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Greetings from the 4-H Office

Dear 4-H Members and Friends,

We are so grateful for your support of Northampton County 4-H! You are an integral part of 4-H! We look forward to your involvement this year.

We are planning some exciting things this year! You will want to be a part of all 4-H has to offer! We look forward to the continued success and growth of 4-H in Northampton County. We need YOU to continue playing an active part!

Sincerely,

Ann Lawrence
Extension Program Associate, 4-H



Upcoming 4-H Events:

March:

Fri 16th - 4H Livestock Pork-chop Plate Sale - 11am-3 Conway

Fri 16-18 Teen Retreat, Dare County

Sat 24th - Litter Sweep, 9:00am - 11:00am adopted Hi-way Jackson

Mon March 26 - Hungry to Help - 3pm - 5pm, Jackson

April

Tues 3rd - Spring Trip to Marbles Museum Raleigh NC 8:00am - 6:00pm, ages 6-10. Leave from 4-H office

Fri 6th - Teen Leadership Training and Team Building Fun

Fri 20th - District Activity Day topic due

Mon 30th - Hungry to Help 3pm - 5pm

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District Activity Day

Calling all youth ages 5-18!!!

Presentation and Public Speaking are routinely recognized as one of the most valuable life skills 4-H can offer. District Activity Day provides an opportunity for youth to communicate by sharing their voice and/or showcase their talents. **Topics are due by Friday, April 20th.** This will give youth an opportunity to research and prepare for the annual competition. We will travel to Warren County this year on June 20th. If you need help choosing a topic let us know! We are here to help.

Volunteers Recognized

Join us in congratulating two awesome 4-H Volunteers. Pauline Deloatch received the Outstanding 4-H Volunteer Award for the Northeast District. Michele Spruill was installed and will represent the Northeast District this year as President Elect. These ladies were among over 200 4-H volunteers that attended the annual 4-H Volunteer Leaders' Conference in Durham, NC February 2-4th.



Teen Leadership Training

Calling all teenagers ages 13 and up with leadership skills! Would you like to enhance your leadership skills this summer? Do you enjoy working with young children? We need YOU to participate in our Teen Leadership Program! Training will be held on April 6, 2018 at our office from 1-4 pm to prepare for the summer. You will do hands-on activities, team building and summer planning.

Date: April 6, 2018 from 1-4 pm

Cost: Free! Snacks included. **Pre-register.**

4-H Summer Camp

Youth ages 8-14 are invited to join us for a week of 4-H Summer Camp at the Eastern 4-H Center in Columbia NC on Sunday, July 29th-Friday, August 3, 2018. Camp includes a week of rock wall, archery, swimming, campfire, family style meals, and more. Please call the office if you are interested in attending. Registration and scholarship packets are available. Cost is \$420. A \$50 deposit will hold your spot. Some scholarships will be available.

Science Camp

Join us for C.E.R.T. (Community Emergency Response Team) Academy July 16-18, 2018 at NC Wesleyan College in Rocky Mount. Participants will stay on campus. They will learn to properly respond to disasters through hands-on workshops. The camp will also include fun evening activities!

Ages: Rising 6th – 8th Graders

Cost: \$100 – Scholarship available.

Applications Due: June 8, 2018

AIRE

Each year, 4-H teens are invited to compete in AIRE (Application, Interview, Resume, Essay) to earn trips to national 4-H events. Contestants must submit an application, resume, and essay and then participate in a formal interview during 4-H Congress on Monday, July 23. Don't miss this great opportunity! Ages: 11-13 (non-competitive) and 14-18 (competitive)

Applications Due: April 16, 2018

Spring Trip

Journey with 4-H to Raleigh on Tuesday, April 3, 2018 to the Marbles Kids Museum. Its' mission is to spark imaginations, discovery, and learn through play. While there, we will watch a 3-D movie on North Carolina's only 3-D giant screen. We will leave the 4-H office at 8:00 AM and return at 6:00 PM.

Ages: 6-10

Bring a bag lunch.

Only \$15.00

Spots are limited; deadline to register is March 29.

Citizenship Focus

Teens ages 14 and up are invited to attend Citizenship Focus. 4-H will bring over 100 teens 14-18 to Raleigh to experience citizenship in action as we learn to participate in activities with the purpose of making our communities and state a better place.

Cost: \$100 (includes 2 nights and all meals)

Dates: June 13-15, 2018. **Registration deadline May 11.**