

Family News

WASHINGTON COUNTY 4-H

April-May 2017

UPCOMING DATES

Hospitality—The 4-H Way

Remember back to some time as a young person, or even as an adult, walking into a room full of people where you didn't know anyone and just wanted to pretend you were invisible and stand against a wall. It wasn't a comfortable feeling, but after meeting other people you began to enjoy the activities associated with the group. One of the life skills that 4-H helps teach young people is the art of hospitality and making others feel welcome. Hospitality is making new guests as comfortable as possible, providing for their needs, and treating them as equals.

After thinking about your personal experiences in new environments, think about an eight year-old person that has learned about a fun and cool program called 4-H! They don't know anyone in 4-H, but they have seen articles in the paper talking about all the projects a young person can participate in such as food & nutrition, raising animals for the fair, photography, but also things such as wildlife, computers, and even bicycles. If this person and their parent walked into your 4-H club, how would they feel? Would they feel welcome? Would they be greeted by another 4-H member, perhaps an officer? Would a club advisor introduce themselves to the young person, to the parent? How would your club help them get to know everyone? Welcoming new 4-H members into our program is an important role of current 4-H members, parents, and volunteers. Using some of the tips below, we can help make sure new 4-H members feel welcome at our club meetings.

- Designate a greeter to meet new members when they arrive.
- Start with an ice-breaker to help people learn names.
- Ask the new member if they have any questions.
- Direct them to key leaders or Extension staff who can help them.
- Follow up with a phone call after the first meeting.

These are just a few of the suggestions for making our new 4-H members feel welcome as they join 4-H. Regardless of your plans for welcoming 4-H members, it is not a one month chore either. For some, becoming involved in 4-H can be overwhelming because of the number of projects and opportunities. Helping new 4-H families into the program is an ongoing opportunity for club officers, older 4-H members, and adult leaders to strengthen the club's membership and help young people know they are truly valued in the 4-H program.

Adapted from: Lepley, T. & Lehman, K. (n.d.). Welcoming New Members into Your Club. Retrieved from: http://texas4h.tamu.edu/files/2011/12/publications_management_welcome_new_members1.pdf. Retrieved 2/14/17

April 2017

- 1 Schwan's Care- Fundraiser Begins (camp/trip funds)
- 3 Officers Training/Advisors Sessions, Wash. Co. Career Center, 6:30 PM
- 4 Counselor Training, Phillips Elementary School, 6:45-8:30
- 4 4-H Advisory Comm. Mtg., Ext. Office 6:30 PM
- 5 Endowment Committee Meeting Wrap Up 6:30
- 6 Wash. Co. Jr. Fair Board Mtg., Senior Fair Board Office, 6:30 PM
- 8 Camp Clean Up, Hervida 4-H Camp, 9 AM
- 12 CARTEENS Presentation, Ext. Office, 7 PM
- 14 4-H ENROLLMENTS DUE TO EXT. OFFICE
- 14 Mkt Chicken, Turkey & Duck ordered & paid for
- 17-19 Smitty's Pizza Advisory Committee Fundraiser 4PM-close
- 17 Counselor Training, Phillips Elementary School, 6:45-8:30
- 18 Cloverbud STEAM Meeting 6-7pm, Extension Office
- 19 QA #2 Warren High School Cafeteria, 7-9 PM
- 25 New Advisor Training, Ext. Office 7-8:30pm
- 26 Tractor Supply Paper Clover Campaign—Thru May 7

MAY 2017

- 1 4-H Horse Comm. Mtg., Ext. Office, 6:30 PM
- 1 Junior Fair Royalty application due by 5 PM
- 2 4-H Advisory Comm. Mtg., Ext. Office, 6:30 PM
- 2 Counselor Training, Phillips Elementary School, 6:45-8:30
- 4 Wash. Co. Jr. Fair Board Mtg., Senior Fair Board Office, 6:30 PM
- 6 Hervida Chicken BBQ, Hervida 4-H Camp, 4:30-7 PM
- 9 Barlow Jr. Fair Board mtg., Barlow Fairgrounds, 6:30 PM
- 10 CARTEENS Presentation, Ext. Office, 7 PM
- 11 Smitty's Pizza Night to benefit 4-H Horse Committee
- 13 Equine Riding Session #1, 10-12 at Claudia & Arden Simms
- 15 QA #3 at Washington County Career Center, 7-9 PM
- 15 Schwan's Care- Fundraiser Ends
- 16 Counselor Training, Phillips Elementary School, 6:45-8:30
- 16 Junior Fair Royalty Pre-Judging Event, Ext. Office, 7 PM
- 18 Hervida Camp Board Mtg., Extension Office, 7:00 PM
- 22 Cloverbud STEAM Meeting 6-7pm, Extension Office
- 23 4-H Livestock Committee, Ext. Office, 7 PM
- 27-28 Counselor Camp, Hervida

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Market Livestock

JUNIOR FAIR ACTIVITIES GUIDE.

There are several updates/changes for each of the fairs. Make sure you have a copy! You can get copy from the Extension Office or online at www.go.osu.edu/jrfairguide

2017 Enrollment for MARKET LIVESTOCK PROJECTS

ALL Members are required to fill out a NEW 4-H/FFA Enrollment form, have all projects listed and all signatures in place and to the Extension office by **5:00 pm** on Wednesday, **April 14**. Market livestock projects *cannot be added after the DEADLINE of APRIL 14*. ALL original signatures and forms must be turned in by 5:00 pm April 14, 2017. No faxes or emailed copies will be accepted for livestock projects.



Poultry Orders

All Poultry orders (market turkeys, chickens & ducks) must be ordered and paid for by April 14.

Ohio Pullorum Testing School

Two schools (May 2 & May 4) are held in Ohio for people ages 18 and older interested in becoming pullorum testers. The Ohio Poultry Association (official state agency, NPIP) and the Ohio Department of Agriculture are combining efforts to organize Pullorum-Fowl Typhoid plate agglutination tester training classes. You must be 18 years of age to become a certified tester. There is a charge of \$50 per student to offset program costs. There is an additional \$5 fee for first time participants. Your certification is valid for 5 years. Email adilinger@ohiopoultry.org for more info.

2017 Quality Assurance

We are planning Three (3) QA sessions for the 2017 fair season. Please remember that QA is mandatory for all youth (taking market livestock and lactating dairy cattle/goat projects) and one parent/guardian to attend in order to be eligible to participate in junior fair events, shows and sales at the fairs.

March 23 – Waterford High School, 7-9 pm

April 19 – Warren High School, 7-9 pm

May 15 – Washington Co. Career Center, 7-9 pm

TEST-OUT OPTION: Youth ages 12-14 and 15-18 may participate. The test will be offered after the QA sessions for any members who would like to participate. The test is 50 questions and you must pass with 70%. There are a limited number of tests available. If you are interested in taking the test please call the Extension Office to reserve a space after the QA session.

2017 SKILLATHONS

Project judging and skillathons allow youth to demonstrate and review what they have worked on and learned throughout their project year. The 4-H Advisory Committee has determined this piece of the 4-H project process is important and is part of the requirements for 4-H membership. The 4-H Advisory Committee, Livestock Committees and Senior Fair Boards have determined that skillathons meet the criteria for project judging.

ALL livestock (market, dairy, breeding, fancy, and/or horse) project members are **required** to participate in skillathons for **each** specie project they have enrolled in. Skillathons are **required** for all livestock and horse project participants in order to remain 4-H members in good standing and be eligible to exhibit, participate, show and/or sell their project animals at all three fairs. FFA youth taking hogs and/or Feeder calves should contact their FFA teacher for project requirements and eligibility. FFA Youth are **Required to participate in skillathons** for all animals sold at the Washington County Fair. To help this process and coordinate efforts of youth and volunteers **ALL** Skillathons will be offered:

Saturday August 5, 2017

8:30-3:00 - hogs—all day

8:30-11:30 - goats, lambs, rabbits (except pet rabbit);

1:00-3:00 - beef, dairy, poultry, horse (except horseless horse)

Make-up days: August 7 and 8 (9:00am—5:00pm)
(limited space, calling to reserve an appointment is required--no make-up times will be available before August 7)

County Tag-in—Saturday, June 3

Required Tag-in for Market Lamb, Market Goat, Dairy Feeder Steer will be Saturday, June 3 from 8—11 am at the County Fairgrounds.

Born, Bred, & Raised Award Cards are due June 3

Note: Dairy Feeder exhibitors must turn in the Born, Bred, Raised card to verify the calf was purchased directly from a dairy farmer in Washington, Athens, Morgan, Monroe or Noble Counties. See Rules #18 and #25 in Jr Fair Guide for more specifics.

The blue born, bred, & raised card is available from the OSU Extension Office and 4-H Advisors.

Fair Updates

Award Presentations

Skillathon winners and buyer thank you poster winners will be awarded medallions and prize money immediately prior to each livestock sale



Waterford Fair Updates

- Hog tags for Waterford – 4-H or FFA advisors must contact Chris Campbell or the OSU Extension Office with number of tags needed for their club members and pick them up between May 14-20

or

- Hog tag-in – June 5 6-7 pm Waterford FG
- Hog grooming for Waterford – Only water may be used, any oil or what appears to be oil or powder will not be permitted. All barrow must have a measurable ½” of body hair, underline included. Ears and tail may be a shorter length. You do not have to clip your pig, this is for the exhibitors that want to clip their pig

Barlow Fair Updates

- Barlow livestock sale will be Saturday, September 30 at 5:30 pm. Sale order: ducks, dairy goats, FC heifers, FC steers
- Market dairy goat show at Barlow will be Friday, September 29 at 4 pm

Washington County Fair Updates

- County fair livestock sale will be Tuesday, September 5 at 4:00 pm. Sale order: chickens, turkeys, rabbits, goat, lambs, dairy feeders, market beef.
- County fair will have an Overall Showmanship Contest. Each specie will now have an overall winner that will compete in the Overall contest where the winners will show all of the species on Monday night at 6:00
- County fair pen reservations will be due August 5
- County fair premiums have been revised and simplified
- Market rabbits for county fair can be purchased rather than owning the doe and breeding for market rabbits. Can still own does too.
- Dairy Beef Feeders for county fair can now weigh 350-700
- Jr Fair Talent Show – Saturday at 6:30
- Jr Fair Style Show – Sunday at 4:00—4-H clothing, Best dressed chicken, Best dressed bunny, Best dressed 4-H volunteer
- Iron Chef Contest – Sunday at 5:00
- Cloverbud Activities – Monday at 1:00

Junior Fair Royalty

2017 Junior Fair Royalty Contest

Waterford Community, Washington County, and Barlow Independent Fairs

Princess, Prince

Queen, King

Dairy Princess, Horse Princess

Applications due to extension office on
May 1, 2017 at 5pm

Interviews: August 14, 2017 evening (Time TBA)

Judging & Crowning: August 17, 2017 - 7:00 pm (Time approximate)

REQUIREMENTS:

- 1) A member of a Junior Fair youth organization in Washington County.
- 2) Candidates must be a Junior Fair Exhibitor at a Washington County Fair.
- 3) Queen 16 years of age by August 17, 2017 and no older than 19 years of age as of January 1, 2017. King candidates: 16-19 years of age as of January 1, 2017. Princess & Prince candidates: 12-15 years of age as of January 1, 2017.
- 4) Contestants may not be married, nor have been married, nor borne or fathered a child, or be with child.
- 5) Has not previously served as Junior Fair King or Junior Fair Queen of Washington County.
- 6) Prince, Junior Princess and Dairy Princess, Horse Princess may not run consecutive years for the same title.
- 7) **Entry fee is \$30.00. Make checks payable to Washington County 4-H Committee.**

All schools, youth organizations and civic organizations are invited to encourage candidates to enter the contest. Eligible Junior Fair organizations include 4-H, Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, FCCLA, and FFA.

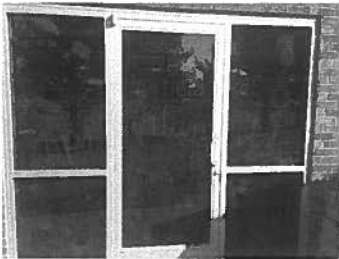
2016 Jr Fair Royalty Pictured left to right: Brianna Lewis (Princess), Kelsey Lewis (Jr Princess), Faith Weyant (Dairy Princess), Carly Haffner (Queen)



CONGRATULATIONS STATE WINNERS! We had seven 4-H'ers complete and submit Ohio 4-H Achievement Award applications in January. Join us in congratulating Maggie Gottfried (Photography), Austin Offenberger (Carteans), and Caroline Stollar (Personal Development) for each receiving First Alternate in their award categories!!

4-H Week Winners

Contest Results Washington County 4-H would like to say a special thank you to the following area entities for their support: St. John Child Care and St. John Central School in Churchtown; Waterford Elementary School in Waterford; Workingman's Store and Phillips School in Marietta; Seaman's General Store in Barlow; and Washington County Library in Belpre.



Window Display Division:

Winner Most Unique & Creative: Oak Grove Explorers
 Winner Best Theme: Churchtown Busy Bunch
 Honorable Mention: Running Wild & Trail Blazers

Table Display Division:



Winner Most Unique & Creative: Churchtown Community Crew

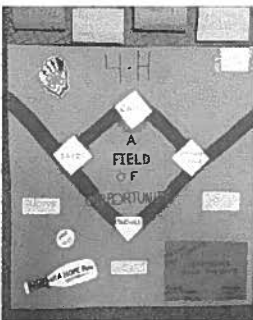
Winner Best Theme: Honeysuckle Hills

Honorable Mention: Country Kids

Poster Display Division:

Winner Most Unique & Creative: Backyard Gang

Winner Best Promotion of Being a Part of 4-H: Honeysuckle Hills



Winner Best Promotion of Washington County: Churchtown Community Crew

Honorable Mention: Lowell Lively Lassies & Lads & Trail Blazers



Washington County Ohio 4-H



Ohio 4-H Conference

The Ohio 4-H Conference is the largest gathering of 4-H volunteers in the United States. The conference welcomes nearly 1,500 teen and adult volunteers to participate each year. The Ohio 4-H Conference is designed to equip participants with resources, information, and skills to meet the ever-changing needs of youth. Fourteen youth and adults representing Washington County 4-H attended the conference on March 11 at the Columbus Convention Center.

The conference recognized **Charlotte Wagner** of Lowell for being a 70 year 4-H volunteer and **Darlene Burke-Ogletree** of Marietta is a 40 year volunteer. Wagner and Burke-Ogletree both serve as 4-H club advisors in their local communities. Charlotte Wagner joined a local 4-H club when she was 9 years old. The club that Charlotte joined was chartered in 1922 and was known as the Buckeye Canning Club. A few years later they changed the name to Lowell Girls 4-H Club, and then in the 1960's to Lowell Lively Lassies, and finally when boys joined the club the name changed once more to Lowell Lively Lassies and Lads. Darlene Burke-Ogletree is a 4-H alumni were she enjoyed 10 years as a 4-H member in the Oak Grove 4 Fold 4-H Club. She has focused her time on being a club organizational advisor, a member of the 4-H home economics committee and 4-H advisory committee.

Two local clubs were also recognized for their developing new and creative program as well as community service. The **Washington County Interstate Exchange Club** was recognized with the 2017 Innovator Award. The club travels and hosts members from other states to experience different cultures across the United States. The club members participate in many fundraisers and created a point system to help members track their fundraising. The club has traveled to Montana, Kansas, and Wisconsin and is looking forward to hosting Wisconsin this summer.

Members of the **Oak Grove Explorers 4-H Club** received the 2017 State Community Service Award for organizing the 5K Run/Walk for Camp Hervida. The club has raised more than \$7,752 for Camp Hervida since organizing the event. In 2016, \$1549 was given to the Hervida 4-H Camp Board to purchase a new commercial refrigerator.



Upcoming Programs/Events

Iron Chef Competition

Washington Co Fair
Sunday, Sept 3 at 5:00

This is a new Contest that will allow 4-H members (ages 8-19) to show off their culinary skills. This contest is a spin-off of the TV show. 4-H members will be given an ingredient and they must make a food item with that ingredient. All ingredients will be provided, however teams can bring serving dishes, tableware, etc. for presentation. There will be 3 different categories: Category one – Sweet, Category two – Savory, Category three - Spicy. Teams will make 12 servings of each recipe. Teams are limited to one entry per category, but may enter each category. Each team may consist of 2-3 junior fair members. Teams must pre-register by Thursday, August 31, 2017. The contest will be scored based on appearance, taste, creativity, and interview. The main ingredient for 2017 will be crackers. A complete list of ingredients available at the contest will be printed in the June/July newsletter.

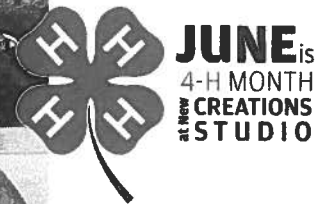


Cloverbud STEAM Club

Next meeting will be April 18 – still accepting registrations. Come join the new Countywide Cloverbud STEAM Club for Kindergarten through 2nd graders. Cloverbuds follow the 4-H “learn by doing” tradition. At monthly meetings, Cloverbuds practice life skills while having fun. Any child who is age 5 AND in Kindergarten through 2nd grade is eligible to join Cloverbuds. The meetings will be held at the Washington County Extension Office (OSU Extension), 202 Davis Ave., Marietta in the conference room. Dues for each member will be \$20 Meetings will explore different 4-H topics and may include: active learning games, make & take activity, snack, signing, 4-H Pledge and more! The activities will focus on STEAM – Science, Technology, Engineering, Agriculture and Math!! Registration is posted at: <https://washington.osu.edu/program-areas/4-h-youth-development/washington-county-4-h-forms>

Meeting dates: Tuesday, March 21 from 6 – 7 pm; Tuesday, April 18 from 6 – 7 pm; Monday, May 22 from 6 – 7 pm; Monday, June 12 from 6 – 7 pm

The Oak Grove Explorers 4-H Club is sponsoring the 6th Annual 5k Run/Walk for Hervida to be held in Oak Grove on Saturday, June 3, 2017 at 8:00 am. The 4-H Club is seeking sponsors for this event. Proceeds will benefit Hervida 4-H Camp. Sponsors of \$100 and over will be recognized with your logo on the back of the race t-shirts, in the press, as well as on the day of the race. Questions may be directed to Andrea Adkins, 740-350-4669 or abradkins@yahoo.com.



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4-H Camp 2017

2017 SUMMER YOUTH 4-H CAMPS

Mark your 2017 calendars with these fun-for-everyone dates! Registrations are due June 1, 2017 to the Extension Office.

June 7 Cloverbud Camp - youth ages 5-8 who have completed kindergarten

June 7-8 Beginner Camp - youth who have completed 2nd grade and through age 10

July 3-7 Junior Camp - youth who have completed grades 3, 4, 5 or 6

July 10-14 Senior Camp - youth who have completed grades 6, 7, 8 or 9

A camp registration form is included in this newsletter and available at the Extension Office and online at washing-ton.osu.edu



Hervida Happenings

CAMP CLEAN UP

Make a note for Saturday, April 8 on your club's calendar! It's clean up time at 4-H Camp Hervida. Camp Clean-Up is another community service opportunity for your club. Clean up begins at 9am -12.

Bring rake, pickup trucks/trailers for hauling leaves, and plenty of elbow grease! Members might want to wear gloves for raking leaves, stacking firewood and picking up brush. Also, do not forget sack lunches and beverages. Usually the cleaning is done around 12pm and lunch begins! Camp Clean-Up will take place rain or shine. Please dress appropriately.

Parents are welcome to donate cleaning products they did not like to camp. Old dish towels, rags, brooms and rakes could also be used by the camp. We will see you there!

Hervida Chicken BBQ

Please come support the Chicken BBQ Dinner at Hervida on Saturday, May 6. Meal served 4:30 to 7:00pm. This is also a great opportunity to volunteer for camp! Donations for the Country Store are always welcome!!

Earn Your Way to Camp

Are you planning to attend 4-H camp and want to earn funds toward your camp registration fee?

Schwan's Cares uses online shopping to eliminate the hassle of money handling and product distribution. As a supporter you choose from over 350 high quality, delicious food options - you can shop online or purchase an eGift Card.

Campaign ID: 31430

Campaign Name: Washington County 4-H Camps & Trips

Website: www.schwans-cares.com/c/31430

See the complete flier and instructions to get started in this newsletter. The fundraiser ends May 15.

4-H Enrollment Info

4-H Project Books

It's time to get your 4-H Project Books and get an early start on your project year. Most projects, including animal projects require members to purchase a new project book each year. Rule of thumb—new animal = new book. However, keep in mind the livestock resource handbooks are a one-time purchase that can be used as a reference year after year. Most books are now available at the Extension Office for purchase. We have some really neat 4-H projects you can explore on project central: <http://projectcentral.ohio4h.org/>

4-H Enrollment Process

- Enrollment forms are due **April 14th by 5:00 pm**
- Faxed/emailed and/or forms without ALL signatures in place will NOT be accepted.
- **Enrollment forms also serve as the market livestock entry – so please double check projects!**
- **Market Goat vs Market Dairy Goat**—project members need to indicate on enrollment form by including the fair name next to project. However, only one record book is needed for multiple animals.

Ohio 4-H Age Guidelines

- Cloverbud Members must be at least 5 years old and in Kindergarten as of January 1, 2017
- 4-H Members must be at least 8 years old and enrolled in 3rd grade as of January 1, 2017

Avian Flu & Poultry Projects

Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza has been in the news with several small outbreaks in the south. Unfortunately these outbreaks have occurred on one of the main avian migratory flyways. There are several articles on high path on the Poultry Team site that may be of benefit to poultry exhibitors: u.osu.edu/poultry Poultry exhibitors might want to consider enrolling in a "backup 4-H project".

Upcoming Programs/Events

TSC Spring Paper Clover - April 26th – May 7

During Fall 2016, almost \$50,000 was raised in Ohio through Tractor Supply Company's Paper Clover Campaign. This campaign generated \$1044 for the Washington County 4-H Program in 2016 from the fall campaign. Patrons can buy a Paper Clover for \$1 or more at the Marietta Tractor Supply Company store from April 26th - May 7. Clubs are encouraged to contact the Marietta TSC at 740-373-1289 and speak with Manager Jim Harlow about holding bake sales or working a 4-H table to promote the Paper Clover Sale.



Equine Riding & Educational Sessions

- May 13, 10-12 at Claudia Sims near Beverly (topics – showmanship, class explanations, Brian Farcas—Farrier). No dogs allowed.
- June 27, 6:30-8:30 at Washington County Fairgrounds (Rider etiquette, Megan Sparks)
- July 20, 6:30-8:30 at Washington County Fairgrounds (open workout, versatility, nutrition)

Horse PAS Information

Washington County will be sponsoring a PAS show this year for members to qualify for the Ohio State Fair Horse Show on June 10. PAS packets with a request form to participate are available at the Extension Office and must be returned by **June 1** to participate in a PAS show.



Shooting Sports ...Pancake Breakfast

Marietta Applebee's Restaurant, 482 Pike Street, 8:30-10:30am, Saturday, April 8. Bull's-Eye 4-H Club will receive 100% of the tickets sales. Applebee's donates the food/beverages. The breakfast includes pancakes and beverage for \$5. Walk-ins are welcome. A Silent Auction also will be held and closes at 10am. Thank you for your support to help purchase supplies, equipment and recognition items for the 4-H shooting sports program!

Noble County Spring Classic

Open Steer & Heifer Show
April 29 at Noble Co Fairgrounds
Call Sarah at 740-509-2238

4-H Shooting Sports Camp at Piedmont

4-H Camp Piedmont will be hosting a shooting sports camp June 9-11, 2017. Youth ages 9-13 have the opportunity to experience a variety of shooting sports education in a camp setting. Participants select from one of five disciplines – archery, advanced archery, rifle .22 rimfire, shotgun, or air pistol.

Camp Piedmont, in Eastern Ohio is located approximately 12 miles north of Interstate 70 in Belmont County. Meals, snacks, lodging, event t-shirt, and supplies are included in the \$150 event fee. The camp registration form is available online www.go.osu.edu/sscamp. Registration is due May 12.

Ohio Special Needs Camp

The Ohio 4-H Statewide Special Needs Camp will be held on June 7-9, 2017 at the Elizabeth L. Evans Outdoor Education Center/ Canter's Cave 4-H Camp near Jackson, Ohio. Youth will be able to enjoy traditional 4-H camping activities as well as, some activities tailored to their needs. This year's theme of, "Finding the Superhero in YOU" will even include a visit from the Dark Knight of Gotham City! Check-in time will be 5:00-5:30 p.m. on, June 7, in the main lodge. Check-out time will be 11:30 a.m. Sunday, June 9. Each camper will need to be accompanied by a caregiver. The \$80 fee for campers, \$45 fee for caregivers and registration forms are due by June 26. If you have any questions concerning the camp or registration materials call Michelle Stumbo at 740-596-5212 or stumbo.5@osu.edu

Registration materials available at:
<http://4hcantercave.osu.edu/home/experience-it/special-needs-camp>



Experience the Outdoors

Registration preferred by May 13

- Saturday, May 20 at Camp Hervida, 8:00 to 5:30
- an educational program to learn various outdoor skills.
- **designed primarily for women** and an opportunity for anyone 14 years of age or older.
- held in a nurturing environment to foster success and develop camaraderie.
- \$35 for session materials, t-shirt, refreshments and lunch.
- Choose from Archery, Backyard Bench, Ornamental Gourds, Pistol, Campfire Cooking, Leather Tooling, Nature, Shotgun & Sporting Clays, Walking Sticks

For questions concerning this program or classes to be offered, contact:
Suzi White at 740-585-2639 whites4gfarm@yahoo.com.

Schwan's Cares Fundraiser

April 1 – May 15

All Proceeds Support Youth Attending 4-H Camp & 4-H Trips

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Website: www.schwans-cares.com/c/31430

How to set up your account:

Campers will need to become a Team Member. Once you become a Team Member you can share your info with folks that would like to purchase Schwan's food and support your efforts to raise funds toward your camp registration fees or 4-H trips.

Benefits

- Earn 20% of sales toward your camp/trip registration fee
- Earn 40% when supporter purchase eGift Cards

Ordering

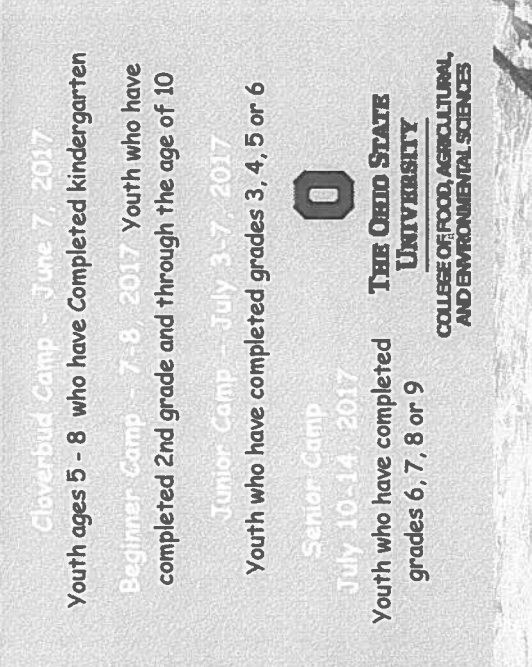
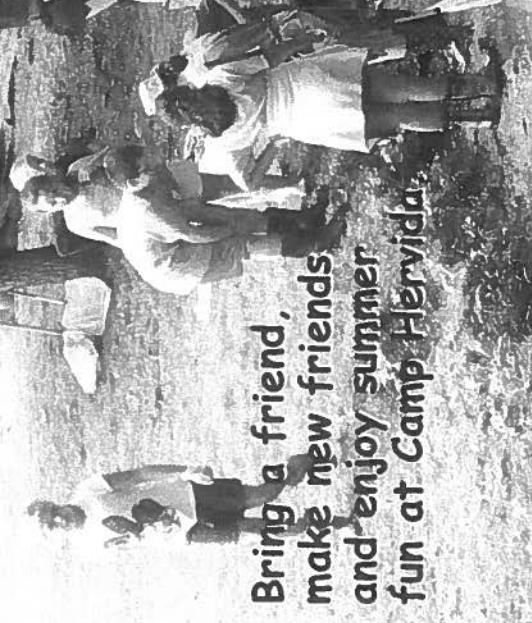
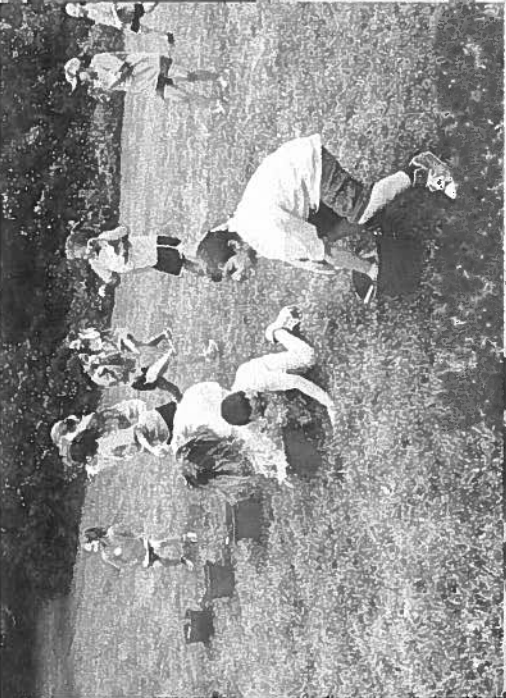
There are 3 ways to place a fundraising order:

1. Via Schwan's Cares. Find your campaign or fundraiser and (1) choose "Buy Now" to purchase an eGift Card (online only; limit 1 per customer, per campaign) OR (2) choose "Shop Now" to place a food order from Schwan's. You can support at the campaign level or at an individual fundraiser level.
2. By Phone. Place your order via toll free number 1-855-870-7208. Make sure to provide your Campaign ID and/or Fundraiser ID when ordering by phone. (29827)
3. Via Schwans.com. During checkout simply type in your Campaign ID and/or Fundraiser ID to contribute to your fundraiser.

Delivery

- For existing Schwan's customers, you will need to follow one of the 3 ordering steps above to create your fundraising affiliation and have your order contribute to the campaign. Your order will be delivered on your existing scheduled route day.
- For new customers, you will choose your delivery date and time during checkout.
- Form of payment is required when placing fundraising orders, but you can change payment at the door to a preferred method of payment (Check, Cash, EBT, or Credit and Debit Card are accepted). If you are not home during the time of delivery, we will leave your items in a protected freezer bag at no cost to you.





Bring a friend,
make new friends
and enjoy summer
fun at Camp Hervida.

Check out the
Camp video at
<http://go.osu.edu/hervida>

2017
Summer Youth Camps
Fun for Everyone!

Cloverbud Camp - June 7, 2017

Youth ages 5 - 8 who have Completed kindergarten

Beginner Camp - 7-8, 2017 Youth who have
completed 2nd grade and through the age of 10

Junior Camp - July 3-7, 2017

Youth who have completed grades 3, 4, 5 or 6

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Senior Camp

July 10-14, 2017

Youth who have completed
grades 6, 7, 8 or 9

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Camper Registration Form Priority will be given to 4-H members until June 1, 2017. After June 1 camp will be open to anyone wanting to attend camp, including 4-H'ers and non-4-H'ers until camp enrollment is full. For more information call 740-376-7431

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: OSU Extension Washington County and mail to that office to the attention of Peggy Bolen, 202 Davis Avenue, Marietta, OH 45750.
REQUIRED DEPOSITS: are non-refundable within 15 days of camp. No refunds for partial stays.

CAMPER INFORMATION:

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____ Age: _____ Circle Gender: **M** **F** Birth Date: _____

Mailing Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Grade Completed in School This Spring: _____ Print Club Name if in 4-H: _____

4-H Camp is ...

- New Friendships
- Crafts
- Dances
- Away From Home
- Outdoors Recreation
- Fun
- Singing
- Swimming
- Campfire
- Group Living
- Sports

A typical resident camp day is ...

- Rise & Shine
- Down Dip (Swim) Classes
- Afternoon Recreation
- Group Meetings
- Swimming
- Evening Recreation
- Dances
- Campfire: Group Skit, Chant & Challenge Competitions
- Signatures
- Lights Out!

4-H Camp staff includes ...

Camp Director, Lifeguards, Deans of Men & Women, Nature Director, Nurse in Residence, Crafts Director, and Cabin Counselors.

Each camper will choose two or more special classes and be involved in the camp's outdoor study, recreation, and personal development programs. Details on what to bring, class registration, activities, etc. will be mailed to each registered camper.

Between \$5 & \$20 could be needed for crafts and canteen during the stay at camp. Craft projects cost between \$1 and \$12. The canteen offers ice cream treats and drinks. It will be open only once per day to promote good nutrition. Price is \$.50 per item. NOTE: Beginner and Cloverbud Camp fees include crafts, canteen items, t-shirt, and camp group picture.

Contact the Extension Office at 740-376-7431 to see if you might qualify for local scholarship to help pay for camp.

Office Use Only		Amt	Amt	Put On Camp DB
		Pd Cash	Pd Check	<input type="checkbox"/> Initial
Full Camp Fee	_____	_____	_____	Date
Camp Deposit	_____	_____	Check#	_____
From 4-H Club	_____	_____	_____	_____
Other	_____	_____	_____	_____
Specify	_____	_____	_____	_____
Jr/Sr T-Shirt	_____	_____	_____	_____

Cloverbud Day Camp June 7, 2017 Circle t-shirt size YS YM YL AS AM AL T-Shirt & camp picture included in camp fee.	\$ 40 Full fee for 4-H Member OR \$ 50 Full fee for Non 4-H Member OR \$ 10 Required deposit
Beginner Camp June 7-8, 2017 Circle t-shirt size YS YM YL AS AM AL T-Shirt & camp picture included in camp fee.	\$ 65 Full fee for 4-H Member OR \$ 85 Full fee for Non 4-H Member OR \$ 10 Required deposit
Junior Camp July 3-7, 2017 Circle t-shirt size YS YM YL AS AM AL AXL Cost is \$12. Pre-paid only. Order by 6/13	\$ 145 Full fee for 4-H Member OR \$ 200 Full fee for Non 4-H Member OR \$ 30 Required deposit \$ 12 *Hervida T-Shirt (must be preordered)
Senior Camp July 10-14, 2017 Circle t-shirt size YS YM YL AS AM AL AXL Cost is \$12. Pre-paid only. Order by 6/13	\$ 145 Full fee for 4-H Member OR \$ 200 Full fee for Non 4-H Member OR \$ 30 Required deposit \$ 12 *Hervida T-Shirt (must be preordered)

*T-shirts must be pre-ordered and will have Hervida and 2017 on the front. Fees cover lodging, meals, and program supplies.

Please check one: New Camper OR Returning Camper

Please check one: Yes, I do... OR No, I do not... give the Ohio State University permission to publish in print, electronic, or video format the likeness or image of my child with their name not being identified. I release all claims against the University with respect to copyright ownership and publication including any claim for compensation related to use of the material. Checking NO means the child cannot be in the camp's group picture.

Please print Parent/Guardian Name(s) _____

Phone(s) _____

E-mail _____


Parent/Guardian Signature (Required) _____



How Do 4-H Cloverbuds Spell Team?

By Janine Yeske, Extension Educator, 4-H Youth Development
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How do Cloverbuds spell team? Of course, they spell it the same way everyone else does! Here are some fun team builders for your Cloverbud clubs with just a few variations from the older club version.

1. Find a Cloverbud Activity - Give each Cloverbud an activity card and ask them to fill it up with other Cloverbuds' signatures that match the feature/trait in each box. With Cloverbuds, play until everyone has his/her entire card filled so the emphasis is on talking and sharing the activity card. (*Find a Cloverbud* activity is available on the Cloverbud Connections website at <http://www.ohio4h.org/volunteers/cloverbud-leaders/click-it-print-it-do-it-activity-pages>.)
2. Beach Ball Games- All kids love beach balls- no matter what their age. Here are a few beach ball games that Cloverbuds will love.
 - a. Ask all Cloverbuds to stand in a circle. You start by passing the ball to a Cloverbud member and saying your name. That member must then pass the ball to another Cloverbud and say his/her name. Continue until everyone in the group has had the ball and said their names. The last person then throws the ball back to you.
 - b. The second step is a little trickier. You pass the ball to a Cloverbud, but this time, say that person's name. Again, do this until all Cloverbuds have had the ball. The important thing to tell the group is that they need to remember who they got the ball from and who they threw it to so they can establish a pattern. Ask the Cloverbuds if they know what a "pattern" is. Define it for them and ask if they are familiar with the word.
 - c. After you have established this pattern, try to "group juggle." Throw the ball in the same pattern as before and try to make it go around the circle a little faster each time- always catching from and throwing to the same people as before. If your group can handle it, add another beach ball so your group will be "juggling" two balls!
3. Build a Structure. Building is a great team builder because it causes members to think, talk and share ideas with each other. In this game, you will need to bring in some fun materials and ask the Cloverbuds to build a structure- perhaps a house that one of them can actually sit in when it is finished. If you have more than four members, break your group into smaller groups of three or four. Since we do not want this to become competitive, bring different materials for each group. When the time is up, each small group can show their structure to the whole group and tell about how they built it. Some ideas for structures: newspaper and duct tape, pool noodles and duct tape, or spaghetti and marshmallows (if you have older Cloverbud members who can handle the motor skills required.)
4. Play School Bus. Tape a line of duct tape down the middle of the room. Choose a bus driver. Driver shouts out pairs of stops, for example, cats or dogs. Participants who like cats must sit on right side of bus (tape) and those who like dogs must sit on left side of bus. Go through several stops including: Loud/quiet; Save/spend; Hamburger/salad; Fruit/vegetable; Fast food/home cooked; vanilla/chocolate. This activity is a great team builder because it teaches group members that they probably have something in common with almost everyone.
 
5. This may be my favorite Cloverbud team builder. Cook together! Or, at least do something with food! Ask all Cloverbuds to bring in an ingredient for whatever you choose to make. Some great ideas: soup, sundaes, or trail mix. Ask all the Cloverbuds to bring their ingredient to the table. (Bring a few ingredients yourself in case someone forgets to bring something.) Put everything together and serve your creation. A food creation is like a group of Cloverbuds. Everyone brings something unique, but when you put it all together, it is great!





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