

# The Cloverbud

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## WELCOME to 4-H!!

You are now some of the youngest students at the **University of Georgia**. You can go home and tell your parents that you are going to college with 4-H!



4-H has so many fun activities to offer and this is just the beginning! SO get ready, get set, and let's go!!

This year you will have the opportunity to participate in...

**~Judging Events**

**~ Reward Trips**

**~Community Service Projects**

**~ District**

**Project**

**Achievement**

*~University of Georgia  
Sporting Events*

**~Summer Camp at**

**ROCK EAGLE**

**or Fortson!!**

*And much, much, more!*



## Upcoming Activities:

September 27	Portfolio Workshop
September 29	Teen Leader Applications Due to Ms. Brittany for Junior Conference
September 30	Cloverleaf Officer Training: Please Call to Sign-Up to help! Leadership in Portfolios!
October 8	Last day for Juniors to sign up for Junior Conference.
October 3-9	National 4-H Week
October 4	National 4-H Week: Ribbon Making Day at 4-H Office! Good to put in portfolios!
October 4-17	Perry Fair
October 12	First Consumer Judging Practice
October 18	Portfolio Workshop
October 20	Certified Teen Leader Training (Date might change: let Ms. Brittany know if you are interested)

Next Meeting? When and Where?

Do you think you are a good Consumer?? Or if you think you aren't and want to learn??

**CONSUMER JUDGING**  
is for **YOU!**

**Join this team judging event and become an expert consumer.**

**You will be judging:**



Gift Cards  
Tennis Shoes  
Umbrellas  
Breakfast Cereal



\*Practices will begin in October after school at the Franklin County 4-H Office.

Don't miss out on the **FUN!!!**

**First Practice: October 12, 2010**  
**Competition: November 4, 2010**

**\*More information at first practice!**



We are holding Officer Elections today!!

**Community Service Projects:**

A huge part of 4-H is giving back to the community through service projects. Each month there will be projects that you will be encouraged to participate in.

This month's project is

**COLLECTING POP TOPS**

off of aluminum cans for the

**Ronald McDonald House.**



This will be an ongoing project throughout the school year.

**START COLLECTING TODAY!**

**Bring Pop Tops to each 4-H Meeting!**



**Compete in the Penny War Challenge!**

Franklin County 4-H is starting a campaign to raise money to help build a new cabin at Rock Eagle 4-H Center. **Bring pennies to each 4-H Meeting!!**

**ATTENTION: 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> Graders:**

*Want to have a fun weekend with friends at Rock Eagle??*

*Sign up for **JUNIOR CONFERENCE TODAY!!!***

*Junior Conference is November 6-7, 2010*

**Sign Up by: October 8**

**Don't lose your spot to go!**

**Cloverleaf 4-Her's: 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> Grade**  
**You can be a GOLD Clover Winner!!**

**Earn points towards Gold clover award!!!**

**Green=100 points**  
**Silver=100 points**  
**Gold=200 points**



**Points System**

- 5** Points for signed newsletters
- 10** Points for community service participation (20 pop-tops, Donate 2 cans for food drive, etc.) or with Fundraisers. (100 Pennies )
- 25** **Bring a Friend to 4-H!!**
- 50** Points for judging events/ competing in some aspect of 4-H (Not including D.P.A.)
- 100** Points for attending Cloverleaf DPA

**Junior 4-Her's: 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> Graders**  
**And Senior 4-Her's: 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Graders**

You will be given points for the activities that you participate in too! At the end of the year, there will be a "Most Outstanding Junior 4-Her" and "Most Outstanding Senior 4-Her" Award given at our awards program. If you want it to be you, get active today!!!

\*There will also be reward trips and activities that you will get to participate in throughout the school year!

\*Your point scale is the same. The person with the most points will win!

Other points might be given for other activities that you participate in with 4-H!

Ms. Brittany will decide the point values and keep track of the points you earn.

