

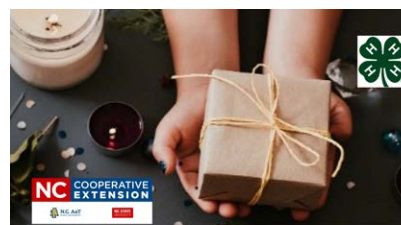


4-H Newsletter - November 5, 2021

Cumberland County

4-H Clover Class Series

The Clover Class Series for 2021 has been full of fun with exciting workshops and learning opportunities! We are excited to share our last class of the year and are looking forward to an event filled 2022!



NEW

[4-H Clover Class Series - Holiday Make and Take! - Register here with Eventbrite](#)

Tuesday, December 14, 2021 at 5:30 p.m.

Back by popular demand, Make and Take! Learning how to make special holiday gifts has never been so much fun. All participants will make crafts they can use as presents.

Youth must be enrolled in 4-H Online to participate.

Ages : 5-19

Cost: No charge

Class size limit: 12

Registration deadline December 7 at 5:00 p.m.

Pick up materials for the crafts at the Cumberland County Extension office starting December 9, 10, and 13, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.



Spring 2022 Field Trips at the Eastern 4-H Center

The Eastern 4-H Center is currently taking reservations for K-12 school field trips for the spring 2022 semester. If your home school group and/or 4-H club would be interested please book your field trip soon. Youth will explore the Albemarle Sound with experiential learning curriculum aligned with state teaching standards.

Classes are taught by experienced environmental educators with the beautiful grounds of the Eastern 4-H Center serving as a hands-on, outdoor classroom.

For a full list of class descriptions, activities and alignment with state teaching standards, [download the environmental education guide](#).

For questions or to make a reservation contact Program Director Jonathan Peoples jjpeople@ncsu.edu or 252-797-4800.

GRAY'S CREEK FFA PRESENTS HOMETOWN HEROES CLINIC & SHOW



WHEN
November 20th, 2021

WHERE
Gray's Creek High School
5301 Celebration Drive Hope Mills NC 28348

SCHEDULE
9:00am-11:00am: Showmanship Clinic
11:30am-12:30pm: Break/Lunch
1:00pm-2:00pm: Show

**ALL Proceeds will support
Military Families in the
Cumberland Community**

ALL AGES EVENT

REGISTRATION
\$25.00 Clinic Participation
\$25.00 Show Registration
Sign up for the clinic, show,
or both!

CLINIC
Beginner friendly, no
experience needed
Animals provided!
Participants can use their
own animals if desired
First Come, First Serve

SHOW
Showmanship & Market
Species: Cattle
Bring animals show ready
No holding pens, be pre-

SPECIAL NOTES
Concessions will be
available on site by various
vendors
Great opportunity to learn!
Positive and encouraging
environment for ALL!
Registration link
COMING SOON!

Gray's Creek FFA Hometown Heroes Classic - Show and Clinic

Gray's Creek FFA's first Hometown Heroes Classic Show and Clinic is open for any youth in the area interested in showing livestock and will expose their families to knowledge and information about how to get started. One of the chapter's goals is to provide support to military families, since much of our

community is military connected, given our proximity to Fort Bragg. All proceeds from this show will be donated to the Fisher House Foundation, an organization that supports active military and veterans, as well as their families. Fisher House is "a home away from home" for families of patients receiving medical care at major military and VA medical centers. For information about the Fisher House click this link. [Fisher House Foundation Link](#)

Participants can choose to do the clinic or show, or participate in both. There are two sessions of the clinic. The first is for beginners who have little or no show experience, and a second session is for intermediate and/or advanced youth. Participants are welcome to bring their own practice animal to the clinic or we are happy to provide an animal for those that do not have one. This is a great opportunity for anyone who wants to get into showing livestock, but just doesn't know where to start.

Cost per person: \$25.00 Clinic participants
\$25.00 Show registration

Sign up for the clinic, show, or both! Click this link for [Registration](#)

The show is species specific to goats ONLY.

When: November 20, 2021

Where: Gray's Creek High School
5301 Celebration Drive, Hope Mills, NC



NEW

Down East Chicken Show


The Down East Chicken Show will be held Saturday, November 20, 10:00 a.m. at the Duplin Livestock Facility in Kenansville, NC. All 4-H'ers are welcome. All breeds are welcome.

Registration fee: \$10 due day of show. Youth must register online and be enrolled in 4-H Online.

Deadline for registration is November 15.

Click link to register: <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1ciWUISy2tOq-mLt0aIEt7eN6Fc-kze2IEVBKXKZqUk/edit>

Rules and Regulations: See flyer below



Down East Chicken Show
Duplin Livestock Facility, Kenansville Center
275 Fairground Road, Kenansville, NC
Saturday, November 20th, 10:00am

Breed Time: 8:30-9:30am, all birds participating in show must be tested.

Rules

- Eligibility- Youth must be a member of their local 4-H Program, anyone can register at this link to get involved with 4-H: <https://4honline.com/>
- Youth must be between the ages of 5-18. Participation will be based on the youth's age as of January 1st of 2021.
- Only healthy animals will be accepted at show.
- Hens over 5 months to 2 years are suggested, but hens over 5 months accepted.

Classes

- All breeds welcome. If any breed has more than 8 entries at the show, a separate class will be made for them. Youth will have the option to pick Barans, Black Sex Link, or Rhode Island Reds, or other breed on the registration form. Otherwise, entries will be in an open class.
- Youth may show a total of 2 hens.

Showmanship

- There will be four Showmanship Age Divisions: Cloverbud 5-7, Junior 8-10, Intermediate 11-13, Senior 14-18.
- Showmanship classes will follow the Poultry Showmanship National Standard.

Registration


- A registration fee of \$10/exhibitor will be due the day of the show. Youth must register online at <https://forms.gle/10hUgq1tqZnZt9> by November 15th.

Concessions

- Light concessions available at show.

Contacts

- If your local Extension Agent is not involved in this event, contact Charmae Kendall 910-296-2143, Charmae.Kendall@ncsu.edu
- Day of Show: 910-271-0997



NC Volunteer Leaders' Conference Save the Date and Workshop Proposal

Are you interested in teaching a workshop? We are looking for hands-on, high quality workshops for the NC 4-H Volunteer Leaders' Conference.

The NC 4-H Volunteer Leaders' Association is already preparing for a great Volunteer Leaders' Conference in 2022!

NC 4-H Volunteer Leaders' Conference is an annual event where 4-H volunteers from across the state come together to participate in interactive workshops, learn together and elect and install new officers for the NC 4-H Volunteer Leaders' Association. Contact your 4-H agent to register to attend.

If you are interested in teaching a workshop, please review the workshop proposal guide in the link below. For more information on lodging, deadlines, prices, and a tentative agenda, check out the 4-H Volunteer Training webpage at the link below.

We look forward to seeing you at the Volunteer Leaders' Conference, February 4-5, 2022!

[Click here for all the conference information](#)

Farm Credit Youth Personal Finance Educational Program

The Farm Credit Associations of NC are excited to share a new resource to assist with youth education. Finding accurate personal finance information tailored to high school students can be challenging, so Farm Credit has created a "Youth Personal Finance Resource" site to be your one-stop shop. This page is full of on-demand materials to use as a self-guided program. Click here to access <https://www.farmcreditofnc.com/youth-personal-finance-resources>



NEW

College Scholarships and FAFSA Applications

Robert H. Short Scholarship

Calling all high school seniors! The Robert H. Short Scholars Program will award \$500,000 to class of 2022. This last-dollar-in scholarship provides up to \$7,500/year (up to \$30,000 total) to students from Cumberland County, NC who will attend any four-year nonprofit college or university. Scoring will give equal weight to academic achievement, community service (or work history), and demonstrated financial need.

The Free Application for Federal Student Aid is required to apply, so complete yours today at www.fafsa.gov.

- Apply online at <https://www.cumberlandcf.org/scholarships/robert-h-short-scholars.html> starting November 3, 2021.
- Cumberland Community Foundation will award over \$500,000 in memory of Mr. Short to local high school seniors with a GPA of 3.5 or higher and proven financial need.
- The deadline to apply for the Robert H. Short Scholars Program is December 3, 2021.
- A second scholarship application cycle – Community Scholarships - will be available in the spring with \$200,000 available.

FAFSA applications required for need based scholarships

The 2022-2023 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) process officially began Oct. 1. For many seniors and college bound students, the FAFSA form is one of the most important forms to fill out to receive financial aid, including scholarships, grants, work-study and loans.

All students are encouraged to apply — even if you don't think you're eligible. Click this link for helpful tips for filling out the FAFSA form this year. [Powerpoint Step by Step Guide for Families](#).

The FAFSA application is the first step:

- In order to apply for the Robert H. Short Scholars Program, applicants must have completed their FAFSA.
- The FAFSA is required to access the federal government's grants for students attending college or career school.
- Most types of grants, unlike loans, are sources of free money that generally do not have to be repaid.
- The best known federal grant is the PELL grant which is up to \$6,495 per year.
- Visit www.FAFSA.gov to learn more.

4-H Online 2.0-How to Enroll

Please see the attached letter that details information that will make your enrollment and re-enrollment much easier. If you were enrolled in the system last year, you will not have to set up a brand new account. Your login information is the same. Please reach out if you need assistance or need your password reset.

Adults, please note that in the information transfer, many of our volunteers and adult birthdates were changed. Unfortunately, you will need to go in and add your actual date of birth.

Also note that you will need to determine a club affiliation in order for your application to go through. If you are not in a particular club, please select Member at Large (Cumberland County).

Please refer to the letter attached and contact the 4-H office if you have any questions.

[4-H Online Rollover/Re-Enrollment Family Letter](#)

[What is 4-H Online 2.0?](#)

[4-H Online Family and Individual Resource Site](#)

[Enrollment Website 4-H Online 2.0](#)



NC State University and N.C. A&T State University work in tandem, along with federal, state and local governments, to form a strategic partnership called N.C. Cooperative Extension.

Extension's 4-H program is the largest youth development organization in North Carolina. We help over 247,000 young people grow into active, contributing citizens each year.

Accommodation requests related to a disability should be made by 10 days before the event to Jessica Drake, 4-H Extension agent, jessica_drake@ncsu.edu or 910-321-6867.

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