



The 4-H Flash



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A monthly newsletter for Forsyth County 4-H Members, Volunteers, Alumni, and Friends

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Calendar of Events

February

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| 1- Chattahoochee Elem., 4-H Meetings | participants only |
| 2- Mashburn Elem., 4-H Meetings | 16- Haw Creek Elem., 4-H Meetings |
| 2- Riverwatch Middle, 4-H Meeting | 16- Foods Club, 5:30-7:00, Christ the King |
| 3- Piney Grove Middle, 4-H Meeting | 16- Environmental Club, 7:00-8:00, Christ the King |
| 3- Big Creek Elem., 4-H Meetings | 17-18 – Cloverleaf Project Achievement, Rock Eagle 4-H Center |
| 6- Jr/Sr County Council, 6:30-7:30, Christ the King Lutheran Church | 18- Indoor Archery Match, Georgia National Fairgrounds |
| 7- Midway Elem., 4-H Meetings | 21- Cloverbuds, 1:00-2:00, Christ the King Lutheran Church |
| 7- Sewing Class, 6:30-7:30, 4-H Office | 21- Homeschool Meeting, 2:00-3:00, Christ the King Lutheran Church |
| 8- Shiloh Point Elem., 4-H Meetings | 21- Craft Club, 5:30-7:00, Cumming Elem Cafeteria |
| 8- Cumming Elem., 4-H Meetings | 25- Humane Society Tour for Dog Club, 12:00-2:00 |
| 9- Shiloh Point Elem., 4-H Meetings | 27- Matt Elem., 4-H Meetings |
| 9- Dog Club, 6:00-7:00, 4-H Office Room 102 | 27- Horse Quiz Bowl Practice, 6:30-8:00, Fire Dept Headquarters |
| 10- Little Mill Middle, 4-H Meeting | 29- Cloverleaf Camp Registration |
| 10- Silver City Elem., 4-H Meetings | |
| 13- Lakeside Middle, 4-H Meetings | |
| 13- Horse Club Meeting, 6:30-8:00, Fire Dept Headquarters | |
| 14- South Forsyth Middle, 4-H Meeting | |
| 14- Cumming Elem., 4-H Meetings | |
| 15- Early Cloverleaf Camp Registration for CPA | |

March

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| 1- Riverwatch Middle, 4-H Meeting | 14- Shiloh Point Elem., 4-H Meetings |
| 2- Piney Grove Middle, 4-H Meeting | 14- Cumming Elem., 4-H Meetings |
| 2- Big Creek Elem., 4-H Meetings | 15- Foods Club, 5:30-7:00, Christ the King |
| 2-4- Jr/Sr DPA, Rock Eagle | 15- Environmental Club, 7:00-8:00, Christ the King |
| 3- BB Match, Cumming Fairgrounds | 19- Matt Elem., 4-H Meetings |
| 5- Jr/Sr County Council, 6:30-7:30, Christ the King Lutheran Church | 20- Cloverbuds, 1:00-2:00, Christ the King Lutheran Church |
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| 8- Dog Club, 6:00-7:00, 4-H Office | 26- Horse Judging Practice, 6:30-8:00, Fire Dept Headquarters |
| 9- Little Mill Middle, 4-H Meeting | |
| 9- Silver City Elem., 4-H Meetings | |
| 12- Lakeside Middle, 4-H Meetings | |
| 12- Haw Creek Elem., 4-H Meetings | |
| 12- Horse Judging Practice, 6:30-8:00, Fire Dept Headquarters | |
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Horse Quiz Bowl

Congratulations to the Senior Horse Quiz Bowl Team for being awarded 1st place at the State Horse Quiz Bowl! The Senior Team members are: Madison Maavere (team captain), Natalie Fisher, Alyssa Pawlik, Rachel Grieco, and Lindy Foster. The team will have the opportunity to represent Georgia 4-H at the American Quarter Horse Youth Worlds in Oklahoma City, OK this summer. Two Junior teams also represented Forsyth County. Junior A team members are: Kadie Sanford (team captain), Hayden Hackney, Lexi Lewis, Anna Ames, and Brittney Barth. Junior B team members were Alannah Martin (team captain), Lindsey O'Saben, Kara Phillips, Kasey Wallace, and Josef Scarboro. Congratulations to all the participants! The teams were coached by Karen Maavere and Cheryl Bruce.

County Council- New Meeting Time

Junior and Senior County Council will be Monday, February 6th from 6:30-7:30 at Christ the King Lutheran Church Fellowship Hall (1125 Bettis Tribble Gap Rd). This would be a great time for DPA participants present your DPA presentation.

County Project Achievement (CPA)

CPA was held January 30th at Cumming Elementary School. Fifty-four Cloverleaf 4-H'ers competed at this event and all are eligible to compete at the district competition at Rock Eagle on February 17th-18th. The winners in each project area are listed below.

Air Science - Kylie League 1 st	International- Ginny Flory 1 st
Archaeology- Haley Bell 1 st	Gabrielle Ingmire 2 nd
Cat Care – Celeste Monpero 1 st	Marine & Coastal Ecology-Emily Bouffard 1 st tie
Communications – Hunter Macauley 1 st	Sophie Tucker 1 st tie
Avery Lewis 2 nd	Ocean Ecology- Emma Holbrook 1 st
Conservation & Recycling- Grace Turner 1 st	Meredith Edwards 2 nd
Layomi Lawal 2 nd	Lindsey Noernberg 3 rd
Dog Care & Training- Taylor Edwards 1 st	Outdoor Survival Skills- Zoe Cylkowski 1 st
Tyler Hitt 2 nd	Performing Arts General- Addison Sircy 1 st
Nick Meyer 3 rd	Performing Arts Instrumental- Alannah Martin 1 st
Food for the Family – Carianne Howard 1 st	Caroline Meadows 2 nd
General Recreation- Veronica Ortiz 1 st	Performing Arts Vocal- Sydney Mitchell 1 st
Chandler Stewart 2 nd	Photography- Ashley Wright 1 st
Daniel Torre 3 rd	Sports- Ashley Mooney 1 st
General Science- Dusty Haney 1 st	David Clapp 2 nd
Geology-Anna Torre 1 st	Madison Manning 3 rd
Alayna Daws 2 nd	Veterinary Science-Kadie Sanford 1 st
Health- Syd Panetta 1 st	Nicole Costello
Caitlyn Spierito 2 nd	Wildlife- Hailey Arnold 1 st
History- Kaylee Kallam 1 st	Alex Yates 2 nd
Chloe Sparwarth 2 nd	Hailey Elefante 3 rd
Mary Goekel 3 rd	
Horse- Christian Woodall 1 st	
Human Development- Therese Tormey 1 st	
Lucy Malone 2 nd	

Congratulations to all the Cloverleaf 4-H'ers and good luck at Rock Eagle!

Special thanks to our CPA Judges-Chris Sagar, Raymond Chow, Pat Brown, Christina Hightower, Tammy Wright, Kayla Heath, Anna Dunn, Heather Kolich, Darron Wright, Laura Slotter, and Mary Bottoms! Thanks also to our teen leaders: Holly Reeves, Josh Torre, Justin Flory, Aish Panakam, Rosie Reeves, Jordan Haney, Allie LeCave, Gabrielle Torre, Noah Daughtery, Alyssa Pawlik, Judson Meadows, Chelsea Linke, and Ben Torre!

Dog Club

The next meeting will be February 9th at the 4-H Office in Room 102. Since the club will be meeting inside, please leave the furry friends at home. The Forsyth County Humane Society tour has been rescheduled for Saturday, February 25th from 12:00-2:00. More details will be given at the February 9th meeting.

Hippology News

Members from the 2011 1st place Junior Hippology Team will be attending Georgia Equine Youth Day at the Depot in Atlanta on February 7th. The team will be honored for their accomplishments.

State Horse Show

The State Horse Show will be June 13-16 in Perry. If you plan to compete at the Horse Show you must complete an Intent to Show Form. Please submit all possible horses in ownership in case of injury. This form must be returned to Emily Harris by **Friday, March 9th!**

Junior and Senior DPA

Juniors and Seniors we hope you are all working hard on your DPA demonstration! Please let us know if you need any help. Remember we must see your demonstration before February 27th.

Summer Camp

Can you believe summer is only a few months away? Don't miss out on the fun; be sure to register for 4-H Summer Camp! This summer there are four different camps available to Forsyth County 4-H'ers. If you have questions about camp, please call the office.

Cloverleaf Camp for 4th- 6th graders.

Cloverleaf Camp will be June 11-15 at Wahsega 4-H Center. Early registration for **CPA participants** will begin February 15th and normal registration will begin on February 29th at 8:30 am. The cost is \$300.00 which covers transportation, lodging, food, camp shirt, and insurance. Half of the cost (\$150.00) is due at when you register.

IMPORTANT – For Junior Camp, Senior Camp and Wilderness Challenge Camp, these costs DO NOT INCLUDE the cost of transportation to and from each 4-H Center for the week of camp.

Junior Camp for 7th-8th graders.

Junior Camp will be July 9th-13th at Burton 4-H Center on Tybee Island. Registration for Junior Camp will begin on February 1st. The cost for Junior Camp is \$300.00 which covers food, lodging, transportation to activities during the week, and insurance. Half of the cost (\$150.00) is due when you register.

Wilderness Challenge Camp for 7th-8th graders.

Wilderness Challenge Camp will be July 9th-13th at Wahsega 4-H Center. Registration for Wilderness Challenge Camp will begin on February 1st. The cost is \$325.00 which covers food, lodging, transportation to activities during the week, and insurance. \$135.00 is due when you register.

Senior Camp for 9th-12th graders

Senior Camp will be July 2nd-6th at Rock Eagle 4-H Center. Registration for Senior Camp will begin on February 1st. The cost for Senior Camp is \$275.00 which covers food, lodging, transportation to activities during the week, and insurance. Half of the cost (\$137.50) is due when you register.

Leadership in Action

The Leadership in Action Program recognizes the work of Junior and Senior 4-H'ers as leader in their communities. If you are interested in this program, please contact the 4-H office by Wednesday, March 23rd

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Forsyth County 4-H'ers competing at Horse Quiz Bowl.



County Project Achievement at Cumming Elementary School