



4-H Forum

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Welcome 4-H'ers

It's the start of an exciting new year in Wheeler County 4-H. So get ready to 'Take a Byte' from our 4-H menu. Check out our website, join us on Facebook, and let this monthly newsletter keep you informed about upcoming 4-H activities and events. Don't miss out on what this 4-H year has to offer.

Ms. Jenn, Ms. Trish

Mr. Mike

Wheeler County Extension Staff

Deadlines

- 9/13: Shooting Sports Sign-Up Deadline BB & 22
- 9/14: GNF Entry Forms Due — County Mini-Booth Contest
- 9/15: Horse Club Sign-Up Deadline
- 9/24: GNF Static Exhibits Due
- 9/29: GNF Terrarium & Dish Gardens Due
- 10/1: Rivers Alive Sign-Up deadline for T-Shirt
- 10/12: Junior Conference Registration Deadline

Headline News



Meeting at the WCES Dawg Walk

September 23rd, 3:15-4:15pm

Get ready to kick off a new year exploring nature at the WCES Outdoor Classroom.



October 7-17, '10

The Georgia National Fair in Perry, GA has become a yearly tradition for many Wheeler County 4-H'ers. If you're participating, be working on your project(s) at home, or call Mrs. Jenn to schedule other GNF project work days during the month.

GNF Project Work Day

September 9th 3:30-5:00pm at County Extension Office

Shooting Sports Sign-Up Parent Meeting BB & 22

September 13th - 6pm

Would you like to learn about becoming part of a team? Wheeler County 4-H is beginning its 5th year with a SS BB Team and 3rd year with 22.

BB: Open to grades 5-8
22: Open to grades 9-12
New BB Gun: \$85
Club Fee: \$30.00

Returning and new shooters sign up 9/13

Horse Club



Sign-Up Meeting
September 15th
3:30pm

Join this new hobby club to learn about horses.



Rivers Alive

October 7, 2010

Our annual 4-H "Rivers Alive" clean-up is set for October 7th. We'll travel to one of the sites off the Oconee River to pick up litter on the waterfront and join 4-H'ers statewide to help keep our waterways clean. Call by October 1st to get your name on the list for a free Rivers Alive t-shirt.

Pop Tabs Ronald McDonald House

Keep saving those pop tabs, 'cause it won't be long till we'll be weighing them in at the county contest October 29th.



The Bottom Line—Jr/Sr Section



Thumbs up to our group of delegates who will be representing Wheeler County 4-H at the 2010 Georgia Youth Summit at Rock Eagle September 11th-13th.

Thank you: Leah Tuten, Madison Moon, Gail Paulk and Sydney Moon

Junior Conference

November 6-7, 2010
Cost: 60.00



"Wild About 4-H" is this year's theme. There'll be Dances, Workshops, Talent Review & more. Sign up by October 12th.

Junior & Senior Officers

National 4-H Week Planning
September 22, 2010
3:30-5:00pm
County Extension Office



Reminder Junior 4-H'ers:

Junior 4-H Club meetings will be held monthly at school during Club Day. Bring your 4-H membership card to get in!



September 2010



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 6th Grade Club Meetings in Science Class Senior 4-H Meeting 3:30-	2	3	4 4-H Day at UGA Football
5	6 <i>Holiday</i>	7	8 5th Grade Club Meetings in Science Class	9 GNF Project Work 3:30-5:00	10	11 Georgia Youth Summit at Rock Eagle 11th-13th
12	13 Shooting Sports Sign-Up/Parent Meeting 6pm	14 County Mini-Booth Contest 4pm GNF Entry Forms Due	15 Horse Club Sign-Up Meeting 3:30pm	16	17	18
19	20	21	22 Junior 4-H Meeting During School Club Day National 4-H Week Planning (Officers) 3:30	23 GREEN Club Meeting (Dawg Walk) 3:15-4:15	24 GNF Static Exhibits Due	25
26	27	28 GNF Food Project Practice Day One 3:30-5pm	29 GNF Food Practice Day 2 3:30-5pm GNF Terrarium & Dish Gardens Due			

October 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 Last day to sign up for River Clean Up	2
3	4	5 5th Grade Club Meetings in Science Class	6 6th Grade Club Meetings in Science Class Senior 4-H Meeting 3:30-4:30	7 Rivers Alive River Clean Up 3:30-5:00	8 Student Holiday 8th-11th	9
10	11	12 Junior Conference Registration Due	13	14 WCES Dawg Walk Cleanup Day 2:00-4:00	15	16

4-H Forum Breakdown

Cloverleaf—5th and 6th graders

Junior—7th and 8th graders

Senior—9th thru 12th graders

Headline News —Applies to all 4-Hers unless specified

Bottom Line —Applies to either Junior or Senior 4-H'ers

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Yes, my child _____ has shared the 4-H newsletter with me:

Parent Signature: _____