



Wilkes County Extension Office Contact information

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Event Registration Information:

Fees must be paid at time of sign-up to be considered registered. Refunds will be given if registration is cancelled before the registration deadline date or if someone on the waiting list fills the vacancy. Registration over the phone is acceptable for activities requesting pre-registration with no money involved.

Dates to Remember

Nov 13	County Council Mtg	Dec 6	Bell Ringers
Nov 14	Fifth Grade Club Meetings	Dec 9	BB Practice
Nov 17	Cloverleaf DPA rehearsal	Dec 11	County Council Mtg
Nov 18	Middle School Club Meeting	Dec 11	Etiquette and Dinner Class
Nov 18	BB Practice	Dec 13-14	Fall Forum
Nov 19	Cooking Clovers	Dec 16	BB Practice
Nov 22	Cloverleaf DPA Contest	Dec 17	Christmas Caroling Practice
Nov 24	22 Rifle Meeting	Dec 22	GA TASC - AM
Nov 25	BB Practice	Dec 22	DPA Portfolio Workshop - PM
Nov 27-28	Office Closed	Dec 23	Christmas Craft Workshop - AM
Dec 2	Sr/Private/Home School Mtg	Dec 23	Christmas Caroling - PM
Dec 3	Cooking Clovers	Dec 30	BB Practice - Optional
Dec 4	Harpers Birthday/Bingo	Jan 5	PORTFOLIOS DUE
Dec 4	BB Practice	Mar 6 - 8	Jr./Sr. DPA

Wilkes County 4-H Happenings—UPDATED November 2008

Competing in the Area Cotton Boll/ Consumer Judging Jamboree at Fort Discovery in Augusta was Liam Smith, Andrea Hill, Emily McNure, Rebakah Hubbard, Christina Albertson, Ty Owens, Michael Edwards, John Pope, Jonathan Wood, Amanda Wood, and Jacob Hubbard.



4-H'ers treated the residences of Harper's Personal Care Home to a reverse trick or treat in October. Participant were Jonathan Wood, Tabatha Welch, Emily McNure and Jackson Armour. They treated each resident with a goody bag. This is a regular activity of the 4-H Club.



Cloverleaf Corner
(Activities for 5th and 6th Graders Only)

Cloverleaf Project Achievement is November 22. We will have a presentation of projects on Monday, November 17 for everyone. Good luck to all the 4-H'ers participating.

Senior Journal
(Activities for 9th - 12th graders only)

Fall Forum is December 13-14, 2008. Rock Eagle 4-H Center, EXHIBIT FAIR entries and WORKSHOP proposals for 4-H'ers interested in teaching are due Nov 25. GOT TALENT & 4K for 4H ROAD RACE applications are due Nov 26. Join the fun of the road race, workshops, winter dance and performance by Clovers & Company. The theme this year is Georgia 4-H: "The Gift that Keeps on Giving". The cost is \$65 per person if registered before Nov 25. After the 26th the registration fee is \$70 per person.

22 Team - We are looking at forming a 22 Rifle team. Participants must be a Senior 4-H'er in 9 - 12 grades. If interested come find out more at the meeting on **Monday, November 24** at 5:30pm at the Wilkes County Extension Office.

4-H Knit Polo Shirts - The Wilkes County 4-H Office has polo shirts for sale. Currently we have dark green in stock but will be ordering other colors. If you would like to show your Wilkes County 4-H pride please purchase a Wilkes County 4-H shirt. Cost is \$18.00 per shirt.



The Extension Office will be closed Thursday, November 27 and Friday, November 28.

The Extension Office will be closed December 25 thru January 1, 2009 for the Christmas Holidays. Have a Happy Holiday Season!



Website - Wilkes County Extension has a website that we have put all the information you need to know about Wilkes County 4-H on. Forms, flyers about upcoming events, deadlines, and miscellaneous bits of information. Please visit the site - www.ugaextension.com/wilkes for more information. If a parent or 4-H'ers would like to receive this newsletter electronically send your email address to uge3317@uga.edu and we will be glad to add you to our email list.

Monthly Birthday Party & Bingo at Harpers - We will be celebrating the birthdays of residents and play bingo with the residents at Harpers each month. The December birthday party is **December 4**. Limited number can participate. The van will run after school.

Cooking Clovers - Senior 4-H'ers will be teaching the last 2 sessions on Food Nutrition. Session 3 - **November 19** - Main Entrée; and Session 4 - **December 3** - Desserts. Cost for the last 2 sessions is \$8.00. Limited to 12 participants. We still have a few slots left for the last 2 sessions.

Etiquette Lessons and Dinner - On **Thursday, December 11** from 5:30 - 7:00pm come learn the proper way to set a table, the difference between a salad fork and dinner fork and other table manners and then have a meal to practice what you have learned. Cost is \$8.00. We will meet at the McGill-Woodruff AG Center.

Christmas Caroling - Come practice your singing and go caroling in the community. On **Wednesday, Dec 17** at 3:30 we will practice Christmas carols and then on **Tuesday, Dec. 23** from 1:00-3:00pm we will spread some Christmas cheer around the community and go caroling. Limited number can participate.

GA TASC - We will be going to spread a little Christmas cheer at GA TASC on **Monday, Dec. 22** from 9:45 - 12:00 noon. Limited number can participate.

Christmas Craft Workshop - Come make a Christmas Craft for your tree or to give to someone on **Tuesday, Dec. 23** from 9:00am-12:00noon. Cost is \$5.00. Deadline to sign-up is Dec. 15. Limited number can participate.

BB Team - Practices are on Tuesdays, Nov. 18 and 25; Thursday, Dec 4; and Tuesdays Dec 9, 16 and 30 at 7:00pm at the McGill-Woodruff AG Center. Registration fee of \$50.00 for first child, \$40.00 for second child is due with enrollment form. All 4-H'ers 9 years old to 8th grade are eligible.

Do YOU need a computer? The Georgia 4-H Youth Technology Leadership Team is giving away GREAT computers just in time for Christmas! To qualify, you must be a Cloverleaf, Junior or Senior 4-H'er. You must fill out an application, write an essay, get a character reference and submit them to the Wilkes County Extension Office by **November 20**. Interested? Need more information? Contact the 4-H office at 706.678.2332. If you need a computer, this Christmas could be a special one for you! Visit the Georgia 4-H Youth Technology Leadership Team at: <http://www.georgia4h.org/public/edops/techteam/default.htm>

Christmas Tour of Homes - December 13 - If you are in the 8th grade or up and would like to help with this Community Service Activity please call the 4-H Office.