4-H members, even pre-clubbers. Adults may enter the Focus on 4-H Adult category. 4-H'ers have four divisions to choose from; you can enter one or more. The divisions are Focus on Agriculture, Focus on 4-H Youth, Focus on 4-H Adult, and a General Photography division. All entries must be received at the Coweta County Extension Office by Monday, June 21st. Top photos in each category will be submitted in the Georgia National Fair in Perry.

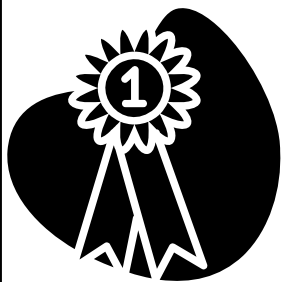
Complete contest rules and application may be found at www.ugaextension.com/coweta. Here are a few tips to remember when submitting entries:

- ☑ Photos must not be edited, altered, or digitally enhanced.
- ☑ Be sure your entry is placed in a division (Focus on Agriculture, Focus on 4-H Youth, Focus on 4-H Adult, and General Photography).
- ☑ Photos must have been taken in the year since last year's contest. Older photos may not be submitted.
- ☑ Double stick tape is a great way to attach an entry form to the back of the photo. DO NOT use paper clips OR staple the entry form to the back of the photos. If you choose to glue your entry form, please make sure they are completely dry before turning them in. Many photos have been ruined because of this.
- ☑ Come up with a great caption for your photo. Follow instructions completely on submission guidelines.
- ☑ Either mail or drop off your entry to the Coweta County Extension Office, 255 Pine Road, Newnan, GA 30263

H.A.N.K. (Horsemen Achieving Novice Knowledge)

It's not too late to be a part of this fun, new club for kids wanting to learn more about horses. They meet on the first Thursday of each month, right before the regular Horse and Pony Club meetings. You can find them at the Extension Office, 255 Pine Road, at 6:00 pm.





Club of the Year

Congratulations to Mrs. Lee's Lucky Charms of Glanton Elementary for winning Club of the Year! This class was very consistent in participating in some type of 4-H activity every month. The Lucky Charms will be rewarded with a Club of the Year educational celebration. We have had a truly amazing year! We have had great participation in returning handouts, pull tab collections and signed newsletters, not to mention outstanding participation in contests and Project Achievement. We would also like to extend our thanks to the fifth grade teachers for their support and encouragement!



We have enjoyed coming to the schools and meeting with our fifth graders this year. Remember you can still participate in 4-H out-of-school activities after you leave 5th grade. Check online at www.ugaextension.com/coweta for a calendar of events. We would love to have you join us. Good luck in middle school and we truly hope to see you again at our middle school meetings and other activities.

April Pull Tab Report

April marked our last pull tab collection, but please continue to save them! This is an ongoing service project to benefit the Ronald McDonald Houses. You can turn them in to the Extension Office at 255 Pine Road, or we're sure your former fifth grade teacher would love to have them for her class next year! All nineteen elementary schools turned in pull tabs this year. Below you will find a listing of some of the top contributors, but we appreciate every bag – no matter how small! It added up to a total of 405 pounds, 4 ounces collected this school year which equals approximately 513, 135 pull tabs! Thank you so very much and remember to brush your teeth after drinking all that soda!



Total contribution of 5 pounds or more

Newnan Crossing	Davis	6 lbs, 4 oz
Arnco-Sargent	Thomas	6 lbs, 15 oz
Arnco-Sargent	Dumm	7 lbs, 3 oz
Arbor Springs	Elder	7 lbs, 14 oz
Moreland	Evans	7 lbs, 14 oz
Elm Street	Nase	8 lbs
Glanton	Smith	8 lbs, 11 oz
White Oak	Hill	9 lbs, 1 oz

Total contribution of 10 pounds or more

Brooks	Fetner/Ferrell	11 lbs, 10 oz
Canongate	White	12 lbs, 13 oz

Total contribution of 15 pounds or more

Poplar Road	Allen	15 lbs, 13 oz
Atkinson	McDonald/Davis	17 lbs, 10 oz

Total contribution of 20 pounds or more

Arnco-Sargent	Stamps	22 lbs
Poplar Road	Porras	23 lbs, 7 oz

Total contribution of 25 pounds or more

Brooks	Stewart/McDade	25 lbs, 4 oz
Glanton	Freyman	30 lbs, 9 oz
Poplar Road	Aldridge	33 lbs, 8 oz
Thomas Crossroads	Kirsch	35 lbs, 7 oz
Glanton	Lee	41 lbs, 14 oz



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**Horsemen Achieving
Novice Knowledge**
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Hope McFarlin
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Horse & Pony Club
Angela Dennis
770-253-2514

Hub Club
Middle & High School
Leigh Massengill
770-254-2620

K-9 Klub
Vicky Jones
770-254-2620

Livestock Club
Renee Willis
770-254-2620

**Poultry Club/Poultry
Chain**
Bryan
Massengale
770-900-1669
Ricky Frost
678-850-1755

**Veterinary Science
Student Organization**
Emilee Brinton
770-254-2620

Sporter Rifle*
Corey Wells
770-689-7006

*Available only to 7th
-12th grades

May 2010 4-H Calendar of Events

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 State 4-H Hippology Contest - Athens Target Challenge Weekend - Rock Eagle
2 Target Challenge Weekend Rock Eagle	3 Poultry Club Mtg 7pm Ag Bldg	4 Forestry Judging Practice Extension Office 4:30pm State Poultry Judging Athens	5	6 H.A.N.K. Extension Office 6pm Horse & Pony Club Mtg 7pm Ag Bldg	7 Forestry Judging Practice Extension Office 4:30pm	8 Fun Horse Show All Day Horse Arena
9	10	11 V.S.S.O. Mtg Horse Arena 7pm	12	13 HUB Club Mtg Exhibit Hall 7pm	14	15 Great American Cleanup Extension Office 9am-noon
16	17 Forestry Judging Practice Extension Office 4:30pm	18 K-9 Klub Mtg Horse Arena 7pm	19 Forestry Judging Practice Extension Office 4:30pm	20 Livestock Club Mtg Ag Bldg 7pm	21	22 4-H Fishing Rodeo Welcome Farms Cattlemen's Rodeo Fairgrounds
23	24 Forestry Judging Practice Extension Office 4:30pm	25	26 Forestry Judging Practice Extension Office 4:30pm	27	28 Last Day of School	29
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